

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Sara Latham" <saralatham@me.com>](mailto:saralatham@me.com)

Date: 5/12/2015 6:04:07 AM

Subject: Re: Trouble

Taking off. Thanks.

On Tuesday, May 12, 2015, Sara Latham <saralatham@me.com> wrote:

There's a 12pm lands at 305pm

Sent from my iPhone

On May 12, 2015, at 8:28 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Found him and got my passport. Cutting it very close. I'll try to ck in online but may need to get on later flight if there is one. THANKS!

On Tuesday, May 12, 2015, Sara Latham <saralatham@me.com> wrote:

Are you checked in online? Need me to do?

Sent from my iPhone

On May 12, 2015, at 7:42 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Can you see if you can figure out how to contact cabbie.

From:	"Terry McAuliffe for Governor" <info@terrymcauliffe.com>
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	12/12/2012 4:06:26 AM
Subject:	Like Terry on Facebook

 Terry is running for Governor! Like him on Facebook to stay up to date with the latest news from the campaign trail. To Like him, go to www.facebook.com/terrymcauliffe

Paid for by Terry McAuliffe for Governor

This message was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com. To unsubscribe from Terry McAuliffe's email list, please click [here](#).

From: "truthout" <messenger@truthout.org>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 11/29/2014 9:28:42 AM

Subject: Why Is California Keeping Kelly Savage in Prison for a Crime She Didn't Commit?



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Why Is California Keeping Kelly Savage in Prison for a Crime She Didn't Commit?

Victoria Law, Truthout: Nearly 19 years after Kelly Savage's husband killed her 3-year-old son and they both were convicted of murder, she is filing for a writ of habeas corpus, arguing that expert testimony about domestic violence was not included during her trial. Will California allow her a second chance?

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ROTC Brings the Military Home to CUNY

Hannah K. Gold, Truthout: In the 1960s and '70s, the ROTC was kicked off campuses in the Northeast. Now it's back, appealing to the most vulnerable students, and bringing military culture along with it.

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Why the Idea of Fair, Affordable Care in the US Is Still a Problem

Liz McFall, The Conversation: Obamacare has another difficult year ahead. The attempt to introduce a more affordable health care system has been notably controversial from the start, and this looks set to continue.

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Touring North Korea? An Interview With Author Robert Willoughby

Peter Handel, Truthout: With its reputation for ultra-secrecy, imprisonment of rogue missionaries and a leadership baffling to outsiders, it's no wonder few tourists in the United States even think of taking a state-approved tour in North Korea. Meet Robert Willoughby, author of the only dedicated guide to the country.

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The Fracking Rush Hits a Pothole

Emily Schwartz Greco, OtherWords: Low prices at the pump are imperiling oil fracking operations in Texas and North Dakota. Many companies may start losing money or even go broke. While the green-minded may welcome the doom of fracking, there's a

BuzzFlash

The BuzzFlash commentary for Truthout will return soon.

Hosni Mubarak Cleared of Conspiring to Kill Protesters in Egypt's 2011 Uprising

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Ahead of Peru Climate Summit, Cautious Hope

risk cheap oil could speed the pace of climate change.

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Monsters' Ball on Capitol Hill: A Tale of Congress, Tsunamis and Circuses

Mikey Weinstein, AlterNet: Far more than merely a few elected officials have ceaselessly covered the flanks of the Christian fundamentalist forces that are actively commandeering our US military.

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Katharine Gun's Risky Truth-Telling

Sam Hussein, Consortium News: Truth-telling can be a dangerous undertaking, especially when done by government insiders trying to expose wrongdoing connected to war-making, as British intelligence official Katharine Gun discovered in blowing the whistle on a pre-Iraq War ploy.

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Cultivating Climate Justice From the Front Lines of the Crisis

Antonia Bruno, Zero Waste World: Following Typhoon Haiyan, survivors in impacted communities in the Philippines came together in a deep expression of solidarity to help each other rebuild their homes and lives.

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Health Insurers Fight Republican Efforts to Repeal Affordable Care Act

Crystal Sheppard, Care2: While their motivations may be different, the health insurance industry and the Obama administration have created an alliance to push back against Republican attempts to dismantle the Affordable Care Act.

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Detroit's Young Gentrifiers Face a Daunting Task in Buying \$500 Homes: Evicting Poor Residents

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From: "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
"Brynne Craig" <bcraig@hillaryclinton.com>
"Marlon Marshall" <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>
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"Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>
"Marissa Astor" <mastor@hillaryclinton.com>
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Date: 1/8/2016 11:56:40 AM
Subject: Fwd: Travelers/Surrogates /Just some basic information

I think folks know this is happening but just in case FYI - love those Arkansas Travelers! Sending 85 people to NH in the final week.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Sheila Bronfman <sbronfman@comcast.net>
Date: Thu, Jan 7, 2016 at 6:32 PM
Subject: Travelers/Surrogates /Just some basic information
To: Adrienne Elrod <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>
Cc: kturman@hillaryclinton.com , mvlacich@hillaryclinton.com , Terry Shumaker <tshumaker@bernsteinshur.com> , Sheila Bronfman <sbronfman@comcast.net>

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

As you know, I am bringing 85 people to New Hampshire. We are paying for everything and have made all of our own arrangements for flights, hotel, van transportation, meals, etc. We are staying in Exeter and coordinated with the NH campaign for us to work the seacoast towns of Exeter, Portsmouth, Dover and Rochester along with whatever else is needed.

We are bringing in our own advance team which will arrive on Sunday, January 31. There will be 8 of us. We will get addresses, directions and work with campaign to organize our walking, phone banking, rally work, etc. Our folks start arriving on Feb. 4 for the most part and the rest arrive on Feb. 5. Everyone is staying until Feb. 10. We plan to work the polls all day on Feb. 9th.

I thought you would want to know about the following people who will be with me:

Former US Senator David Pryor and wife Barbara

Former US Senator Mark Pryor and wife Joi

Current St. Rep. Dr. Deborah Ferguson

Current St. Rep. David Whitaker

Current Judge Sergio DeLeon (spanish speaking)

Former Mayor Patrick Henry Hays

Former Mayor Harry Light

Former County Judge and Mayor Buddy Villines

Former Democratic Party Chair Ron Oliver

Former St. Senator and Rep and Insurance Commissioner Jay Bradford

Former St. Rep. Jerry Brown

Former St. Rep. Gloria Cabe and administration official and State Department

Former St. Rep. Gregg Reep

Former St. Senator and Rep Kevin Smith

Former St. Rep. Lindsley Smith

Former St. Rep. Stephen Smith

Old Friends, Mauria and Bob Aspell, Woody Bassett, me and many others

Jean Hervey- major Union Official for Workers United and African American

Cathy Koehler, President of Little Rock Education Association

Human interest story. A Clinton School Graduate from Brazil who was a traveler previously and is executive with WalMart is flying in from Brazil

Bob Lyford, retired Arkansas Electric Cooperative

Numerous attorneys, doctors, teachers, financial. Variety of ages, straight, gay, etc.

Let me know if you need anything or want us to do anything special with these people.

They are currently all assigned to one of our vans which work as teams of 10-11 and will be working with us door to door, rallies, etc. If you want any of us to do anything else other than what we are planning as a group, please let me know so I can make arrangements. Looking forward to seeing everyone.

Thanks. Sheila

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From: "[Christine M Hammer](mailto:chs42@law.georgetown.edu)" <chs42@law.georgetown.edu>
To: "[All Faculty and Staff](mailto:AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu)" <AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 11/11/2015 8:46:38 AM
Subject: Welcome!

Dear Law Center Community,

I am pleased to announce several new additions to the Special Events team here at Georgetown Law.

Blair Middleton, our new Special Events Assistant, comes to us by way of Chicago, where she held various special events related positions in both professional and volunteer capacities. She recently made the move to our area, and we are thrilled to welcome her to Georgetown Law and our team. Blair provides event support to the entire office and is responsible for financial reconciliations, event logistics, communication, and supply maintenance. Blair can be reached at bcm83@law.georgetown.edu or 202-662-9505.

Ian Mayne joins us as Associate Director, Special Events. Ian was most recently an account manager with Social Tables where he managed over 600 accounts in higher Ed (including Georgetown Law), venues, non-profits, and associations. Prior to that, he held various events positions at Stanford University, first in athletics and then at the Stanford Graduate School of Business. Ian will be lead planner on various high profile events, and will also be assessing our office operations and looking for ways to increase our efficiency and productivity to better serve our internal and external clients. Ian can be reached at ijm12@law.georgetown.edu or 202-662-9448.

Many of you already know our newest Event Coordinator, **Deb Gales**, from her time in the Development office, providing stellar administrative support to the entire Development team just prior to moving to Special Events. Deb previously spent several years with Lombardi on main campus. In addition, Deb has provided event support during multiple Law Reunions, and volunteered for almost every major Georgetown event over the years, including the Lombardi Gala, Georgetown Homecoming and Law graduation just to name a few. This experience means Deb has hit the ground running in her new position, and we are so happy she is part of the team. Deb can be reached at dmg99@law.georgetown.edu or 202-662-9923.

Join me in welcoming Blair, Ian and Deb to Special Events. **And, plan on stopping by our open house on December 1st from 3-5pm, to meet everyone and say hello!**

Chris

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From: "Jeremy Funk" <funk@americansunitedforchange.org>
To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com
Date: 10/5/2009 12:11:19 PM
Subject: [big campaign] UPDATE: Bob McDonnell Fundraiser w/ Meg Whitman now Canceled

CNN.com: Whitman targeted as McDonnell fundraiser canceled :

<http://politicalticker.blogs.cnn.com/2009/10/05/whitman-targeted-as-mcdonnell-fundraiser-canceled/#more-71854>

Statement from Caren Benjamin, Deputy Executive Director, Americans United for Change: "The plan was for Meg Whitman to breeze into Virginia to quietly raise a lot of money for someone who believes working women are "detrimental" to families. It's interesting that the fundraiser was canceled after being spotlighted publicly and that Whitman won't be attending the re-scheduled event. Maybe Whitman realized how untenable it would have been to help someone who believes someone like her had no business in the business world."

From: Jeremy Funk
Sent: Monday, October 05, 2009 5:29 PM
To: Jeremy Funk
Subject: What is Meg Whitman Thinking?



www.americansunitedforchange.org

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CONTACT: Jeremy Funk, 202-470-5878

DATE: October 5, 2009

What Is Meg Whitman Thinking?

Former eBay CEO to Fundraise for Robert McDonnell – the Republican Candidate for Virginia Governor Who Called Working Women "detrimental" to the Family

FYI – See below email from Caren Benjamin, Deputy Executive Director of Americans United for Change sent today to thousands of allied groups and progressives across the country. It's a call to action to contact former eBay CEO Meg Whitman and urge her to cancel her fundraising appearance with Bob McDonnell this week for the sake of women everywhere. McDonnell is the Republican candidate for Virginia Governor who once described working women and feminists as "detrimental" to the family.

From: Caren Benjamin [mailto:Benjamin@americansunitedforchange.org]]
Sent: Monday, October 05, 2009 2:18 PM
To: [Undisclosed Recipients]
Subject: Please Help

Please help. Meg Whitman - the former CEO of eBay and Republican candidate for Governor of California (and infrequent voter) is flying across the country [on Thursday to campaign for Republican Gubernatorial Candidate of Virginia Bob McDonnell](#) - who as a 34 year old man on the verge of entering elective politics wrote a graduate school thesis in which, among other things, he said that working women were a detriment to society, that married couples should not have access to contraception and that women should not have the right to choose.

At age 34...Robert F. McDonnell submitted a master's thesis to the evangelical school he was attending in Virginia Beach in which he described working women and feminists as "detrimental" to the family. [[Washington Post, August 30, 2009](#)]

If Bob McDonnell's extreme views had won the day - Meg Whitman would have never been the CEO of a major company, would not have had access to child care and would never have been in the position she is in today to run for public office. What is Meg Whitman thinking campaigning with a man whose views would bar women from the work place and who as an elected official has fought against issues of important to women like equal pay for equal work? Why would Meg Whitman campaign for a far right wing ideologue and misogynist like Bob McDonnell? Is she not ready for prime time? Or does she just not know the facts?

Please email your lists both nationally and in California and urge your members to call Meg Whitman right away at (408) 400-3887 - tell her you are outraged that she would have the poor judgment to campaign with a man, Bob McDonnell, who has so little regard for women and families. Please have your members call Meg Whitman at (408) 400-3887 and demand that she cancel her appearance with Bob McDonnell in Virginia and apologize for even thinking that it is ok to campaign with someone who think families should not have access to child care, that women should not have the

Meg Whitman is being brought to Virginia by Bob McDonnell for one reason - it's his desperate attempt to recover from the revelations of his thesis and his real extreme views on women that have resulted in near disaster for his campaign. Please email your members - have them call Meg Whitman at at (408) 400-3887 and tell her in no uncertain terms that it is a mistake for her to help Bob McDonnell hide his real views on women and that it would be shameful if she allowed Bob McDonnell to use her appearance to fool voters into thinking he has the interests of women at heart when clearly he does not.

<http://www.bobmcdonnellblueprint.com/contraception/>

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From: ["Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 2/15/2015 1:27:30 AM
Subject: Re: Hi John, Idea for this week?

Thanks guys. We've talked to her about tweeting her support and she's been a bit ambivalent. But I agree - it's a good issue to be out front on. We'll revisit.

> On Feb 15, 2015, at 8:16 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Adding Jake and Dan.

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> JP

> --Sent from my iPad--

> john.podesta@gmail.com

> For scheduling: eryl.sepp@gmail.com

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>> On Feb 14, 2015, at 5:15 PM, Tom Freedman <tom@tfreedmanconsulting.com> wrote:

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>> The FCC vote on net neutrality is set for Feb. 26, she'll no doubt support the position of Title II if asked after the vote (I assume)-- would it make sense to say something positive now including about her commitment to an open and accessible web? Maybe she has said something already I missed, also happy to send this note to Joel or Jake or whomever)...Best, Tom

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>> Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Daniel Ernst" <ernst@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:ernst@law.georgetown.edu)
To: ["John Mikhail" <jm455@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:jm455@law.georgetown.edu)
["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 2/4/2015 2:08:03 PM
Subject: RE: Faculty Workshop, Tuesday Feb. 10: Brad Snyder

Dear Colleagues,

I want to recommend the paper and the talk on the Sacco and Vanzetti case next Tuesday by Brad Snyder, who is visiting with us this year. I like to think of myself as an archive rat who knows a thing or two about Felix Frankfurter and Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., but Brad makes me look like a piker. The paper begins with a one-page cover memo that says what's new about this chapter and the book it's taken from and suggests why both matter.

Dan

From: John Mikhail
Sent: Wednesday, February 04, 2015 3:51 PM
To: Law Faculty and Visitors
Cc: Jennifer E. Lane; Elizabeth H Powell; David M. Schizer; Allegra McLeod; Matthew L. Zimmerman
Subject: Faculty Workshop, Tuesday Feb. 10: Brad Snyder

Dear Colleagues,

Next Tuesday, February 10, Brad Snyder will be giving a faculty workshop on a chapter of his forthcoming book, "The House of Truth: A Washington Political Salon and the Liberal Struggle for Legal Change (OUP, 2016). The chapter and an accompanying note from Brad can be found at the link below. Hard copies are available in faculty support. We meet in Hotung from 12:00 to 1:20, and lunch will be served. Please join us.

John

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

Dear John:

Here is the link to the paper:

[Brad Snyder -- The House of Truth](#)

From: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 3/23/2015 3:31:47 AM
Subject: Re: bea welters

interesting - will send you email

On Mon, Mar 23, 2015 at 10:28 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Unless she's on Dennis' list or is a friend of Frank White's have no idea about this.

On Mar 23, 2015 10:11 AM, "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

someone reached out to her saying you wanted to visit with her - will you remind me to discuss today?

From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 3/13/2016 12:49:30 PM
Subject: Ok if Kate comes with me???

Please let me know either way

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

Date: 2/18/2015 5:44:38 AM

Subject: Re: EG account

I think amprog but let's discuss tomorrow.

On Feb 18, 2015 11:33 AM, "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

Do you want one? Or work through amprog? I'm going to have exclusively an EG email I believe.

Sent from my iPhone

From:	"Roy Spence" <Roy.Spence@gsdm.com>
To:	"Jim Kennedy" <jkennedy2006@gmail.com> "Huma Abedin" <Huma@clintonemail.com>
Date:	7/23/2014 1:16:22 PM
Subject:	Hi Clinton People...I know I am kinda young but my Poppie/Granddaddy "Roy" says yall are his best and most loyal friends ever...

...And cause of that-ya'll are my best friends...well except Momma and Daddy and Mr. Bear and...well you know...I know I am not a Boomer/Gen x/Millennial/or even Gen z...but I know that Aunt Hillary would Be awesome for all of us grandbabies of those generations-from all parts of America and the world...She like President Mandela and President Washington could be the "Generational President"...not for ya'll generation but those of us who are following...Aunt Hillary has the wisdom to create the new roadmap for us all...dang I am sounding like Poppie. That's it...hope to see you all soon and love and hugs and *Ride at Dawn*...well my Mom hates that idea...

Charlie Spence Clauer...

Sleep till Dawn

Ps don't get used to this "cursive letter handwriting"...it is so you all...and my hand is cramped totally up...

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>
"Dennis Cheng" <d.cheng@me.com>
Date: 4/10/2015 2:04:37 PM
Subject: Fwd: Urgent

Why are we giving them a hard time on the questionnaire? Leverage on the contract?

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From: "Stephanie Schriock" <sschriock@emilyslist.org>
Date: Apr 10, 2015 8:49 PM
Subject: Urgent
To: "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc:

John,

I don't seem to have your cell with me. Mine is [202-570-8397](tel:202-570-8397). I do need to speak with you regarding the EMILY's List endorsement and the need for the choice questionnaire. My executive director, who you know well, Jess O'Connell, heard from Dennis Cheng that the choice questionnaire may not be sent until after the announcement. However, EMILY's List has never raised money for a candidate without that choice questionnaire. We sent the choice questionnaires Secretary Clinton signed in 2007 for the presidential and 2005 for her senate re-election. The 2007 questionnaire was negotiated by Judy Lichtman and Melanne Verveer. All we need is that exact questionnaire and response signed and dated April 12, 2015 so we can go live and raise money on Sunday. It is not a public questionnaire, it will never be public. The questions aren't even public.

I can talk this through, but I am trying to make it as easy as possible. I realize there are other questions open regarding the relationship with EMILY's List including the negotiation of a contract and the direct mail solicitation we would like to do to bundle through the mail as soon as possible. We can work that out next week, but the choice questionnaire we need this weekend.

What can I do to make that happen?

--Stephanie

From: support@raceit.com

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/19/2015 12:23:21 AM

Subject: Transaction Confirmation for 2015 Army Ten-Miler



30th Army Ten-Miler

Congratulations, you are registered for the 31st annual Army Ten-Miler on October 11, 2015. Entries are non-refundable and the race is run rain or shine.

- Complete race information and runner updates at www.armytenmiler.com
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- Vote for the 31st Annual Army Ten-Miler T-Shirt design. [Vote Now](#)

Name: **John D. Podesta**

Confirmation Number: **Vnqnvp7wBT**

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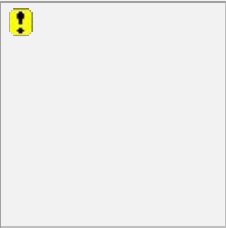
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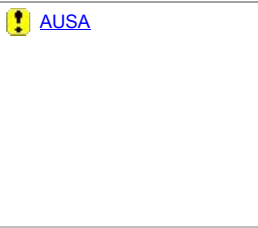
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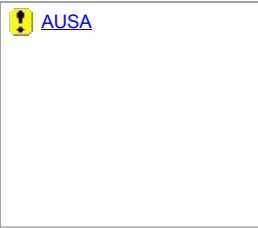


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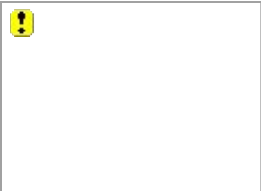
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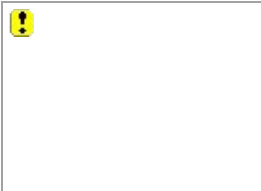














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Registration:	2015 Army Ten-Miler
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Registrant:	John Podesta
Email:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Gender:	M
Age on day of event:	66
Address line 1:	3743 Brandywine St NW
City:	Washington
State:	DC
Province:	
Postal code:	20016
Country:	US
Middle Initial:	D
Shared Address Policy:	No
Check yes to agree to all :	Yes
Did you participate in last year's Army Ten-Miler?:	Yes
How many times have you run the Army Ten-Miler:	5
Military Service or Civilian Affiliation:	Civilian - Other
Adult Performance Shirt Size:	Men's Small
Are you a Wheelchair or Wounded Warrior Athlete?:	No
Have you run a Full Marathon, Half Marathon, or Ten Mile race in the past 12 months?:	Yes - 10-miler
What is your predicted finish time for the 2014 Army Ten-Miler? NOTE: Must complete race in 02:30 or less. :	01:22
Ride the "Free" shuttle back to the Pentagon Metro after the race?:	Yes
Participant Waiver:	Yes
Participant Waiver:	Yes

Transaction Summary

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From: ["Andrea Purse" <andrea.purse@gmail.com>](mailto:Andrea.Purse@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/29/2015 3:24:59 AM

Subject: Re: Hi there...

Thursday morning ok? Let me know if that works...

On Tue, Dec 29, 2015 at 10:17 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Should be fine. When were you thinking of going up?

On Tuesday, December 29, 2015, Andrea Purse <andrea.purse@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi John! Hope all is well and you had at least a short breather over Christmas! No rest for the weary though, I am sure.

I wanted to check in to see if we might be able to steal your Truckee place this weekend--not sure if you or the family are headed there, but the kids were Jonesing for snow if it might be empty!

Thanks so much, and tell the HRC crew I send my love!

From: ["John Podesta" <John.Podesta@ptt.gov>](mailto:John.Podesta@ptt.gov)

To: cheryl.mills@gmail.com
Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com

Date: 11/28/2008 1:51:10 AM

Subject: Re: Draft of Agreement for Foundation

Just had a chance to run my eyes over this. Will give it a more thorough review and any issues/edits before noon est.

From: Cheryl Mills

To: Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com

Cc: John Podesta; john.podesta@gmail.com ; brucerlindsey@aol.com ; 'Doug Band - PC' ; cdmills@nyu.edu

Sent: Fri Nov 28 08:44:37 2008

Subject: Draft of Agreement for Foundation

Todd:

Here is the first draft for discussion and edits for the Foundation-related agreements (which I have separated from the personal agreements WJC is making and will be sending, similar to what Powell did, a letter on behalf of him regarding his personal activities).

That will come shortly.

Happy post Turkey Day.

cdm

From: ["Anderson, Christine" <Christine.Anderson@Blackstone.com>](mailto:Christine.Anderson@Blackstone.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/22/2015 8:08:49 PM

Subject: Speech by Tony James

Attachments: 21 Oct CAP Speech_FINAL_v10.21.15_small font.docx

John, Just flagging that Tony James gave a speech at CAP yesterday unveiling a proposal to deal with the retirement savings crisis in this country. He worked closely with Teresa Ghilarducci, who I'm sure you know

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From: "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 1/13/2016 3:23:27 PM

Subject: Re: READ FIRST: Thursday Schedule

the good new is, per the 9:30pm call that's still going on as I type - Huma / Jen have just pulled down the 7:30am Ed Bd call.

On Wed, Jan 13, 2016 at 10:19 PM, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

John- Just wanted to give you a rundown of what's on the calendar for tomorrow, because there is a lot on the schedule, including some new items!

The political and campaign management teams have been working to coordinate a round of targeted outreach calls to political groups. YOU, WJC, Robby, and Marlon have been asked to lead calls tomorrow. YOUR first call is to members of Congress at 2:00 PM and will feature YOU and WJC. (Flag: I assume that you will have to take this call from Perkins Coie, since it is so soon after debate prep) YOUR other calls will begin at 3:30 PM. They are detailed in the tick-tock below.

NEW state of the race TPs for all calls are attached.

NEW agenda items feat. HRC and WJC are highlighted in yellow.

I will have all briefing docs and TPs printed for you in the office. Jason Chung, advance lead for debate prep, will print the WJC call briefing and the TPs for you at debate prep.

6:00 am Delta Flight 1628 (DCA-JFK)

6:53 am Note: Boarding pass in your email

7:30am HRC Prep Call for NYT Ed Board

8:00am (718) 406-9705 Passcode 14417

8:00 am Strategic Discussion Call

8:45 am Senior Staff Call

--Transit to 30 Rock--

10:00am Debate prep, 22nd Floor, Perkins Coie (30 Rockefeller Plz)

1:00pm

2:00am MOC Campaign Update with WJC

2:30pm Note: YOU and WJC will lead this call. Members of Congress who have publicly endorsed were invited to this call. I anticipate that you will have to take this call from Perkins. Briefing memo attached.

--Transit to HQ--

3:30pm Coalition Leaders Endorsed Campaign Update Call

4:00pm Note: YOU will lead this call with Jared Mueller. Constituency leaders who have publicly endorsed were invited to this call. Briefing memo attached.

4:00pm MOC Chiefs Campaign Update Call

4:30pm Note: YOU, Adrienne, and Maura will lead this call. COSs to Members of Congress who have publicly endorsed were invited to this call. Briefing memo attached.

4:30pm Governors + Chief of Staff Campaign Update Call

5:00pm Note: YOU will lead this call with Adam Parkhomenko. Governors and their Chiefs who are

supportive of Secretary Clinton (publicly and privately) were invited to this call. *Briefing memo attached.*

5:30pm Hill Strategy Weekly Call

6:00pm *Note: Cheryl will not be on this week (on a flight)*

--Transit to Raiser--

6:45pm HRC Greek American Raiser

7:45pm *Note: YOU will be making short remarks before HRC. Dennis Mehiel will intro YOU, YOU will speak, then Dennis will intro HRC. I will have a notecard of talking points for you at the office.*

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Milia Fisher

Special Assistant to the Chair

Hillary for America

mfisher@hillaryclinton.com

c: [858.395.1741](tel:858.395.1741)

From: "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 11/13/2015 1:43:43 PM

Subject: **CORRECTION: Tomorrow's Debate Call Will be at 10:30pm EST **

****Please note this call tomorrow will take place at 10:30pm EST - not 10:45pm EST****

All -

Please join Hillary for America's Communications Director Jennifer Palmieri and Deputy Communications Director Christina Reynolds for a top talkers call near the conclusion of tomorrow's debate **at 10:30pm EST this Saturday evening.**

You may RSVP by registering via the following link:

<http://myaccount.maestroconference.com/conference/register/SB9D9BBHZROQETW>

As a reminder, tomorrow's debate airs on CBS beginning at 9:00pm EST. Tune in!

Thanks!!

Adrienne

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["All?? Students" <allstudents@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:allstudents@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 5/21/2015 6:47:55 AM
Subject: A New Reason for Gratitude

Dear Georgetown Law Community:

This time of year gives us so much to be grateful for. The graduation reminded us how beautiful and gifted our community is and the staff awards do the same. Our own Michael Goldman will be honored today for his extraordinary service, but we also remember so many others who have dedicated themselves to making this a true community.

Joining our community and giving us a new reason for gratitude will be our new interim Protestant Chaplain, Rev. Khristi Adams. Rev. Adams currently works on the main campus as a chaplain-in-residence. She is an ordained American Baptist minister. She received her M. Div. from Princeton Theological Seminary, with a concentration in Ethics and Social Justice, and a B.A. In Advertising from Temple University. She worked as a the Associate Pastor for Preaching and Spiritual Programming at Azusa Pacific University and before that was the Youth Pastor at First Baptist Church of Lincoln Gardens in Somerset, NJ. Khristi has done international cross-cultural work and is also an author and filmmaker.

I am confident that Rev. Adams will be a dynamic addition to our Campus Ministry team. She will not begin working until August 3rd, but she has already visited the Law Center and some of you have had the privilege of meeting her. Please show her your warmest welcome.



Yours with profoundest gratitude,

Fr. Paul Rourke, S.J.

From:	"Tina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date:	6/13/2015 4:04:33 PM
Subject:	everyone seemed very happy today

Congrats!

Subject: Your destination is a drive away.

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From: ["George Petasis" <George.Petasis@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:George.Petasis@law.georgetown.edu)

To: ["Law Center Service Desk" <help@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:help@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 5/14/2015 9:20:44 PM

Subject: Another Month, Another Phishing Scam

This past month, the Law Center has been plagued by various phishing scams. The latest stated that your mailbox account would be deactivated unless you verified your information within 45 minutes. The correct response to this email is to delete it without clicking on any links or replying to it.

Unfortunately, the Law Center gets bombarded by multiple phishing attempts every month. Phishing is a high-tech scam that uses spam to deceive consumers into disclosing their usernames, passwords, credit card numbers, and other secure information. The emails pretend to be from individuals or businesses the potential victims deal with. The fraudsters tell recipients that they need to "update" or "validate" their accounts to keep them active, and direct them to a "lookalike" website of the legitimate business, tricking consumers into thinking they are responding to a bona fide request. Unknowingly, the recipients submit their personal information – not to the businesses – but to the scammers, who use it to log into other's accounts to send emails, order goods, and even obtain credit.

Never respond to an email that asks for personal information such as usernames, passwords, credit card numbers, PINs, social security number, date of birth, etc. If you receive an email asking you for that information delete it without clicking on any links or replying to it.

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From: ["Amitabh Desai" <ami@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:ami@presidentclinton.com)

To:

Date: 7/10/2015 12:11:03 PM

Subject: WJC / Greece / Merkel

Denis,

John suggested emailing you - on the heels of your talk with WJC about PM Tsipras - to also let you know that we've been in close touch with Merkel's folks this week in advance of WJC's Bosnia visit and given Merkel's visit to Bosnia earlier this week - so it would be an innocuous and easy lift - if a nudge to Merkel is needed - to have WJC call Merkel on basis of checking in for guidance on Bosnia and then casually asking her about Greece on the back end. Just in case helpful. Although it's getting late now in Berlin. Sincerely, Ami

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From: ["Minyon Moore"](mailto:Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com) <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com>

To: ["John Podesta"](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/21/2015 5:58:30 PM

Subject: RE: You in DC tomorrow?

Madison Hotel on 15th M. Can meet there. Or if there is a coffee shop you frequent in your neighborhood. 12:30, 1, 2pm. Day is open until 7pm.

Minyon/m

----- Original message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/21/2015 7:43 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com>

Subject: Re: You in DC tomorrow?

I'm best early afternoon. I can come to you. Place and time?

On Saturday, November 21, 2015, Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com> wrote:

Yes I am here. Any time or place

Minyon/m

----- Original message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/21/2015 6:33 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com>

Subject: You in DC tomorrow?

Grab a cup of coffee?

From: ["Cheri Bustos" <admin@cheribustos.com>](mailto:admin@cheribustos.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 4/30/2013 3:53:30 PM
Subject: You guys are great!



John --

You guys are great! Since this morning, we've cut our fundraising gap in half.

Unfortunately, we're still \$600 away from our grassroots goal and there are only 6 hours before our midnight fundraising deadline. **Can I count on you to push us over the top?**

[Chip in \\$10 or whatever you can before our midnight deadline >>](#)

Thanks so much,

Cheri

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To: "big campaign" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>
blog-cabal@googlegroups.com

Date: 10/29/2008 2:12:22 PM

Subject: [big campaign] Tracking Update: Palin Rally in Jeffersonville, IN 10/29/08

Hello All,
Unfortunately we weren't able to send a tracker to this event. But good news: we were able to capture the event via online-streaming video. Below are the notes from that effort.

Big Highlights

- Suggests Obama's tax increase plans will dash your dreams
- Refers to Obama as 'Barack the wealth-spreader,' characterizes him as someone who will stifle America's best qualities and punish work ethic
- Instead of saying no, no, no to domestic solutions, we'll say yes, yes, yes
- Joe Biden told a voter on a rope line recently that clean coal can work in China, but not here. No - we will develop that clean coal tech
- John and I have a vision of America where every innocent life counts

Jeffersonville, IN: Palin Rally 10/29/08
(Disclaimer: The following are notes, not direct quotes. If you'd like a quotable transcript or video of any part below, please email us.)

Speech Highlights

- We will help secure our elders
- We're gonna help all our college students to be able to afford to pay for college
- We will help our families afford health care
- As a mayor, I eliminated several key taxes
- After "will you hire us?" – extraordinarily long applause, followed by chants of "Sarah!"
- You betcha - it's drill baby, drill and it's mine baby, mine
- Refers to an audience member's sign: "I'm extra-special just like trig." Says it's positive.
- Best of America is in the people who toil and fight in wars for us
- Since he's not here tonight, I'm going to say this for my running mate, John McCain is the only man who has or will fight for you

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Jacob Roberts
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208.420.3470 (c)

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To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

["Ian Mandel" <ian@progressiveaccountability.org>](mailto:ian@progressiveaccountability.org)

Date: 7/18/2008 9:46:13 AM

Subject: [big campaign] IE Watch 7/18

** Note: The Humane Society Legislative Fund filed 336 IEs for staff time in House and Senate races today. Clearly, this is too many to list here, but if you're interested in additional information, you can get it [here](#)

NARAL:

- \$2,565.12 for direct mail production (Adams, Hussey & Assoc) on 7/18 in support of Obama
- \$457.08 for direct mail production (Adams, Hussey & Assoc.) on 7/18 in support of Obama
- \$7,252.38 for list rental (NARAL) on 7/18 in opposition to McCain
- \$18.48 for list rental (NARAL) on 7/18 in support of Obama
- \$0.96 for list rental (NARAL) on 7/17 in support of Obama
- \$28.37 for list rental (NARAL) on 7/17 in support of Obama
- \$28.38 for list rental (NARAL) on 7/17 in opposition to McCain

LCV:

- \$25,000 for estimated expense for paid canvassers (LCV Victory Fund) on 7/15 in support of Mark Udall (CO-Senate)

MoveOn:

- \$2,036.30 for bumper stickers (Fine Designs) on 7/16 in opposition to McCain
- \$16,346.41 for bumper stickers (Fine Designs) on 7/17 in support of Obama
- \$20,000 for web ads (MSHC) on 7/17 in support of Obama
- \$1,000 for button design (Print Liberation) on 7/16 in support of Obama
- \$81.52 for website URLs (Go Daddy) on 7/17 in support of Obama

Defenders of Wildlife:

- \$12.31 for salary (Jessica Brand) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$1,600 for salary (Liam Flynn) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$272.21 for campaign t-shirts (Focus Ink) on 7/11 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$1,120 for salary (David Kirk) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$22.62 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 7/13 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$17.40 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 7/14 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$18.56 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$28.62 for salary (Wil Lutz) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$1,600 for salary (Brian McGann) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$12.80 for campaign car wash (Octopus Car Wash) on 7/11 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$54.73 for pizza for volunteers (Papa John's Pizza) on 7/11 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$16.58 for mileage (Maggie Raiken) on 7/13 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$13.51 for mileage (Maggie Raiken) on 7/14 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$14.74 for mileage (Maggie Raiken) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$2,560 for salary (Joshua Sabato) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$74.70 for paper (Staples) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$2,560 for salary (Ed Yoon) on 7/15 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$22.23 for mileage (Ed Yoon) on 7/11 in opposition to Steve Pearce (NM-Senate)
- \$1,920 for salary (Greg Gordon) on 7/15 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$1,120 for salary (David Kirk) on 7/15 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$3,840 for salary (Rhey Lee) on 7/15 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$277.91 for printer (Office Depot) on 7/12 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$414.01 for printer and furniture (Office Max) on 7/16 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$659.96 for housing (Peak View) on 7/11 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$314.76 for supplies (Target) on 7/15 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)

- \$4,179 for rent (VM Holding LLC) on 7/16 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$2,560 for salary (Ed Yoon) on 7/15 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)
- \$315.90 for mileage (Ed Yoon) on 7/15 in opposition to Marilyn Musgrave (CO-04)

Human Rights Campaign:

- \$1,812 for magazine photo agency (Corbis) on 7/15 in support of Obama
- \$241 for magazine photo agency (Corbis) on 7/15 in support of Obama
- \$968.16 for staff copy editing and design (HRC) on 7/15 in support of Obama
- \$322.72 for staff copy editing and design (HRC) on 7/15 in opposition to McCain
- \$225.62 for magazine pre-production (OmniStudio) on 7/15 in support of Obama
- \$75.21 for magazine pre-production (OmniStudio) on 7/15 in opposition to McCain
- \$4,467.26 for magazine printing (RR Donnelley) on 7/15 in support of Obama
 - \$1,489.08 for magazine printing (RR Donnelley) on 7/15 in opposition to McCain
- \$2,662.34 for postage (USPS) on 7/15 in support of Obama
- \$887.44 for postage (USPS) on 7/15 in opposition to McCain

EMILY's List:

- \$12,210.55 for mail (Petel & Company) on 7/17 in support of Joan Fitz-Gerald (CO-02)
- \$5,661.25 for postage (Petel & Company) on 7/17 in support of Joan Fitz-Gerald (CO-02)

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To: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 6/8/2015 4:45:08 AM
Subject: Re: NEA

Why don't I do the meeting, but someone should sit in the interview. Are you here? Nick with her?

On Monday, June 8, 2015, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi John

NEA just called and wanted to know if you'd be interested in meeting with John Stocks and some of his team while HRC does her interview. They made it clear its whatever you want to do. If you prefer to be in the interview room that's good with them. If you are interested in meeting their team they would be happy to set that up. Just wanted to pose that to you before arriving. Let me know if you'd like me to get back to them.

Thanks and see you soon!
Nikki

Sent from my iPhone

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>
Date: 5/16/2015 2:37:42 AM
Subject: Re: Fwd: 4th Annual Podesta Family Pig Roast

The first two were in 03 and 04 and the 3rd was an extravaganza for Gabe's departure from Andrews. As you can see from invite they are not so annual. You coming?

PS How come I have completely fallen out of the disclosure loop?

On May 15, 2015 10:50 PM, "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> wrote:
If this is the fourth annual pig roast....how come this is the first time I have been invited?

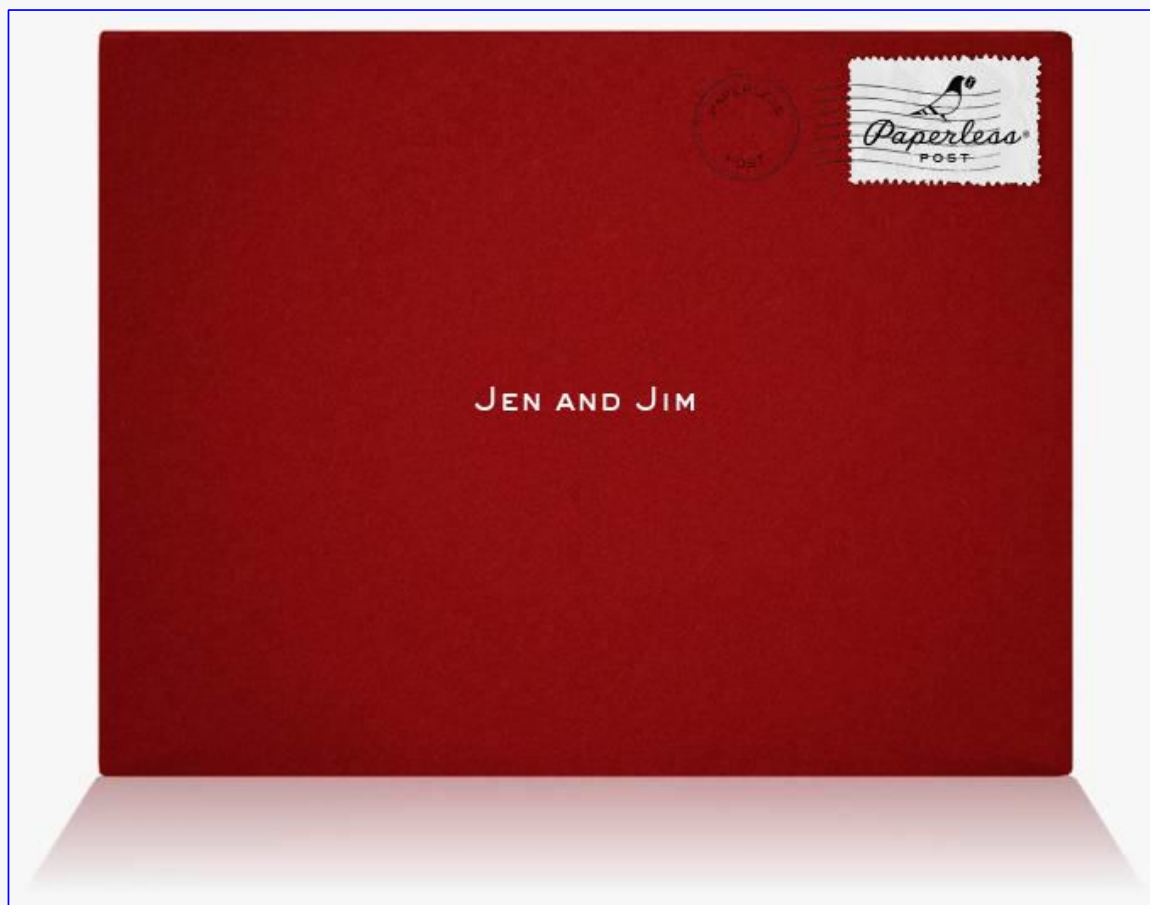
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From: Podesta Family <paperlesspost@paperlesspost.com>
Date: May 15, 2015 at 8:10:29 PM CDT
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 6/14/2015 10:44:42 AM
Subject: Re: You talked with Dennis right?

Lovely.

I emailed Simas apologizing for not giving him a heads up on today and he hasn't responded.

On Jun 14, 2015, at 5:43 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Yes. In advance
They're quite pissed.

On Jun 14, 2015 5:10 PM, "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

From: ["Steve C. Bachar" <Steve.Bachar@moyewhite.com>](mailto:Steve.Bachar@moyewhite.com)
To: ["John D. Podesta \(john.podesta@gmail.com\)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.D.Podesta@gmail.com)
ARenteria@hillaryclinton.com
Date: 8/28/2015 1:30:23 PM
Subject: biden calls

prominent dem consultants in the West are getting calls from Richetti asking them to be regional coords/ consultants.

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From: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

To: H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com>

Date: 6/16/2015 5:22:28 PM

Subject: Re: Contract update

I think we worked out a solution--we're going to offer Mandy and Dixon the same deal (which is still 500k less each than Dixon got in 12). She can make ads if she wants.

Mandy is still going to go CRAZY about the amount of compensation, but I think we hold the line on that.

They're all going to be able to buy nice houses when this is over!

On Tue, Jun 16, 2015 at 9:36 PM, H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

I thought in Obama 2012 media makers only paid if their ad tested well.

> On Jun 16, 2015, at 8:52 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Seeing if we can build that in. Question is how she is then

> compensated...figuring that out.

> John, you should have become a media consultant...you could have more houses.

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>> On Jun 16, 2015, at 8:21 PM, H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

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>> Thx for the heads up, I think she should be able to produce ads to be tested in the future as an add on to the contract. If they work, all to the good; if not, no promises.

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>>> On Jun 16, 2015, at 6:22 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>>> We are moving along nicely with contracts. Margolis is done.

>>> Benenson is done, which is key because we now have a rate card for the

>>> other pollsters.

>>> The toughest remaining contact is Mandy. She wants significantly more

>>> money and is upset that we don't have her producing ads, only helping

>>> to write scripts.

>>> I'm almost certain she will be calling you, Madame Secretary. John,

>>> she may call you as well. Elias said that she has repeatedly

>>> circumvented negotiations on senate races to get higher rates.

>>> As we have discussed, it would be ideal if you could just direct her

>>> back to Charlie. She appealed to me today and I directed her back to

>>> Charlie, which is why I'm flagging.

>>> Let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss further.

>>> Best,

>>> Robby

From: ["David Luban" <luband@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:luband@law.georgetown.edu)

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Date: 11/4/2014 7:39:36 AM

Subject: a bit of mean-spirited fun

'The Book of my Enemy Has Been Remaindered'

Cliv e James

The book of my enemy has been remaindered
And I am pleased.
In vast quantities it has been remaindered
Like a van-load of counterfeit that has been seized
And sits in piles in a police warehouse,
My enemy's much-prized effort sits in piles
In the kind of bookshop where remaindering occurs.
Great, square stacks of rejected books and, between them, aisles
One passes down reflecting on life's vanities,
Pausing to remember all those thoughtful reviews
Lavished to no avail upon one's enemy's book --
For behold, here is that book
Among these ranks and banks of duds,
These ponderous and seemingly irreducible cairns
Of complete stiff.

The book of my enemy has been remaindered
And I rejoice.
It has gone with bowed head like a defeated legion
Beneath the yoke.
What avail him now his awards and prizes,
The praise expended upon his meticulous technique,
His individual new voice?
Knocked into the middle of next week
His brainchild now consorts with the bad buys
The sinkers, clinkers, dogs and dregs,
The Edsels of the world of moveable type,
The bummers that no amount of hype could shift,
The unbudgeable turkeys.

Yea, his slim volume with its understated wrapper
Bathes in the blare of the brightly jacketed Hitler's War Machine,
His unmistakably individual new voice
Shares the same scrapyard with a forlorn skyscraper
Of The Kung-Fu Cookbook,
His honesty, proclaimed by himself and believed by others,
His renowned abhorrence of all posturing and pretense,
Is there with Pertwee's Promenades and Pierrots--
One Hundred Years of Seaside Entertainment,
And (oh, this above all) his sensibility,
His sensibility and its hair-like filaments,
His delicate, quivering sensibility is now as one
With Barbara Windsor's Book of Boobs,
A volume graced by the descriptive rubric
"My boobs will give everyone hours of fun".

Soon now a book of mine could be remaindered also,
Though not to the monumental extent
In which the chastisement of remaindering has been meted out
To the book of my enemy,
Since in the case of my own book it will be due
To a miscalculated print run, a marketing error--
Nothing to do with merit.
But just supposing that such an event should hold
Some slight element of sadness, it will be offset
By the memory of this sweet moment.
Chill the champagne and polish the crystal goblets!
The book of my enemy has been remaindered

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And I am glad.

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Date: 7/28/2015 8:48:11 AM

Subject: Updated Invitation: NH/IA Poll Briefings @ Thu Jul 30, 2015 10am - 12pm
(john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

This event has been changed.

NH/IA Poll Briefings

[more details »](#)

Changed: NH Poll Briefing: 10:00-11:00 AM

IA Poll Briefing: 11:00- 12:00 PM

Changed: Thu Jul 30, 2015 10am – 12pm Eastern Time

When

NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa / 718-441-3763, no pin ([map](#))

Where

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Date: 6/15/2015 7:20:22 AM
Subject: Re: Wed night

It would be great to see them! One caveat - I MAY have my boss with me... Not sure if he is coming yet - he is a VA dem, dad was president of the VA Bar, friends with Tim Heaphy (former Asst. AG for the WDVA - married to shinseki's daughter...)

Would that be too weird? (And again, not even sure if he is coming - we have tons of filings over the course of the next week!)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 15, 2015, at 2:10 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Can you come to the house? Mae and Gabe are in town as well.

On Monday, June 15, 2015, Larissa <larissalpcs@gmail.com> wrote:

John - I left message on your home phone too, but it cut me off, so I'm not sure that you received it.

Apparently you will be at McGuireWoods' DC office Wednesday for a Hilary event... Andrew and I were planning on attending, and wanted to see if you were available to grab a bite/have a quick visit after.

Hope all well!

Larissa

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Stefanie Conahan" <stefanie@kirstengillibrand.com>](mailto:stefanie@kirstengillibrand.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 4/22/2010 5:57:30 AM

Subject: Campaign Update and Strategy Call with Jess Fassler

Dear John,

Please join us for a call next Monday, April 26th at 2:30 pm EDT with Jess Fassler. We'd like to provide a campaign update and get your thoughts on our efforts moving forward. Please email Val Delp at val@kirstengillibrand.com if you are able to join the call and we will provide call-in details.

Below is a recent article that we thought you would be interested in seeing.

Many thanks,

Stefanie Conahan & Jennifer Frost

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Susan Estrich: Why Sen. Gillibrand is a woman to watch

Opinion - syndicated columns - April 8, 2010

The Rev. Al Sharpton says she must have "mystical powers" - or the best luck anyone has ever seen.

But if you ask me, there's nothing mystical about it. As for luck, if Kirsten Gillibrand has proved one thing during her brief tenure in the United States Senate, it is that you make your luck.

The woman whose selection to replace Hillary Clinton in the United States Senate last year brought mostly questions - as in "Who's that?" - is now the far-and-away frontrunner to win that seat in her own right come November. One after another, big shots and better-known would-be candidates have looked at the race, some very publicly, before deciding not to run.

New York Rep. Carolyn Maloney, advised by ace political adviser Joe Trippi, declined, much to Trippi's publicly stated dismay. He told The New York Times that he thought Maloney could win. Obviously, she didn't agree.

Former Tennessee congressman and Senate candidate Harold Ford Jr., urged on by his new colleagues on Wall Street, conducted a much-publicized listening tour before heading back to Wall Street.

Billionaire publisher Mort Zuckerman and former Bush adviser Dan Senor both considered entering the race. Senor was serious enough that there were repeated stories in the press about how his candidacy might affect his anchorwoman wife, Campbell Brown. Both eventually said no.

What is it about Kirsten Gillibrand? The obvious answers don't quite explain it.

Sure, she has powerful allies, including New York's senior Sen. Chuck Schumer and President Barack Obama. But at a time when most people view Washington as the swamp it once was, powerful friends in D.C. are as much a target as they are a strength.

Sure, she has a base in upstate New York. But if you can name the last New York senator who called upstate home, you have a much better memory than I do.

Sure, she has \$5.1 million in her campaign account. But frankly, New York is full of wealthy men and women who, if they wanted to run for Senate, could write a check to their campaigns for many times that and not miss a beat.

So what could it be?

For all the talk about the burdens of running for office - the loss of privacy, the incivility, the sheer nastiness of the game - Senate seats in big states rarely go wanting. Senators from New York get a lot of attention, which is almost surely one of the reasons the job looked so attractive to Hillary Clinton. And as Schumer demonstrated for years, the easy commute means you don't even have to uproot your family. No, it's not that the job has suddenly become unattractive. If it had, you wouldn't see so many big shots studying it, considering it, publicly weighing an entry into the race.

The answer seems obvious to me. The reason everyone from Maloney to Senor to Ford to Zuckerman to former New York Gov. George Pataki has decided to just say no is because they know something that anyone who pays close attention to Gillibrand learns very quickly: This woman is a winner.

But foremost, she is everything a senator should be: smart, honest, capable and competent. She works as hard as any politician I've ever seen - and most of them don't have two small children. She does her homework, knows how to work across the aisle, picks her fights and stands her ground. She listens. She is only going to get better. In short, she has the right stuff.

The reason she has only token opposition is because the big names who might have entered the race know that whatever her numbers are today - many in New York still don't know much about her or know her at all - by Election Day, voters will know her and like her. As my mother used to say, what's not to like? She is a woman with the right stuff, and the fact that she has a strong and loyal group of women supporting her is no more than a reflection of just that.

Mark my words: Kirsten Gillibrand is a woman to watch, not only in November, but in the years ahead.

<http://rocnow.com/article/opinion-syndicated-columns/20104070368>

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Subject:	The Sandler Way: Where Big Philanthropy Meets the Art of Common Sense - Inside Philanthropy: Fundraising Intelligence - Inside Philanthropy

The link is to a just published article in Inside Philanthropy about the Sandler Foundation in which your organization of this email is mentioned or because you are likely to be interested.

<http://www.insidephilanthropy.com/home/2015/1/27/the-sandler-way-where-big-philanthropy-meets-the-art-of-comm.html>

From: "Kirsten Gillibrand" <kg@kirstengillibrand.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/15/2010 6:27:30 AM

Subject: six

Dear John,

Last night, Republicans nominated former Congressman Joe DioGuardi to be my opponent on November 2. The voters' choice is clear now: do we want to move forward or turn back the clock?

Well, I haven't been in Washington long, but it didn't take long to realize Washington needs to change.

From working to repeal "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" to fighting for health care reform, I'm proud to work with you to push New York - and our country - in the right direction. However, with just six weeks until Election Day, I need your help to ensure we can keep this fight going.

Please make a donation today and help me reach my goal of raising \$125,000 before the critical September 30 filing deadline.

[Click here to rush a donation of \\$500 or more to my campaign so I can answer my opponent's attacks. I need to raise \\$125,000 by the September 30 deadline -- just two weeks away.](#)

I'm counting on you to be here with me all the way through Election Day, and I'm so thankful to you for standing up with me now.

Sincerely,
Kirsten Gillibrand

Contribute

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Date: 10/9/2008 9:15:23 PM

Subject: another document for today

Apologies for the late circulation of this memo. This is the draft ethics memo that we'll be discussing in the afternoon. We will also have paper copies available.

This memorandum sets out the requirements for the Transition's recruitment and use of personnel in the employ of government agencies and private sector organizations.

Executive Branch Employees

1. Executive branch employees may be "detailed" to the Transition with the consent of the head of their agency. These employees continue to receive their regular salary and benefits, but the Transition is required to reimburse their agencies for their services.

2. Other executive branch employees - "non-detailees" - may volunteer to work on the Transition during their own time, subject to the usual executive branch ethics rules governing outside activities. An executive branch employee who wants to volunteer must consult with his and her agency ethics officer to identify and satisfactorily address the relevant

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ethical and legal requirements. In addition, no such employee may commence work with the Transition until the transition legal team has reviewed and approved appropriate documentation that these requirements have been satisfied.

Congressional Staff

1. It is generally the policy of the Transition that Congressional staff will not serve as volunteers, or as paid, "detailed" personnel, in the Transition, subject to exceptions where it is determined that the particular experience or skills possessed by a staff member would significantly contribute to the successful achievement of the Transition's objectives. All such decisions will be made on a case-by-case basis and should be submitted to the Transition legal team for review and approval.

2. Congressional staff who are approved for service to the Transition but who remain on the congressional payroll may work on the Transition during business hours, provided that they are working on matters related to their legislative responsibilities (i.e., "legislative matters") and that they have the approval of the Member of Congress for whom they work. The employing Member of Congress must determine whether an employee's proposed Transition work is within his or her legislative duties. All such determinations must be submitted in writing to the Transition legal team, and no staff member may commence work with the Transition until the transition legal team has reviewed appropriate documentation of this approval.

3. Congressional staff may also work for the Transition as "detailees." A detailed congressional staffer works under the direction and supervision of Transition personnel, and the Transition must reimburse the appropriate congressional payroll office for that staffer's salary. All proposed "detail" arrangements must be submitted to the Transition legal team for review and approval.

4. Congressional staff working on Transition matters with the requisite approvals may work on Transition-related matters full or part-time, either at their congressional office or the Transition offices.

Private Sector

1. Private sector employees who work for corporations, partnerships, or other entities and self-employed people may work for the Transition on a volunteer or paid basis in compliance with the Transition code of conduct. In many instances these people will be asked to volunteer, in order to conserve the Transition's funds. Those who volunteer, however, must do so on vacation time, on leave granted pursuant to established leave policies, or otherwise on their own time and not the time of their employer: the Transition does not accept in-kind support from corporations or other business entities, including partnerships. All vacation time and leave arrangements must be documented and provided to the Transition legal team prior to commencement of work with the Transition.

2. The terms of this section also apply to persons employed by academic institutions, whether private or public.

3. The rules for participation by private sector employees apply to profit and non-profit organizations.

State and Local Government Employees

Neither federal law nor the rules of the Transition place any special restrictions on employees of state or local governments who wish to work for the Transition on either a volunteer or paid basis. However, state and local governments may themselves have rules governing dual compensation and potential conflicts of interest. As such, state or local government employees must submit to the appropriate state and local government ethics officer, for review and documented approval, all requests or plans to work for the Transition, on a volunteer or paid basis, and all such approvals when received must be submitted to the Transition legal team for review and final approval.

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Date: 4/20/2015 3:03:25 PM
Subject: How did Charlie Rose go?

You killed in the excerpts I've seen

Sent from my iPhone

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Subject:	Marty Cargas (international or commercial trade)
Attachments:	MDC Resume 11.16.doc Cover[1].doc

Dear John,

Another great resume--

Marty Cargas: International Government and Corporate Affairs Executive with ANHEUSER-BUSCH International.

Best,
Alice Madden

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Date: 6/4/2015 4:19:49 AM

Subject: Josh Rogin is like doing statement/response for the RNC

<http://www.bloombergview.com/articles/2015-06-03/why-hillary-can-t-run-on-her-state-department-record>

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Date: 10/24/2013 9:32:51 AM
Subject: Alec Ross, Oxford Internet Institute
Attachments: Alec Ross Final.pdf
Oxford Internet Institute Honours Internet Pioneers.pdf

Alec Ross has asked me to pass on the attached release announcing the OII Internet and Society Award which we will be making to him and others at a gala event here in Oxford at Balliol College on Friday November 8th. I've also attached a note about the awards and other winners.

We still have a few places for the reception and dinner so if you would like to join Alec and our guests we would be delighted to welcome you. Details are available at <http://blogs.oii.ox.ac.uk/oiiawards/> and if you would like to come, please let me know.

With best wishes
Jennifer

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To: DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>

Date: 7/10/2015 2:36:11 PM

Subject: Re: WJC / Greece / Merkel

Thank you. We'll try Merkel tomorrow morning from Srebrenica given the time difference.

> On Jul 10, 2015, at 5:18 PM, DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

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> Thanks, Jon and Ami.

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> We would welcome a nudge to the Chancellor in the way you suggest. Please.

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> Thanks - and have a good trip this weekend. We are grateful to be so well represented -

> DM

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Jon Davidson [mailto:Jon@presidentclinton.com]

> Sent: Friday, July 10, 2015 4:42 PM

> To: Amitabh Desai; DMCOS

> Cc: John Podesta; Tina Flournoy; Wang, Ya W. EOP

> Subject: Re: WJC / Greece / Merkel

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> + Denis/Jenny

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> Denis,

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> John suggested emailing you - on the heels of your talk with WJC about PM Tsipras - to also let you know that we've been in close touch with Merkel's folks this week in advance of WJC's Bosnia visit and given Merkel's visit to Bosnia earlier this week - so it would be an innocuous and easy lift - if a nudge to Merkel is needed - to have WJC call Merkel on basis of checking in for guidance on Bosnia and then casually asking her about Greece on the back end. Just in case helpful. Although it's getting late now in Berlin. Sincerely, Ami

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Subject:	*Friends and Allies Talking Points: GOP Debate and Counterterrorism*
Attachments:	12_15_2015 DRAFT POST Debate TPs FINAL.pdf FINAL Homeland Security TPs (1).pdf

Hi Friends,

We wanted to share the two attached documents that we thought would be helpful.

- Updated talking points from Hillary Clinton's speech on Counterterrorism today in Minnesota
- Talking points following the 5th GOP Debate

Please let me know if you're going out on TV or radio tomorrow to discuss either.

Best,
Alex

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Date: 10/22/2015 12:29:46 PM

Subject: DRAFT: Women's Leadership Forum remarks

Attachments: 2015-10-22 draft Womens Leadership Forum 730pm.docx

Hi all -- this is for tomorrow morning. It really can't be longer than this (there are a million speakers) so please keep that in mind as you read.

If you could send me edits asap, I can get them into the book. Otherwise, send edits anytime tonight and I'll get them into the final.

Thanks!

10/18/2016

On Oct 3, 2015, at 2:15 AM, christopher.kirchhoff@gmail.com wrote:

We are 50 meters out of the shoot on the left, up against a barn.

On Oct 3, 2015, at 02:04, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com> wrote:

We're parked near the creamery. Van 2, you nearby?

On Sat, Oct 3, 2015 at 1:49 AM Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com> wrote:

John starting final leg at 1:48.

On Sat, Oct 3, 2015 at 12:00 AM Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com> wrote:

Thank you Eryn! Deese started his leg at 11:51.

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 11:34 PM John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

We are about 1:30 off so should be at the creamery around 2:30.

On Friday, October 2, 2015, <christopher.kirchhoff@gmail.com> wrote:

Eryn -- Gabe has arrived and handed off. Van 2 is en route to the diner. Come join us if you need a bite!

On Oct 2, 2015, at 20:04, Emily Wu <emily.s.wu@gmail.com> wrote:

Gabe could be here by 815 so come on over! John Chris Vivek Dustin and I are inside the front entrance

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 7:29 PM, Vivek Viswanathan <vivek.viswanathan@gmail.com> wrote:

Emily crushed it -- got in 5 min. ago -- now driving over to the school.

On Friday, October 2, 2015, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Let us know when Emily is in.

On Oct 2, 2015 6:02 PM, "Dustin Kouba" <dustinkouba@gmail.com> wrote:

Chris killed it and made up a few more minutes. We're now only 5 minutes off the projected pace. Emily has the bracelet and were on our way to the next exchange.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 5:00 PM, Gabe Podesta <gpodesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Not surprisingly, Vivek crushed it. Surprisingly, we learned that Tony is 50! And he is in the process of crushing it.

But seriously--50?!?! Would anyone have guessed that?

On Friday, October 2, 2015, <christopher.kirchhoff@gmail.com> wrote:

Kouba made 22 kills and made up a few minutes of time.

Vivek is charging up a monster, monster hill.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 15:14, Tamara Fucile <fucilet@yahoo.com> wrote:

Go Team TBD!!

<image1.JPG>

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 2:16 PM, Larissa <larissalpcs@gmail.com> wrote:

Van 2 is there in a blue van. We are en route. John is running

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 2:10 PM, Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

I'll be at exchange 6 in 15 mins. Where y'all at? I'm in a blue CRV with a "0.0 I don't run" sticker.

Eryn M. Sepp
Cell: [818-456-2881](tel:818-456-2881)

On Oct 2, 2015, at 2:05 PM, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com> wrote:

John is on leg 6 at 1:52, ETA is 2:43.

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 12:28 PM Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

I'm leaving Gaithersburg now for exchange 6. Making a Subway run in 30 mins if anyone wants anything.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 12:25 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

About 10 minutes to finish leg 3. Pete is kicking ass.

On Oct 2, 2015 12:20 PM, "Dustin Kouba" <dustinkouba@gmail.com > wrote:
Van 2 is North of Frederick.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 12:03 PM, Bridget Ansel <bridgetansel@gmail.com > wrote:

Peter is killing it up the mountain!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 10:58 AM, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com > wrote:

Tattoos have been applied.
<IMG_7608.JPG><IMG_7610.JPG>

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 10:47 AM Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com > wrote:
Don't feel bad Tamara. I think that's the third year in a row that signage hasn't been ideal on Leg 1. I'll speak to the race coordinator when I see him today at Exchange 6.

Abbey says good luck everyone!



On Oct 2, 2015, at 10:39 AM, Tamara Fucile <fucilet@yahoo.com > wrote:

Ack! I got lost for about a mile. So added a little bit of time to our relay. Whoops. But Larissa is now off.

Rain is starting to pick up.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 9:50 AM, Larissa <larissalpcs@gmail.com> wrote:

It's chilly folks - van 2 - may want to bundle up!!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 9:32 AM, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com> wrote:

Tamara is off and running.
On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 8:10 AM Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com> wrote:
Hello!

Van 1 is on our way up about 45 minutes out to the start.

Stay dry, and see you folks

at the
handoff!

-Peter

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From: "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Oren Shur" <oshur@hillaryclinton.com>
"Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 9/28/2015 7:19:49 AM

Subject: Re: short version - message graph (we can 3rd person this)

thanks!!

Milia - pls format in large font / one 1 page - email Chicago team to print for JDP tonight, Young Professionals!

On Mon, Sep 28, 2015 at 2:05 PM, Oren Shur <oshur@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Shorter version: I'm running because we need a president who will get up every day to fight for you and your family – and get things done that make a real difference in your life. For too long Republicans have stacked the deck for those at the top and the big corporations. I'll fight to change that and make sure when you do the work, you see the reward. I'll focus every day on making a real difference for you and your family – and I'll keep fighting so you have more opportunities to get ahead and stay ahead. Because your fights are my fights.

From: "Foot Locker" <Footlocker@e.footlocker.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/2/2016 7:34:57 PM

Subject: Releasing tomorrow: men's Chuck Taylor II, and Nike womens' styles

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From: ["The Nature Conservancy" <member@nature.org>](mailto:member@nature.org)

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 8/17/2014 3:15:01 AM

Subject: Thank You for Inspiring Youth in Nature

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Wishing you many beautiful summer nights under the stars,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brigitte".

Brigitte Griswold



For 20 years, the LEAF program has provided high school students with life-changing experiences at nature preserves across the country.

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Director of Youth Programs
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p.s. Over 30 percent of surveyed LEAF alumni go on to pursue environmental career paths. [Read about former LEAF interns](#) who have been forever changed by their summers with the Conservancy.

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"Jill Alper \ (JAlper@deweysquare.com)" <JAlper@deweysquare.com>
john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/18/2013 8:00:09 PM

Subject: FW: Updated Online Ad video draft

Thoughts on this. Would be launched on line in conjunction with our 1 millionth supporter (probably next week).

From: Adam Parkhomenko [mailto:adam.j.parkhomenko@gmail.com]

Sent: Wednesday, September 18, 2013 10:54 PM

To: Craig Smith

Subject: Updated Online Ad video draft

<https://vimeo.com/74851046>

password: ready

From: ["Teresa Amott" <tamott@knox.edu>](mailto:tamott@knox.edu)
To: ["Trustees at Knox" <trustees@knox.edu>](mailto:trustees@knox.edu)
Date: 12/8/2014 5:13:36 AM
Subject: Good news

Dear Trustees,

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Best,

Teresa

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To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/3/2014 10:54:37 AM

Subject: Talk tomorrow night your time?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryl.sepp@gmail.com

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Kathryn Greenberg" <kgreenberg@democracyalliance.org>](mailto:kgreenberg@democracyalliance.org)
Date: 4/14/2008 2:34:00 PM
Subject: Re: call with Kelly Craighead

Can we do around 9:15 in the am?

On 4/14/08, Kathryn Greenberg <kgreenberg@democracyalliance.org> wrote:

> Hi John - Kelly and I were hoping we might be able to steal 10 minutes
> from you today to talk about the Democracy Alliance conference content
> overall and any potential concerns you might have. Obviously time is of
> the essence, if you could do this today that would be extremely helpful.
> Thank you!

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> Kathryn Greenberg

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From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 12/11/2015 8:45:40 AM
Subject: Re: Cherry Blossom 10 Miler?

Sure thing. I'll make sure they're still open. They may have 10 already.

Eryn M. Sepp
Cell: 818-456-2881

On Dec 11, 2015, at 3:39 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Can you sign me up for the ninja team.

On Friday, December 11, 2015, Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:
Any thoughts on Cherry Blossom John? Lottery closes at midnight tonight.

Eryn M. Sepp
Cell: 818-456-2881

> On Dec 10, 2015, at 3:43 PM, Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Hi John--

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> Any interest in the Cherry Blossom 10 miler this next year? We're looking at Sunday April 3rd, 7:30 am. The lottery closes tomorrow night at midnight. Not sure if you had signed yourself up yet or not.

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> If you want to race, would you like to enter the lottery as an individual or with the Progressive Ninjas? Satter just set up a team.

>

> Your time last year was 1:30:53 at a 9:05 pace. Is that what you want to use again? Faster? Slower?

>

> Put it on the AMEX? Or a different one?

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> Thanks,

> Eryn

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> Eryn M. Sepp

> Cell: 818-456-2881

From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)
To: ["Fran Shapiro" <fran@mercedesberk.com>](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)
Date: 1/13/2016 3:01:16 PM
Subject: Re: Sunday: Two Showings booked (11 a.m. - noon)

Hong Kong

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 13, 2016, at 8:55 PM, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

Hi

We would like to hold an open house 11-12:30 on Sunday (already have appts 11-12 anyway).

Thanks

Fran

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On Tue, Jan 12, 2016 at 6:56 PM, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Hong Kong

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On Jan 13, 2016, at 1:52 AM, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

I'll pop up a few minutes before for lights and shades. Will you be in town?

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On Jan 11, 2016, at 2:52 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

That works too

On Monday, January 11, 2016, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

Thanks - it's actually SUN. Broker asked for wrong date at 1st.

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On Jan 11, 2016, at 2:16 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure

On Monday, January 11, 2016, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

Hello

May we confirm?

Thanks

Fran

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/3/2016 5:36:42 PM

Subject: Re: Talking

You can call anytime at 510-710-8269 (cell).

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 3, 2016, at 4:15 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Didn't get the text

On Wednesday, February 3, 2016, Nat Simons Elan <NSimons@elanmgmt.com> wrote:

Hi John,

I just texted you, but I wanted to follow it up with a quick email. Do you have any time over the next day or two for a five minute conversation?

Nat

From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)
Date: 8/3/2015 1:53:00 PM
Subject: Fwd: The Huys Condominium Meet and Greet

Celebrate

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Helen Mavromoustakos <hmavrom@halstead.com>
Date: August 4, 2015 at 12:13:07 AM GMT+10
To: Belmont LLC <podesta@podesta.com>
Subject: The Huys Condominium Meet and Greet
Reply-To: Helen Mavromoustakos <hmavrom@halstead.com>

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From: [Withings <community@email.withings.com>](mailto:community@email.withings.com)

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Date: 3/16/2016 3:34:44 PM

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/3/2009 3:26:25 AM

Subject: RE: NEC/Communications Role

John this is a follow-up to you meeting with Dan and Elissa last week. I wanted to pass it on and see if you wanted to do anything with it or if there is someone else she should talk to.

Hi Mary Pat –

As you know, I'm dying to get down to DC and start working "officially" to advance the President's agenda.

As I mentioned over the phone, an interesting opportunity has come up recently. The NEC is looking to create/fill a communications role, and it is a strikingly ideal fit for my interests and training. I met with Marne Levine, Brian Deese, and Ellen Moran on Friday to discuss it. The role they have described draws on my diverse and fairly unique background in global markets, bankruptcy litigation, and political and financial journalism. I am steeped in the substance of their work and understand the communications piece, which I know is an unusual combination that I believe they have recognized, despite the fact that I'm a bit off the beaten political communications path. I am confident that I could make substantive contributions to their team and I want to be sure that I emphasize this in the right way. I would love to hear John's thoughts and suggestions on this and everything else.

Thanks again so much, Mary Pat. I hope things go well this week in Miami.
Elissa

ps - I've reattached my resume for convenience.

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 6/2/2015 8:17:30 AM

Subject: Knox '11 grad wants to help!

Attachments: Claire Anderson Resume June 2015.pdf

Hi John, my name is Claire Anderson. I work for a management consulting firm based in Chicago that does work with state government agencies, and I'm a proud 2011 Knox grad (go Prairie Fire!).

I'm sending you a note because I'm passionate about Hillary's run for the presidency and want to contribute to the campaign in a meaningful, substantial way. I've submitted an application via the campaign site, but in my urgency to get involved, I want to send my resume (attached) to you directly.

I'm curious to hear what your team may be looking for right now, and very much appreciate any time and guidance you may have to offer.

If an endorsement from a fellow alum counts, Roger T. said to tell you he vouches for me.

Thanks, John. Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Claire Anderson

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Date:	7/1/2015 8:52:06 AM
Subject:	Invitation: Brainstorming Session @ Thu Jul 9, 2015 4:30pm - 5:30pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

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Thu Jul 9, 2015 4:30pm – 5:30pm Eastern Time

Where

NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa / 718-766-5165 ([map](#))

Video call

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- re47@hillaryclinton.com - organizer
- Kate Offerdahl - creator
- Lauren Peterson
- Jenna Lowenstein
- Teddy Goff
- Katie Dowd
- Marlon Marshall
- Jennifer Palmieri
- Kristina Schake
- John Podesta

Going?

[Yes](#) - [Maybe](#) - [No](#) [more options »](#)

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From: ["Froman, Michael B" <fromanm@citi.com>](mailto:fromanm@citi.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 8/15/2008 4:59:52 AM
Subject: Jim Hamilton

John --

Cassandra and I spoke with Jim Hamilton and one of his colleagues. It sounds like they have a very well developed process for doing the private vet at the appropriate time (i.e., when decisions are made about specific people) which we should explore leveraging. Some of their team members could also be interested in participating in the public vetting effort which Christine is organizing for us. Cassandra is organizing a follow-up call with Jim and Christine next week. We'll keep you informed.

-- Mike

From: ["Heather Stone" <hstone@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:hstone@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 9/20/2015 7:54:40 AM

Subject: Re: WJC/CVC Digital Memo

Thanks. And do they know that we were hoping to do a super tuesday swing during those days?

On Sun, Sep 20, 2015 at 2:53 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

WJC team coming back to us tomorrow with what Oct dates they can give us

that was my internal commentary on the 8/9/10 Oct scenario - given we talked about official travel for him in our Oct message planning mtg.

WJC ofc was holding those dates for debate prep reasons, only.

I think we have to wait and see what they come back with

On Sun, Sep 20, 2015 at 2:39 PM, Heather Stone <hstone@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Thank you.

Re the 10th, is that possibly on the road or just in DC? Will we finalize the 9th tomorrow morning?

On Sun, Sep 20, 2015 at 2:05 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

yes.

On Sun, Sep 20, 2015 at 2:04 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

So I'm clear--they'd campaign in Iowa the morning of the 25th and then fly back to NY for donor stuff?

On Sun, Sep 20, 2015 at 10:56 AM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

WJC October update

1) Huma/Dennis/Lona and I just re-grouped w/Tina/JD, to discuss Oct dates that WJC is holding for us.

WJC team will come back to us early tomorrow - now that they have a view from us, of our Oct. asks.

Huma presented that \$ was priority, Dennis outlined cities he could quickly mobilize events in.

WJC were holding Oct 8/9/10 - to join debate prep - on this call we just landed with holding 8th in DC and 10 tent.,

caveat that 8th is best since depending on how it goes, may not need 10th etc.

WJC has to return NYC eve of the 8th for a CF event.

unclear if that leaves HFA with the 9th as an option for WJC.

I added in Iowa/JJ Oct 24/25 plan for consideration

Huma relayed that HRC feels v strongly that they need to campaign together, thinks it's weird for WJC to do alone their first time together in Iowa - which she admitted was NEW info that hadn't been conveyed to rest of us, Marlon et al.

to drive this, Lona is putting together a draft of what a joint RON in Iowa on the 24th/joint campaigning morning of 25th would look like,

w/WJC also returning to NYC evening of 25th for \$HRC bday concert that evening.

2) per Friday call, we asked digital to better articulate the case for WJC/CVC to do online \$ for us.

Huma just raised with Tina/JD - to please consider.

progress. (Katie/Teddy memo below)

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Katie Dowd <kdowd@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: Fri, Sep 18, 2015 at 8:59 PM

Subject: WJC/CVC Digital Memo

To: Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: Teddy Goff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>, Jenna Lowenstein <jlowenstein@hillaryclinton.com>, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

As promised earlier today here is a memo asking for WJC & CVC signatures in our end of quarter fundraising efforts.

We can work around CGI if need be, we can de-dupe our email lists if need be but both of them signing emails represent huge opportunities to really help the campaign with this critical fundraising push before the end of the month.

Please let me know if you have more questions or comments. Happy to do whatever it takes to help get this across the line.

MEMO: <https://docs.google.com/a/hillaryclinton.com/document/d/1YBHtc5l84fjPs23308m41hclnuDwein8jUeIRtPrtko/edit?usp=sharing>

Cheers, Katie

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Eryn Sepp" <Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov>

Date: 3/9/2014 1:58:22 PM

Subject: Fwd: Investiture of Cornelia T.L. Pillard

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

Begin forwarded message:

From: Chambers of Judge Pillard <paperlesspost@paperlesspost.com>

Date: March 5, 2014 at 8:54:59 PM EST

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Subject: Investiture of Cornelia T.L. Pillard

Reply-To: jcalvofriedman@gmail.com

For: John D. Podesta

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THIS IS A REMINDER TO RSVP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THANK YOU!

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AS
CIRCUIT JUDGE OF THE
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CIRCUIT

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2014
4:30 P.M.

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Thursday, March 13th at 4:30 PM

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333 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC



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From: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/12/2015 7:20:02 AM

Subject: Fwd: CLIP | Politico: Podesta to donors: Cruz is likely GOP nominee

Flagging for you both.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: Sat, Dec 12, 2015 at 2:19 PM

Subject: Re: CLIP | Politico: Podesta to donors: Cruz is likely GOP nominee

To: Emily Aden <eaden@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: HRCRR <hrcrr@hillaryclinton.com>

Trump just tweeted about this:



On Sat, Dec 12, 2015 at 12:15 PM, Emily Aden <eaden@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Laurel Ruza <lsruza@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: December 12, 2015 at 12:09:57 PM EST

To: Research <research@hillaryclinton.com>

Subject: CLIP | Politico: Podesta to donors: Cruz is likely GOP nominee

[Podesta to donors: Cruz is likely GOP nominee](#)

By: Gabriel Debenedetti

Donald Trump's apparent belief that the Republican primary contest is now a two-person race between himself and Ted Cruz isn't exactly shared at the top of Hillary Clinton's campaign.

Clinton campaign chairman John Podesta handicapped the GOP race for 90 Democratic donors assembled at a private fundraising event in Berkeley, California, on Thursday night, according to a Clinton backer who was in the room, telling the crowd that he viewed Cruz as the likeliest nominee, followed by Trump, and then Marco Rubio.

Podesta's remarks — which he made sure to say represent his own views, not an official campaign position — came after the real-estate magnate proposed a blanket ban on Muslims entering the United States, and Podesta suggested that the resulting surge of attention being paid to Trump didn't change his belief that Cruz was the likeliest pick.

But he did confirm that the Democratic front-runner's recent moves to use Trump's remarks as an anchor to drag down the rest of the Republican Party was a concerted political strategy — and that the donors shouldn't expect the strategy to go away anytime soon.

The crux of that argument is not that the other candidates are afraid to criticize Trump, Podesta told the donors: it's that they agree with him.

The top-ranking official on Clinton's team, Podesta has mostly stayed away from the public eye during the campaign apart from the occasional television interview, instead keeping his focus on private events. Thursday night's fundraiser was closed to reporters, like all of Clinton's campaign cash events.

But it landed amid the race's most controversial week yet, when the Democratic frontrunner's strategy for dealing with Trump took on added urgency.

And it came while the team is hurtling toward the end of the fundraising quarter and its goal of raising \$100 million for the primary before 2016 — while donors are increasingly curious about the Brooklyn-based campaign's tactics.

Clinton aides like campaign manager Robby Mook, policy staffer Jake Sullivan, and surrogate outreach aide Michelle Kwan — the former figure skater — have all headlined recent fundraising events, as has former President Bill Clinton.

And top surrogates have also stepped up their own presence on the money trail: longtime Clinton friend and strategist James Carville has become an active campaign fundraiser, while New York Senator Kirsten Gillibrand is set to host an event in London on Dec. 29.

Even Podesta has been raising money in increasingly unexpected ways this month: the campaign has recently advertised to donors the chance to join him at a cooking event with Sarah Schafer, the executive chef of Irving Street Kitchen in Portland, Oregon, last Wednesday night, and at another similar confab with Marcus Samuelsson, the chef and owner of Harlem restaurant Red Rooster, in Brooklyn on Monday.

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Milia Fisher
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c: [858.395.1741](tel:858.395.1741)

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From: ["Christopher Edley" <cedley@gmail.com>](mailto:cedley@gmail.com)

To: ricesusane@aol.com
john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/3/2008 4:25:04 PM

Subject: Mexico: Fwd: RV: Good luck and meeting

Susan and John -- adviser to president of mexico, below, is asking whom their ambassador should call to discuss a meeting with barack.

I hope one of you will call the ambassador before he calls you.
Perhaps even tuesday?

Please acknowledge that you got this.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Rafael Fernández de Castro Medina <rfernandezdecastro@presidencia.gob.mx>

Date: Mon, 3 Nov 2008 21:56:02 -0600

Subject: RV: Good luck and meeting

To: cedley@gmail.com

Dear Chris,

Tomorrow is your day - I wish you good luck. We just had a meeting with our boss and he instructed us to seek for every opportunity to meet with the President elect. Officially, our ambassador to Washington, Arturo Sarukan, is in charge of making the contacts to seek the meeting with the President elect. Should he contact you? Or would it be better for me to direct him to someone else? We know the obvious person is John Podesta, but please let me know if there is somebody else we should contact.

In reviewing the presidential meetings, we realized that four U.S. Presidents elect have seen their Mexican counterparts: Calvin Coolidge (1924), Ronald Reagan (1981), George H. W Bush (1988), and William Clinton (1993). Since George W. Bush could not meet President Vicente Fox as President elect, his first trip abroad was to Mexico in February 2001.

Abrazo y buena suerte!

Rafael

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(personal email)

Christopher Edley, Jr.

Professor and Dean

UC Berkeley Law School

From:	"Alesa Mackool" <amackool@progressivestrategies.net>
To:	
Date:	5/4/2011 5:16:56 AM
Subject:	Economic Narrative Meeting Follow-Up
Attachments:	The Disappearing Middle Class.pdf Westen Strategies Change to Win -Inequality and the Middle Class Lux group brief.pdf Message Matters Fact Sheet May 2011.pdf Working America Update - 4-29.pdf

Thank you so much for the remarkable discussion at the narrative meeting yesterday. We've been receiving some great feedback and truly are looking forward to the future of this project.

I've attached the following documents from the meeting:

Democracy Corps and Greenberg Quinlan Rosner's memo, "The 'Disappearing Middle Class'"

Drew Westen's presentation on inequality and the middle class

Message Matters Fact Sheet (**FYI: You can sign up for Message Matters emails by contacting kate@mediamatters.org** .)

Working America email update via Heather Booth

You'll be receiving an email invite to join the Economic Narrative Working Group Google Group. Please join.

As discussed, our first biweekly narrative conference call will be held

Tuesday, May 17, 2011

4-5 p.m. EDT

Call in number: (605) 477-2100

658439#

So far on the agenda for the May 17 call, Ramona Oliver, John Neffinger and Drew Westen will be doing a brief message training. Please contact me or Mike Lux if you have suggested additions to the agenda.

Thank you,
Alesa

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From: ["Ken Salazar" <kennethlsalazar@gmail.com>](mailto:kennethlsalazar@gmail.com)

To: ["Lyons, James M." <JLyons@lrrlaw.com>](mailto:JLyons@lrrlaw.com)

Date: 6/21/2015 1:47:59 AM

Subject: Re: Secretary Clinton and Colorado-Urgency

I can do Tuesday after I get off a plane 5:00 p.m. EST. Does that work for you and Jim?

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 20, 2015, at 10:41 PM, Lyons, James M. <JLyons@lrrlaw.com> wrote:

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> Monday is not good for me. Can we do TU or Wed if it is available for the Secretary?

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> Sent from my iPad

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>> On Jun 20, 2015, at 7:20 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>> Thank you Senator. I'd like to schedule a call to talk about timing

>> of this. We are not hiring state directors or political state

>> directors beyond the first four. But, I really want to hear what you

>> are seeing/feeling on the ground.

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>> And, we agree, I'm sorry the trip was cancelled to CO. We need to get

>> there ASAP.

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>> Is this week good for you?

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>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>> On Jun 20, 2015, at 3:09 PM, Ken Salazar <kennethlsalazar@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>> True, but 92 was a very special case.

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>>> Sent from my iPad

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>>>> On Jun 20, 2015, at 3:36 PM, Lyons, James M. <JLyons@lrrlaw.com> wrote:

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>>>> PS. and 1992!

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>>>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>>>> On Jun 20, 2015, at 3:16 PM, Ken Salazar <kennethlsalazar@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>>>> Hi John and Amanda,

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>>>>> Jim Lyons (copied on this email) and I strongly believe that having a strong Colorado Political Director for Colorado is a keystone to achieving a Clinton victory in Colorado in 2016. While the finance side is going strong, the effort needed to sustain the campaign to victory in November 2016 needs a Colorado quarterback. We believe that the best in Colorado with the right values, work ethic, experience and universal respect are:

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>>>>> Mike Dino;

>>>>>

>>>>> Alan Salazar; and

>>>>>

>>>>> Mike Melansen.

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>>>>> We would be happy to share our views on each of the three. In any event, Colorado is a caucus state and unless we begin the effort soon, we will be very vulnerable and could be upset. In our view, time is of the essence in choosing a political director.
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>>>>> Also, we need a visit to Colorado from Secretary Clinton soon with the right outreach and right geography.
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>>>>> We humbly share these thoughts with you as veterans of mostly successful statewide Colorado campaigns over the last thirty years including the only Presidential Colorado Democratic victories since Lyndon Johnson-2012, 2008, and 1996.
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>>>>> All the best,
>>>>>
>>>>> Ken
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>>>>>
>>>>> Sent from my iPad
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From: "[Kristina Schake](#)" <kristinakschake@gmail.com>

To: "[Mandy Grunwald](#)" <gruncom@aol.com>

Date: 4/5/2015 3:49:32 PM

Subject: Re: Tomorrow's 8AM strategy check-in

They let us know they would not be able to provide anything new until mid-week at the soonest. Jim - Jen and I will connect with you tomorrow to talk through direction and next steps with them.

On Sun, Apr 5, 2015 at 10:39 PM, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com> wrote:

Have we received anything from our new advertising friends?

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
[202 973-9400](tel:2029739400)

On Apr 5, 2015, at 10:36 PM, Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com> wrote:

Also, we know it is not possible to review this entire Q & A by 8 am. We will flag the most important answers on the call for discussion, collect your additional feedback during the day, and send it to her by 5 pm tomorrow.

On Sun, Apr 5, 2015 at 10:05 PM, Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com> wrote:

Attached is the long version of the Q & A for your review. We will discuss on our 8 am, collect edits tomorrow, and send to her tomorrow night.

On Sun, Apr 5, 2015 at 8:05 PM, Oren Shur <orencshur@gmail.com> wrote:

Team –

Just a reminder, tomorrow at 8AM we'll start our regular Mon-Wed-Fri morning strategy check-in calls. Our thinking, based on feedback from a few of you, is that this would help keep the consultant team abreast of day-to-day press/strategic communications items and give all of us a quick chance to discuss other items that may otherwise fall through the cracks.

We figure some of these calls will be 5 minutes, others will take the full 30, depending on what's going on that day.

Items to discuss on tomorrow's call:

1. News clips – new system going forward
2. HRC's WED briefing
3. May launch – locations?
4. Long version Q/A doc

Thanks,

Oren

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 9/16/2015 5:45:18 AM

Subject: Re:

It's a train wreck

She's outlining a process on this call that puts Bonnie controlling the calls, and digital requests, Lona controlling the travel and cc'ing me so I can keep the 2 of you in the loop as needed.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Sep 16, 2015, at 12:39 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Would be good to intervene before. Worried we are going to unwind
> something later.

> Let me know if there's anything I can do.

>

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>> On Sep 16, 2015, at 12:38 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>> Not sure if JDP spoke to Huma yet

>> But Huma is running this previously scheduled 12:30pm WJC internal

>> huddle with our ops and legal teams - to work out internal process.

>>

>> Tho it may not happen because we don't have legal.

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>> Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Environmental Justice EPA" <environmental-justice@epa.gov>](mailto:environmental-justice@epa.gov)

To: ["Environmental Justice information" <epa-ej@lists.epa.gov>](mailto:epa-ej@lists.epa.gov)

Date: 1/6/2015 3:32:44 AM

Subject: [epa-ej] Earn CM Credits while attending the Equitable Development Workshop

Environmental Justice Mailing List

Earn CM Credits while attending the Equitable Development Workshop

The American Planning Association (APA) approved the 2015 Equitable Development Workshop for 4.5 Certification Maintenance (CM) credits.

"Equitable Development: Tools and Strategies for Making a Visible Difference in Communities" is a half-day workshop. It will be held Thursday, January 29 from 8:00 am to 1:30 pm at the Baltimore Hilton Hotel in downtown Baltimore, MD, on the first day of the New Partners for Smart Growth Conference. Pre-registration and a nominal fee are required.

Don't miss your opportunity to attend. The workshop will feature a team of distinguished and talented instructors, including:

Session #1: Community Ownership Strategies and Organizing

- Ted Howard, Executive Director and Co-Founder, The Democracy Collaborative (Cleveland, OH)
- Chanchanit (Chancee) Martorell, Founder and Executive Director, Thai Community Development Center (Los Angeles, CA)

Session #2: How to Manage Gentrification

- Vernice Miller-Travis, Senior Associate, Skeo Solutions (Bowie, MD)
- Mel Freeman, Executive Director, Citizen Planning and Housing Association (Baltimore, MD)

Session #3: Working in Partnership for Equitable Development

- Timothy Fields, Jr., Senior Vice President, MDB, Inc. (Washington, DC)
- Nora Liu, Community Development Manager, Seattle Department of Planning and Development (Seattle, WA)

Session #4: Making Equitable Development Work Even When You Have Limited Resources

- Tony Salazar, President of West Coast Operations, McCormick Baron Salazar (Los Angeles, CA)
- Angel Rodriguez, Vice President for Community Economic Development, Asociacion de Puertorriquenos en Marcha, Inc., (Philadelphia, PA)

Session #5: My Elected Official Gets It: Advancing Policy which supports Equitable Development

- Harold Mitchell, Jr., State Representative (District 31), South Carolina House of Representatives (Spartanburg, SC)
- Dwight Evans, State Representative (203rd District), Pennsylvania House of Representatives (Philadelphia, PA)

Visit the APA's CM page for the workshop description, listing of instructors, and bios -- <https://www.planning.org/cm/search/event/?EventID=29136>.

Find out more about this dynamic workshop and register today! See you in Baltimore in January 2015 -- <http://www.newpartners.org/program/equitable-development> .

If you are not already a member, the Office of Environmental Justice would like to invite you to join the EJ ListServ. The purpose of this information tool is to notify individuals about activities at EPA in the field of environmental justice. By subscribing to this list you will receive information on EPA's activities, programs, projects grants and about environmental justice activities at other agencies. Noteworthy news items, National meeting announcements, meeting summaries of NEJAC meetings, and new publication notices will also be distributed. Postings can only be made by the Office of Environmental Justice. To request an item to be posted, send your information to environmental-justice@epa.gov and indicate in the subject "Post to EPA-EJ ListServ"

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From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Shaeda Ahmadi" <shaeda.ahmadi@gmail.com>](mailto:shaeda.ahmadi@gmail.com)
Date: 12/1/2015 11:11:21 AM
Subject: Re: Sen. Feinstein

Works for us - he'll call you in 10mins!

Thanks

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 1, 2015, at 6:09 PM, Shaeda Ahmadi <shaeda.ahmadi@gmail.com> wrote:

John--would you be free for a phone call at around 6:20/6:30pm? Apologies for the short notice.

Thanks!
Shaeda

On Tue, Dec 1, 2015 at 5:34 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
Great. Thanks. Shaeda, let me know a good time and I'll make myself available.

On Tuesday, December 1, 2015, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
is in a mtg w/Leadership now, but will be on her way home afterwards and in for the evening (around 5:30pm).

Shaeda her scheduler, cc'd, will let us know once she's on route, and you can call if convenient to your movements. She'll also check with the Senator once the mtg ends for her preference - if we can catch you before your dinner, or schedule a time this evening etc.

Shaeda direct [202 224 9636](tel:2022249636)

Shaeda, John's cell is [\(202\) 999-0738](tel:2029990738)

thanks,
Sara

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Shaeda L. Ahmadi
626.824.1170
shaeda.ahmadi@gmail.com

From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/15/2016 10:33:24 AM
Subject: Re: White House meeting

Forgot to relay. Simas said we should do in Feb. that seems fine to me--you ok w that?

> On Jan 15, 2016, at 5:21 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> should we try for Monday? Right now I am returning to nyc from SC late Monday morning. It's MLK day so may be tough. I think we need Denis, Simas and Anita.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Mary Pat Bonner" <mpbonner@bonnergrp.com>](mailto:mpbonner@bonnergrp.com)
Date: 9/10/2015 1:57:52 PM
Subject: Re: Following up

I should make it to Lynn's

On Thursday, September 10, 2015, Mary Pat Bonner <mpbonner@bonnergrp.com> wrote:

John,

I really appreciate the call earlier and all of your advice. Attached please find an invite to both book parties in NY next week, and Sarah Jacobs' resume. Whatever you could do to help would be greatly appreciated. See you next week.

Regards,

Mary Pat

From: ["Brent Budowsky" <brentbbi@webtv.net>](mailto:brentbbi@webtv.net)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 5/11/2015 6:12:01 AM
Subject: The Hill: Clinton clobbers Rubio on immigration | TheHill

<http://thehill.com/blogs/pundits-blog/immigration/241614-clinton-clobbers-rubio-on-immigration>

Sent from my iPad

From: [ThinkProgress <progress@americanprogressaction.org>](mailto:progress@americanprogressaction.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/8/2015 7:51:51 AM

Subject: Today in rampant Islamophobia...

THINKPROGRESS

Donald Trump's nonsensical plan to ban Muslims from entering the United States is a message that plays right into ISIS' hands. While many establishment Republicans quickly distanced themselves, not all of the GOP candidates have come out against his plan, and his rhetoric isn't even that outside the norm. Plus, Arnold Schwarzenegger has a tough question for climate change deniers: would they choose to suffocate themselves?



Did The Governor Just Come Up With A Republican-Proof Argument On Climate Change?



Trump's Muslim Ban Is Exactly What ISIS Wants

Is this violent verse from the Bible...



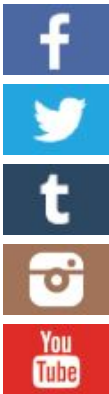
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Ted Cruz, Defender Of Religious Liberty, 'Commends' Donald Trump's Anti-Muslim Plan



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From: ["Cassandra Butts" <cbutts.obama08@gmail.com>](mailto:cbutts.obama08@gmail.com)

To: ["Melody Barnes" <mbarnes@barackobama.com>](mailto:mbarnes@barackobama.com)

Date: 10/23/2008 12:58:20 AM

Subject: Re: IMPT: Pedro Noguera

Do we need to reach out to Pedro or is the campaign's communication with him enough?

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 23, 2008, at 6:45 AM, "Melody Barnes" <mbarnes@barackobama.com> wrote:

Hey

I know Linda is on the original email below, but I want to make sure you're aware and that we sever his ties to our Ed Policy Group.

Mel

From: Neera Tanden

To: Linda Darling-Hammond ; 'Jon Schnur' ; Melody Barnes; stevejob@gmail.com '

Cc: Danielle Gray

Sent: Wed Oct 22 21:38:53 2008

Subject: Pedro Noguera

Hi guys

So we've had a bit of news tonight. Pedro Noguera signed onto a petition defending Bill Ayers, was contacted by Fox News, was planning to go on their shows, then told their producers that he was told by the campaign not to go on, which is of course, not true. So just to alert you all that we are severing ties with Mr. Noguera, he will not be representing us on Friday - in case this somehow comes up on any of your panels. It's likely to be on Fox tomorrow unless we can successfully kill the story.

Neera and Danielle

From: ["Maya Harris" <mharris@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mharris@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 10/30/2015 2:41:07 AM
Subject: Re: DRAFT: Atlanta Rally - revised

looking now

On Fri, Oct 30, 2015 at 9:39 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
its in there on page 10, but just one line for now.

On Fri, Oct 30, 2015 at 9:38 AM, Karen Finney <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Beautiful.

Love the line about kitchen table to peace table.

Did the editor in chief not want to say anything about guns? (Or did I totally miss it?)

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> On Oct 30, 2015, at 9:21 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

>

> The Secretary wanted to rework this speech so here's a new draft. If possible, would love comments in next hour pls.

> MAYA/JAKE/COREY, pls take a close look at ban the box and rest of policy section.

> <2015-10-30 Atlanta rally - 9am.docx>

From:

[LinkedIn <messages-noreply@linkedin.com>](#)

To:

["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](#)

Date:

12/28/2015 12:03:45 PM

Subject:

John, people are looking at your LinkedIn profile



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From: "Cheri Bustos" <info@cheribustos.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/7/2012 9:34:44 AM

Subject: shameful



Dear John,

This morning when my staff arrived at our headquarters, they found that someone had thrown eggs all over the entryway to our office and even on a staff member's car. After cleaning up this childish prank, we then took a call from a supporter who had just watched a juvenile cartoon ad on TV, smearing me personally.

This comes after a slew of juvenile attacks by the Schilling campaign over the last several weeks, and is the kind of cheap politics that is responsible for the gridlock in Washington.

It's time for a change.

[Please stand up for our honorable and issue-based campaign. Contribute \\$25, \\$50 or \\$100 today! Your contribution will help us reach voters across our vast district with our vision of what America can be.](#)

From the start, I have pledged to run a campaign focused on the issues, like job creation and keeping American jobs here at home. I am out in the district every day, talking about the issues and our priorities. Congressman Bobby Schilling and his supporters have chosen to bring the divisive negative politics of Washington here to Illinois.

Congressman Schilling knows that he can't run on his record of misguided priorities that benefit millionaires over the middle class.

[Help us fight back! Chip in \\$25, \\$50 or even \\$100 today!](#) □

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Thank you for your support and friendship,

Kindest Personal Regards,

Cheri Bustos

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 8/30/2014 1:17:55 AM
Subject: When do you expect immigration executive action to pop?

Hope vineyard was great
You guys should come to film festival next year
How's Mae doing?
Love to Mary
Tony

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["American Bar Association" <cle@americanbar.org>](mailto:cle@americanbar.org)
To: ["John D Podesta" <podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU>](mailto:podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU)
Date: 10/5/2015 6:00:00 AM
Subject: [Free CLE] Diversity and Discrimination as Legal Ethics Issues

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To: ["Matt Paul" <mpaul@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mpaul@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 7/23/2015 4:10:55 AM

Subject: Re: Facebook

Yes, we get along with them well.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 23, 2015, at 10:55 AM, Matt Paul <mpaul@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Are we getting along with them?

>

> They have a large facility in suburban DSM that is powered primarily by renewable energy

>

> Just wanted to touch base before we take a closer look at the facility.

>

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From: ["Tina Fournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/17/2015 8:47:49 AM

Subject: Speech

Univision has a speech offer to WJC. This is via Haim Saban. The event would be joint with 43 and would be an interview conducted by Jorge Romas re: immigration. Proposed date is May 12. I have reservations about it generally. We have not accepted. Thoughts?

From:	"Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>
Date:	1/17/2016 4:00:29 PM
Subject:	Fwd: WJC Final Schedule for 01.18.16
Attachments:	.htm 01 18 16 WJC Final Schedule.docx

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From: Jacqueline Miller <jacqueline@presidentclinton.com >
Date: January 17, 2016 at 9:09:53 PM EST
To: Jacqueline Miller <jacqueline@presidentclinton.com >
Subject: WJC Final Schedule for 01.18.16

FINAL Schedule For President William J. Clinton
Monday, January 18, 2016

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DEPART en route Charleston Int'l Airport
[Drive Time: Approximately TBD minutes]

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ARRIVE Charleston Int'l Airport
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6060 S Aviation Avenue
North Charleston, SC 29406
Tel: 843-746-7600

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Aircraft: Falcon 2000LXS

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Tail #: N900FS
Plane Contacts: Pilot Mark Dennis, cell 203-556-7650
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Tina Flournoy
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RON: HRC CHAPPAQUA, NEW YORK

Weather
Charleston, SC: Sunny, High 50 / Low 26
Chappaqua, NY: Partly Cloudy, High 26 / Low 14

From: "Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 6/14/2014 5:33:27 AM
Subject: Re: Skype

My Sunday 8 PM is your 1 PM. Will that work?

On Sat, Jun 14, 2014 at 3:25 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Let's do Sunday. Whatever works for you.

On Jun 14, 2014 6:42 AM, "Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com> wrote:

The wifi here is pretty good and should actually work well enough to support a video call. When are you free?

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Gabe Podesta

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Gabe Podesta

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 10/26/2015 5:31:24 AM
Subject: Re: My John.podesta account

Testing 1 2 3

On Mon, Oct 26, 2015 at 12:22 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
| seemed to go down this am. Will you reply to make sure it's working

--

Milia Fisher
Special Assistant to the Chair
Hillary for America
mfisher@hillaryclinton.com
c: 858.395.1741

From: "Molly Fowler, EricGarcetti.com" <info@ericgarcetti.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 2/28/2013 3:55:58 PM

Subject: My Get Out the Vote Plan



John --

With the election in five days, there's a lot going on -- so I'll be brief.

We've added new opportunities to help Get Out the Vote including two new rallies. We need you there. The work we do this weekend will make the difference on Tuesday.

[Click here to sign up for our Get Out the Vote push.](#)

Let's win this.

–Molly

Molly Fowler
Field Director
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Date: 1/12/2016 2:55:06 PM

Subject: Prep Call with HRC tomorrow, Wednesday January 13th

We will have a prep call tomorrow at 5:15am to prepare for the morning shows.

Wednesday, January 13th
5:15am ET

[718-406-9705](tel:718-406-9705)

Passcode 14417

Please let us know if you have any questions -- thank you.

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Date: 3/27/2015 5:20:30 AM

Subject: Re: Tomorrow | Gowdy

Yes although grammar is now a little mangled. I want to associate as soon as possible with the document release not her appearance.

On Mar 27, 2015 11:06 AM, "Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Clauses flipped below per John's suggestion. John let me know if that's not what you meant. Cheryl and I talked offline and we're going to keep the first sentence as it was originally. So here's where we are. Everyone ok with this?

"Secretary Clinton has already turned all of her work emails over to the State Department, and the Department has been responsive to the committee, and will continue to be. Representatives of Secretary Clinton's office have been in touch with the committee to make clear that we want to make everything public, we call on the committee to do so as soon as possible, and that she's ready and willing to come and appear herself."

From: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

Date: Thursday, March 26, 2015 at 9:27 PM

To: NSM <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Cc: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>, Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>, Jacob Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>, David Kendall <DKendall@wc.com>, Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>, Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com>, Heather Samuelson <Heather.samuelson@gmail.com>

Subject: Re: Tomorrow | Gowdy

On Thu, Mar 26, 2015 at 7:28 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Can everyone take a look at this and provide thoughts on what our on the record response will be tomorrow? Note that our language has changed notably from what I sent around last week in 2 places. One is at the end of the first sentence in an effort to make clear that these emails have all been turned over and put the onus for whatever the expansion of the request is on State, and secondly a mention of her being ready and willing to come testify.

"Secretary Clinton has already turned all of her POTENTIALLY work- RELATED emails over to the State Department, and the Department has been responsive to the committee, and will continue to be. Representatives of Secretary Clinton's office have been in touch with the committee to make clear that we want to make everything public, that she's ready and willing to come and appear herself, and we call on the committee to do so as soon as possible."

From: "Jon Soltz" <jon@votevets.org>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 3/14/2013 11:51:09 AM
Subject: VoteVets.org Update

Dear John -

I wanted to brief you on a very important issue VoteVets.org has been working on for the past couple of weeks. As you may have heard, before he left his post, Leon Panetta approved a new Distinguished Warfare Medal to be awarded to drone pilots. While VoteVets.org doesn't have an issue with the medal itself, we did hear from our supporters that it was very problematic that the medal would out-rank the Purple Heart.

We engaged in an email campaign to hear our members' opinions, which netted over 5,000 email responses strongly opposed to placement of the medal, and ran a press campaign to voice their opinion. Below, you will find stories regarding Secretary Hagel's decision to halt the medal's production for 30 days, as he reviews the issue. This is a real success for us, and VoteVets.org is quoted in the stories below.

AP: <http://abcnews.go.com/Technology/wireStory/official-hagel-orders-review-cyber-medal-18709465>

Christian Science Monitor: <http://www.csmonitor.com/USA/Military/2013/0312/Controversy-spurs-Pentagon-s-Hagel-to-review-new-Nintendo-medal>

This review comes on the heels of high praise VoteVets.org received from the White House for its tireless support of Secretary Hagel during his confirmation: "We could not have done this without you."

And, as VoteVets.org continues to be the largest progressive voice on issues concerning veterans and military families, we could not do it without you.

Sincerely,

Jon

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From: ["Arizonans for Ann" <info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com>](mailto:info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 10/29/2014 6:35:15 PM

Subject: Boehner = FUMING

WHOA!!!

BOEHNER *DIDN'T* BARGAIN FOR THIS.

Earlier this month, Boehner flew to Arizona to host a glitzy fundraiser for Ann's Tea Party opponent, Andy Tobin.



**WELL, SINCE THEN,
THOUSANDS
OF SUPPORTERS
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As of 6:30 PM, we're only \$12,000 away from \$250,000 -- *just this month!!!*



BUT -- our **FINAL** ad buy deadline is in just 48 HOURS.

If we can hit this **INCREDIBLE** mark by Friday at midnight, it'll make Boehner think twice about his plot to take over Arizona.

But, if we fall short, BOEHNER WINS.



John

We've NEVER needed you more. Will you step up for Ann in this critical moment?

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Date:	7/3/2015 10:46:55 AM
Subject:	Updated Invitation: Retreat: Senior Staff + State Directors @ Sat Jul 11, 2015 12pm - 6pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Retreat: Senior Staff + State Directors

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Agenda and details to come.

When

Changed: Sat Jul 11, 2015 12pm – 6pm Eastern Time

Where

NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa ([map](#))

Video call

https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/retreat-senior

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From:	"Ann Kirkpatrick" <info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>
Date:	10/9/2014 6:06:04 PM
Subject:	i'm counting on YOU, john

Early voting across Arizona began TODAY – so this can't wait. Here's why:

1.

I was named the *most vulnerable* Congresswoman in the entire country.
2.

GOP spending against me skyrocketed to **\$7,200,000.00**.

We've fought back against this cash before – and won – but with the election just 26 days away, we need to get going.

John, I'm counting on you. Please chip in by midnight tonight:

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Thanks for all you do,

Ann

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From: "Jim Messina, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 2/28/2013 4:25:21 AM

Subject: Stand behind the President's plan, John



John --

Brace yourself.

If congressional Republicans don't act by tomorrow, we're going to be hit by a series of devastating, automatic budget cuts called the sequester.

It's a sledgehammer to the budget, our economy, and millions of Americans across the country -- and the most frustrating part? It doesn't have to happen.

[The majority of Americans support President Obama's balanced approach to deficit reduction -- add your name if you do, too.](#)

So far, congressional Republicans are refusing to compromise -- all because they don't want to close tax loopholes for millionaires, billionaires, vacation homes, and corporate jets. Seriously.

This has very real consequences.

On the chopping block are 10,000 teaching jobs, more than 70,000 kids' spots in Head Start, \$35 million for local fire departments, \$43 million to make sure seniors don't go hungry, and access to nutrition assistance for 600,000 women and their families. That's just a few of the things we'll lose.

President Obama has put forth a balanced deficit reduction plan with smart spending cuts that protect the critical investments needed to strengthen middle-class families and our economy.

We need to send a strong signal about where Americans stand on this issue.

Add your name today:

<http://my.barackobama.com/Tell-the-GOP-to-Act>

Thanks,

Messina

Jim Messina
Chair
Organizing for Action

P.S. -- If Congress fails to act, this fight doesn't end tomorrow. We'll need to put even more pressure on Republicans to stop these budget cuts and pass a balanced plan. [Join this fight now.](#)

Sources: The White House and Center for American Progress

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["Maya Harris" <mharris@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mharris@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 3/21/2016 3:21:27 AM

Subject: Sun Sentinel (Broward), Monday, March 21, 2016

<http://editionmobile.sun-sentinel.com/Olive/Tablet/FloridaSunSentinel/Default.aspx>

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Tom Matzzie" <tom@moveon.org>](mailto:tom@moveon.org)
["Susan McCue" <susan@one.org>](mailto:susan@one.org)
sgreenberg@gqrr.com

Date: 10/3/2007 6:17:29 AM

Subject: Call on Thursday, October 4th at 2:30PM EDT/11:30AM PDT

Hi Tom, Susan and Stan,

This is to confirm your call tomorrow, Thursday, October 4th at 2:30PM EDT/11:30AM PDT. The participants on the call are: Tom Mattzie, Susan McCue, Stan Greenberg and John Podesta.

The call-in information is as follows:

Call-in: 1-800-704-9804

Passcode: 47386987#

Lindsay will be initiating the call.

Thank you!

Best wishes,

Natalie Ondiak

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/2/2015 2:46:48 PM

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To: ["Seher Syed" <:ssyed@americanprogress.org>](mailto:ssyed@americanprogress.org)

Date: 12/15/2011 5:22:50 AM

Subject: Fwd: HR Package for the Board Meeting

Attachments: B Lindsey Cover Memo re 2012 Salary Recommendations 12.15.11 Draft.docx
Executive Summary CF Salary Administration System.pdf
Health Care Cost Benefits Benchmarking.pdf
2012 Salary Increase Recommendations 12.15.11.xlsx
Proposed Total Compensation Philosophy Parameters Revised 12.14.11.docx
Analysis of 2012 Salary Increase Recommendations 12.15.11.docx
2012 Salary Increase Guideline Exceptions.xlsx

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From: Terry Sheridan <tsheridan@clintonfoundation.org>

Date: Thu, Dec 15, 2011 at 11:47 AM

Subject: HR Package for the Board Meeting

To: Bruce Lindsey <blindsey@clintonfoundation.org>, John Podesta
<john.podesta@gmail.com>

Cc: Charles Ferguson <cferguson@clintonfoundation.org>

Bruce and John:

Attached are the HR documents for the board meeting:

- Draft cover memo – please let us know your comments.
- Executive Summary: Development of a Salary Administration system Linked to Market Data – no changes
- Executive Summary: Health Care Plan Cost Increases & Benefits Program Benchmarking –no changes
- Analysis of 2012 Salary Increase Recommendations – updated to reflect current recommendations
- 2012 Salary Increase Recommendations for Employees - updated to reflect current recommendations; Bruce, let us know if you want to make any changes for internal equity or other purposes.
- Exceptions to 2012 Salary Increase Guidelines – updated to reflect what was agreed to in our call with Laura yesterday. Note

10/18/2016

that there was technically one additional exception for one of Stephanie's employees that we did not include in the exceptions report as it was de minimus and Stephanie was below her 4% budget overall. (Tina Eoff was rated a 1 and was given an increase of 4.9% which brought her to a Compa Ratio of 104.2%)

· Proposed Parameters for the Foundation's Total Compensation Philosophy – note one small addition of "internal equity" in the second bullet per Bob Harrison's suggestion

There are a few issues which may come up at the meeting that are not addressed in these documents including CCI and the C40 employees (Bruce, you know the background on this) and Bruce's compensation/bonus which I assume is handled separately by the Board. Please let us know your feedback. Thanks.

Terry

From: ["Gene Karpinski, LCV Action Fund President" <Jennifer_Milley@lcv.org>](#)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/7/2013 7:47:50 AM

Subject: Show Rep. Markey you have his back

Friends:

There are only eight weeks to go in the MA Senate primary and LCV Action Fund is ALL IN for Congressman Ed Markey.

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Rep. Markey has a lead in the most recent polls, but nearly a third of the vote is still undecided. If he can win, and win big, in the primary, that could help him keep Karl Rove out of the general election. We need Rep. Markey as our next great Senate champ!

Please join us next Tuesday to meet Rep. Markey and show this environmental champion the community stands with him and will send him to the Senate!

Looking forward to seeing you there,

Gene



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From: ["Georgetown Canvas" <notifications@instructure.com>](mailto:notifications@instructure.com)

To: podesta@georgetown.edu

Date: 1/20/2016 4:21:44 PM

Subject: Recent Canvas Notifications

You're signed up to receive a daily report of some notifications from your Canvas account. Below is the report for Jan 20:

Jennifer Lane accepted the Course Invitation

Jennifer Lane just accepted their invitation to participate in the course, Congressional Investigations S.Spring2016. Course role: Teacher

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From: ["Rich Sestak, Campaign Director" <info@joesestak.com>](#)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/10/2010 3:39:05 AM

Subject: Two Polls: Sestak 47% - Specter 42%



Dear John,

Sestak 47% - Specter 42%!

Two polls out this morning, *Muhlenberg College* daily tracking poll (47% - 42%) and *Rasmussen* poll (47% - 42%) have us up five points. **We've extended our lead, but there are still 11% undecideds that can still flip this race** from one side to the other!

In the remaining eight days, there will be a flurry of ads run by Arlen Specter attempting to break our momentum and arrest his downward spiral.

[Please make a contribution to continue our advancement; to reach the 11% undecideds AND to help us respond to Arlen Specter's flurry of ads!](#)

Every dollar that you are contributing these last few days is making a difference, [and fueling our surge!](#)

We're out there "fighting tooth and nail" for the future against a 30-year incumbent backed by the establishment. [Help us.](#)

Let's drive our campaign - the "people's campaign" - home to victory!

Best regards,
Rich Sestak,
Campaign Director

P.S. We capped off our weekend of rallies by Joe receiving the endorsement of the *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review*:

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Date: 12/5/2011 4:45:29 AM

Subject: Canceled: Executive Staff Call

From: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 2/27/2015 10:20:16 AM
Subject: CAP

I'm glad to have you back at CAP. I had actually missed you :)

From: "[Katie Vitale](#)" <katie@goyleforcongress.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 6/18/2010 7:40:26 AM

Subject: 6 days away! Raj Goyle in DC

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To: ["Tina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com)
Date: 11/1/2015 6:28:29 AM
Subject: Re: Bill Richardson

I just know he's said he will be supportive

> On Nov 1, 2015, at 1:24 PM, Tina Flournoy <Tina@presidentclinton.com> wrote:
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> Scheduled to meet with WJC this Tuesday (numerous requests from Richardson). Any notes? Thanks
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From: "Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>
To: [Robby <RobbyMook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:RobbyMook2015@gmail.com)
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 2/27/2015 10:52:47 AM
Subject: Re: Fwd: Foundation mtg

I think Bruce may want to be there.
Tina and Bari will also want to be present.

From: Robby Mook <RobbyMook2015@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, February 27, 2015 9:08:11 AM
To: Huma Abedin; John Podesta
Subject: Fwd: Foundation mtg

Consolidation it is!
Huma--let's proceed

You
John
Maura
Cheryl
Me
HRC
Wjc
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Anyone else?

Begin forwarded message:

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: February 27, 2015 at 8:48:48 AM EST
To: Robby Mook 2015 <RobbyMook2015@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: Foundation mtg

Im ok with that

On Feb 26, 2015 10:25 PM, "Robby Mook" <RobbyMook2015@gmail.com> wrote:

I like consolidating unless we think it's too many people

> On Feb 26, 2015, at 10:20 PM, Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

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> yes, we can do next wednesday.

> i know maura and tina have raised the notion of overall HRC relationship to CF and wanting to discuss with family. perhaps this could be one conversation.

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>> On Feb 26, 2015, at 6:55 PM, "Robby Mook" <RobbyMook2015@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> Huma

>> John and I were just discussing trying to convene a meeting next Tues or Wed with the family to discuss next steps on the Foundation. Do we think that's possible?

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From: "Matt Browne" <mbrowne@americanprogress.org>

To: "Matt Browne" <mbrowne@americanprogress.org>

Date: 10/23/2014 6:54:02 AM

Subject: INTERVISTA CON MATT BROWNE via La Stampa

Tre punti sono fondamentali, nella trasformazione del Pd che sta conducendo Matteo Renzi

<http://www.lastampa.it/2014/10/23/italia/politica/pddemocratici-usa-a-dicembre-in-italia-uniniziativa-comune-hNC63rRcgVfIQzVTAaNzeM/premium.html>



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john.podesta@gmail.com
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Date: 12/4/2008 4:31:42 AM

Subject: Possible politico story on CAP fundraising

I just talked to Ben Smith. He asked me if we were doing anything more to publicly disclose donors since we so many of CAP staff are so closely involved in the Transition. He posited that donors might give us money as a way of wooing John at the Transition and as a way for them to get around donating limits at the Transition.

I told him we weren't stupid, it was not our first trip to the rodeo, that we did not need to do that and would never put Podesta or the Transition in that position.

It is business as usual here, except John is gone and we are careful to not use his name in any promotional materials. I cited the book launch as an example.

I hope that this story will just go away. He said he would get back in touch if he was going to pursue something.

But this does tell me that we should continue to stay clear of overt fundraising campaigns.

From: "Opinion Miles Club" <info@opinionmilesclub.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 6/25/2015 10:45:56 PM

Subject: Make your opinion count!

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From: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 10/6/2015 3:22:57 AM
Subject: On travel Re: Fwd: FW: Interview request

Thank you for your email. I am traveling with limited access to email; please forgive my slow response.

If you need immediate assistance, please call Joanne Laszczych at 202-470-1080.

Thank you so much.

cdm

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Date: 2/10/2016 5:37:34 PM

Subject: Updated Invitation: Senior Staff Post-NH Check-In @ Wed Feb 10, 2016 7:30pm - 8:30pm
(john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Senior Staff Post-NH Check-In

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When

Wed Feb 10, 2016 7:30pm – 8:30pm Eastern Time

Where

Changed: NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa / 718-441-3763, no pin ([map](#))

Video call

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Calendar

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 8/26/2010 2:03:43 AM
Subject: Join Our Letter on the Muslim Community Center



[About VoteVets.org](#)

Dear John,

Since the debate erupted, we've kept out of the argument over the planned Community Center for Muslims in Lower Manhattan (falsely called the "Ground Zero Mosque"). Initially, we believed this was a local issue for New Yorkers to discuss. But, we can no longer stay silent. We need your help.

We're asking for you to join Iraq and Afghanistan veterans who already signed an open letter to the developer of the site, Sharif El-Gamal, supporting his right to develop the site, and expressing the view that allowing his community center to move forward will be a powerful tool in defeating the same terrorists we fought against in war.

[CLICK HERE TO SIGN OUR OPEN LETTER ON THE COMMUNITY CENTER FOR MUSLIMS](#)

There are two very important reasons we Iraq and Afghanistan veterans feel we must speak out. First and foremost, when we signed up for service, we swore to uphold the Constitution. For all the talk these days from some quarters about the importance of protecting the Constitution and allowing the free market to work unfettered, those same people are fighting against a person's right to buy property and worship freely. Our duty to protect the Constitution doesn't end when our service does. It's up to us to stand up for the right for all Americans to enjoy the Constitutional freedoms that so many around the world don't have.

Secondly, allowing the Community Center to move forward will deal a blow to the propaganda of al Qaeda and Islamist extremists, who recruit on the talking point that the United States is in a war against Islam. Of course, we're not. But, if those forces of intolerance win, it will certainly appear that we are in a war against one religion - Islam.

As Matthew Alexander, a former interrogator in Iraq, and VoteVets.org member wrote at the Huffington Post, "Imagine an al Qaeda recruiter attempting to sway a potential charge by citing an imaginary American war against Muslims but having to face the counterargument that Americans built a Muslim community center near the site of the former Twin Towers. The Cordoba House would be a powerful symbol of U.S. tolerance and freedom that will stand in direct contradiction to al Qaeda's narrative that Americans hate Muslims."

That's the point. Defeating al Qaeda will take the use of force. But it will also take destroying their ability to recruit, and that means winning hearts and minds. As veterans of the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan know, having the people on your side is of utmost importance.

[CLICK HERE TO JOIN US IN PROTECTING THE CONSTITUTION AND AMERICA](#)

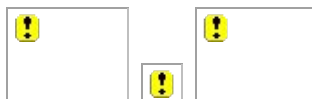
Please take a moment to click the link above to join Iraq and Afghanistan veterans in this open letter, supporting the right of Muslims to build a community center on property they lawfully bought. This is too important an issue for us to stay silent on any longer.

Sincerely,

Jon Soltz
(Follow me on Twitter - [@jonsoltz](#))
Iraq War Veteran
Chairman, VoteVets.org

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Date: 7/18/2012 10:11:22 AM

Subject: Check out http://medpac.gov/documents/07112012_MedPAC_Comment_CMS_demos_state

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From: "Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Oren Shur" <oshur@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 3/11/2016 7:44:05 AM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: Insert for St Louis rally

thanks Oren. I put this all in her brief.

On Fri, Mar 11, 2016 at 2:17 PM, Oren Shur <oshur@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

And important to know that republicans have a veto proof majority - they failed to override Nixons veto because labor and democrats waged a massive effort to educate the public and defeat it. Big empowerment moment for labor in the state last year

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 11, 2016, at 2:15 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Costa...I'm sorry! Two other quick points. There are major two major labor fights here and one is on going. She put a statement out against RTW which Republicans failed last year to override the Governor's veto of. If she could reference her opposition to RTW that would HUGE for this audience. Also, they have are currently fighting today "paycheck deception" in Missouri which would require public sector union workers to give annual consent for money to be taken out of their paychecks for union dues. This bill will likely pass and require the Governor's veto. Could she please say I stand with Missouri workers in the fight against "paycheck deception". That would be a double home run.

<http://www.stltoday.com/content/tncms/live/>

On Fri, Mar 11, 2016 at 2:03 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Stump insert for tomorrow's rally following a tour of the St. Louis carpenters' apprentice shop attached. Per Nikki, shout-out to the BUD program included, and per Matt, added a reference to the state Senate filibuster. Please send any comments this afternoon. Thanks!

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From:	"Vijay Das" < vijdas@gmail.com >
To:	undisclosed-recipients:
Date:	3/18/2016 3:23:03 AM
Subject:	Op-Ed USA Today 8 Years After The Fall of Bear Stearns and the 2008 Crash, Wall Street Impunity Lives On

Dear Friends & Colleagues,

Today is the 8th year anniversary of the collapse of Bear Stearns and the start of the Great Recession. My friend Arjun Singh Sethi and I co-authored an essay with *USA Today* on the lack of criminal accountability following the crash. I look forward to your thoughts.

Link: <http://usat.ly/1S6QdCM>

Best,

Vijay

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From: ["Alan Franklin, ProgressNow Colorado Education" <info@education.progressnowcolorado.org>](mailto:info@education.progressnowcolorado.org)
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NSA scolded in open Senate hearing

http://www.denverpost.com/politics/ci_24184393/nsa-scolded-open-senate-hearing

The nation's intelligence chiefs on Thursday acknowledged they would like to put the phone records of every American in a "lockbox," that there is no legal ceiling as to what they can collect, and that there is justification to collect other bulk data — like medical and business records — with court approval. Thursday's Senate Intelligence hearing was the first one to be open to the public since former National Security Agency contractor Edward Snowden launched his long string of leaks to American and foreign news organizations about the country's domestic surveillance programs.

Rep. Doug Lamborn wants to avoid government shutdown

<http://gazette.com/rep.-doug-lamborn-wants-to-avoid-government-shutdown/article/1506829>

Colorado Springs Congressman Doug Lamborn is backing a deal that could avert a government shutdown while setting up another showdown over Obamacare. The Republican is still all about undermining the Affordable Care Act. But he is joining a GOP movement to push the health care fight to a later vote over the nation's debt ceiling rather than tying up the federal budget.

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Colorado higher education leaders pen letter to congressional delegation for immigration reform

<http://blogs.denverpost.com/thespot/2013/09/26/colorado-higher-education-leaders-pen-letter-to-congressional-delegation-for-immigration-reform/100908/>

The presidents of five colleges in the state and Colorado State University's system chancellor have signed a letter asking their representatives in Congress to get a move on with immigration reform. Fairness and the economy can't wait any longer, they said. "Immigration reform would help Colorado's economy to thrive," Colorado College president Jill Tiefenthaler said in a statement released by the Partnership for a New American Economy, a bipartisan coalition of more than 500 mayors and heads of top U.S. businesses who have joined with education leaders nationwide "to support sensible immigration reform that will strengthen America's economy," according to the partnership.

Hickenlooper considering special legislative session in wake of Colorado floods

http://www.denverpost.com/breakingnews/ci_24183932/hickenlooper-considering-special-legislative-session-wake-colorado-floods

Gov. John Hickenlooper said Thursday he's assessing whether there is a need for a special legislative session in the aftermath of Colorado's massive, deadly floods that have wreaked havoc in 17 counties. "Each time an issue arises, we're saying, 'All right, do we need a special session or can we deal with that?'" Hickenlooper said at a news conference where he briefed reporters on the flood-recovery efforts. "And so far, most of the issues we've been able to deal with directly. That doesn't mean we've covered every avenue." Hickenlooper said it's a "matter of days" before a decision on a special session needs to be made.

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Group: More money won't fix problems

<http://www.chieftain.com/news/pueblo/1878635-120/education-maher-amendment-ballot>

The \$950 million for public education that would be generated from increased income taxes will not improve student achievement unless tested reforms accompany it, a spokeswoman for a group opposed to the Amendment 66 ballot initiative said Thursday. - See more at: <http://www.chieftain.com/news/pueblo/1878635-120/education-maher-amendment-ballot#sthash.YZNrriMM.dpuf>

Recall proponents still bristling

<http://coloradostatesman.com/content/994394-recall-proponents-still-bristling>

The revolutionary spirit held by proponents of two successful Colorado recalls appears to be gaining in strength without political borders. The message is simple: "no one is safe." Proponents of the two recalls earlier this month that ousted Senate President John Morse of Colorado Springs and Sen. Angela Giron of Pueblo — both Democrats — have now set their sights on "establishment Republicans," with the current target being state GOP Chairman Ryan Call.

RELATED: Colorado Republicans welcome new senators-elect at party reception

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Morgan County Commissioners vow to send rural representation resolution to state

http://www.denverpost.com/newsheadlines/ci_24172551/commissioners-vow-send-rural-representation-resolution-state

The Morgan County commissioners will send a resolution to the state in support of finding a means for more rural representation in the state legislature. While a preferred specific means of accomplishing this had yet to be determined, the commissioners said they understood local folks' reasons for wanting it by the end of last night's third rural representation public meeting.

Baisley elected new vice chair of state GOP

<http://coloradostatesman.com/content/994396-baisley-elected-new-vice-chair-state-gop>

The Colorado Republican Party central committee on Saturday in Denver elected a new vice chairman who hopes to offer a grassroots balance to Chairman Ryan Call's agenda. Douglas County Republican Mark Baisley, who challenged Call earlier this year for the chairmanship, will replace Don Ytterberg of Jefferson County, who is exiting in order to explore a run for congress in the 7th Congressional District.

Colorado's corrections chief promises reforms to parole

http://www.denverpost.com/breakingnews/ci_24185439/colorados-corrections-chief-promises-reforms-parole

Colorado's new executive director of corrections said he will unveil on Friday reforms and policy changes to the parole system when he appears before state legislators. "The corrections you see today will be much different starting tomorrow," Rick Raemisch told reporters who pressed him for details after the first day of legislative hearings on parole's shortcomings. He said he wanted to first reveal the changes to legislators during his scheduled testimony on Friday.

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Vestas Colorado plants bolstered by new wind-turbine contract

http://www.denverpost.com/breakingnews/ci_24183690/vestas-colorado-plants-bolstered-by-new-wind-turbine

Vestas Wind Systems, which has plants in Windsor, Brighton and Pueblo, announced Thursday its largest wind-turbine order in three years: 400 megawatts for two Texas wind farms. The wind farms are being built in south Texas by Duke Energy, the country's largest utility operator. The order is the largest globally since 2010 for Aarhus, Denmark-based Vestas.

RELATED: Vestas lands major order; Colorado factories will make turbines

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Shell will be in western Colo. 'for a while'

<http://www.postindependent.com/news/8297967-113/company-oil-tucker-shale>

The Royal Dutch Shell energy company, which announced this week it is shutting down its demonstration oil shale project in the Piceance Basin, is not exactly disappearing overnight, as happened 31 years ago when Exxon (as it was known then) pulled the plug on its oil shale operations in this region and plunged most of the state into an economic recession. "We'll be there for a while," said Shell spokeswoman Carolyn Tucker on Thursday, noting that the company has much to do before it can call it a day and move on to other pursuits.

Cyclists protesting for Thompson Divide in Glenwood on Friday

<http://www.postindependent.com/news/8297195-113/cyclists-glenwood-dexter-divide>

Lawmakers take aim at ski water plan

<http://durangoherald.com/article/20130926/NEWS01/130929592/-1/News01/Lawmakers-take-aim-at-ski-water-plan->

A look back: 80th anniversary of the Repeal of Prohibition in Colorado

<http://blogs.denverpost.com/thespot/2013/09/26/a-look-back-80th-anniversary-of-the-repeal-of-prohibition-in-colorado/100859/>

Colorado economy creating more jobs in 2013

http://www.denverpost.com/breakingnews/ci_24183832/colorado-economy-creating-more-jobs-2013

The Colorado economy — led by private-sector hiring — created jobs at a faster pace in the first eight months of 2013 than the same period in 2012, according to Broomfield economist Gary Horvath. In the 2013 eight-month period, 58,500 jobs were added, a 2.5 percent increase compared with the first eight months of 2012, Horvath said.

Boulder County commissioners adopt mini moratorium on recreational marijuana business applications

http://www.timescall.com/longmont-local-news/ci_24184851/boulder-county-commissioners-adopt-mini-moratorium-recreational-marijuana

County commissioners Thursday approved a 22-day mini-moratorium -- effective Oct. 1 -- on accepting applications from businesses that might seek to grow or sell recreational marijuana from locations in unincorporated Boulder County.

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<http://www.vaildaily.com/news/8300222-113/county-eagle-marijuana-businesses>

Mesa County a drone zone?

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RTD chooses name for new bus service: FreeMetroRide

http://www.denverpost.com/breakingnews/ci_24182856/rtd-names-free-circulator-bus-service-denver

Trash fee to rise in Louisville next week, as diversion rate stagnates

http://www.dailycamera.com/louisville-news/ci_24186129/trash-fee-rise-louisville-next-week-diversion-rate

Weld County public test of election equipment is Oct. 2

http://www.timescall.com/longmont-local-news/ci_24183915/weld-county-public-test-election-equipment-is-oct

Colorado Springs to outsource some IT functions means 20 job cuts

<http://gazette.com/colorado-springs-to-outsource-some-it-functions-means-20-job-cuts/article/1506840>

School board candidates defend support of vouchers

<http://coloradostatesman.com/content/994395-school-board-candidates-defend-support-vouchers>

University of Colorado Denver works to forge its own identity

http://www.denverpost.com/news/ci_24185941/university-colorado-denver-works-forge-its-own-identity

Boulder Valley schools applying for federal Race to the Top grant

http://www.dailycamera.com/boulder-county-schools/ci_24185375/boulder-valley-schools-applying-federal-race-top-grant

Summit County judge set to head 5th Judicial District starting in December

<http://www.vaildaily.com/news/8268852-113/district-judge-chief-judicial>

Denver judge upholds firing of 2 police officers in 2009 beating case

http://www.denverpost.com/breakingnews/ci_24185614/denver-judge-upholds-firing-police-officers-2009-beating

Elite Denver officer suspended on suspicion of drug use

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Date: 10/24/2012 4:52:02 AM

Subject: Thank you, John

John --

Barack would like to thank you personally for all you're doing -- but now's the time to take the next step in your support.

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I'm looking forward to finishing the campaign back in Chicago, our home, where it all started.

Here's the thing: There's a lot more work to be done, and Barack and I need you to get on board and take ownership of this campaign if we're going to be celebrating on November 6th.

Chip in \$5 or whatever you can right now, and you'll be automatically entered to be there. You and a guest could be flown out and put up for free -- give it a shot:

<https://donate.barackobama.com/Election-Night>

Thank you for all you've done -- and for working even harder from now till Election Day,

Michelle

P.S. -- The campaign will take care of airfare and accommodations. **[All you have to do is enter.](#)**

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From: "Light, Betty" <blight@steptoe.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 7/28/2014 12:02:58 PM

Subject: FW: June Invoice

Attachments: CSCbill.pdf

Attached is the back up for the 548.50. This bill was for legal expenses and not legal work. Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Thank you

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Sent: Friday, July 25, 2014 8:47 PM

To: Light, Betty

Subject: Re: June Invoice

What work was done to generate this bill?

JP

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On Jul 25, 2014, at 2:34 PM, "Light, Betty" <blight@steptoe.com> wrote:

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Subject: On this NYT story

http://mobile.nytimes.com/2015/09/12/us/politics/hillary-clinton-email-secretary-of-state.html?referrer=&_r=0

I told no reporter that I emailed Hillary. I just want to be clear on that with you. I'm sure a million people emailed Monday/Tuesday, but I just want to be to crystal clear on this. I would never talk to a reporter something like this.

From: "Robin dalton" <petitions-noreply@moveon.org>

To: "John Podesta, White House Counselor" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 9/4/2015 4:10:50 PM

Subject: I'm the 148th signer: "No Fishing in Pacific Remote Islands Marine National Monument"

Dear John Podesta,

I just signed a petition addressed to you titled [No Fishing in Pacific Remote Islands Marine National Monument](#). So far, 148 people have signed the petition.

You can reach me directly by replying to this email. Or, post a response for MoveOn.org to pass along to all petition signers by clicking here: http://petitions.cloudon.moveon.org/target_talkback.html?tt=tt-76176-custom-44536-20250904-i8h7RX

The petition states:

"U.S. President Barack Obama has proposed expanding the pristine Pacific Remote Islands Marine National Monument from 87,000 sq mi. to 782,000 sq mi., but is considering an exemption for the sport fishing industry and the US Tuna fleet. Tell our leaders: No fishing, no exceptions in the new expanded monument! "

My additional comments are:

Save the whales

To download a PDF file of all of your constituents who have signed the petition, including their addresses, click this link: http://petitions.cloudon.moveon.org/deliver_pdf.html?job_id=1616305&target_type=custom&target_id=44536

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From:	"Georgetown Law Media Relations" < GeorgetownLawMediaRelations@law.georgetown.edu >
To:	"Media Relations" < MediaRelations@law.georgetown.edu >
Date:	9/18/2015 11:37:14 AM
Subject:	Georgetown Law Celebrates Constitution Day

Georgetown Law celebrated Constitution Day on Sept. 17 with a panel discussion on "Too Many Secrets? Transparency and Accountability in the Post-9/11 National Security State." Read and watch [here](#).

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Philippe Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com>
Date: 3/5/2015 4:44:42 AM
Subject: Re: Thought

BIG EGO. Thinks of himself as Hill expert. Wants in. This is the kind of rifle shot he'd be good at. Can you reach out to him

On Mar 5, 2015 11:40 AM, "Philippe Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

I assume it's not coincidence that he emailed Cheryl!

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >
Date: Thu, 5 Mar 2015 11:32:45 -0500
To: Philippe Reines<pir@hrcoffice.com> >
Subject: Re: Thought

Abbe lowell.

On Mar 5, 2015 8:56 AM, "Philippe Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

I told HRC yesterday I was going to submit FOIA requests to the Rs on the committee and Chaffetz etc just to trigger their offices sending me replies that Congress is exempt from FOIA and therefore they are rejecting my request.

She loved the idea, just preferred it not come from me. Ideas on who should do?

On Mar 5, 2015, at 8:52 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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When I worked for the leadership we had a records retention policy to actively destroy all emails after 3 or 6 months . Each office made up its own policy. Reporters should be asking congress and individual members what their policy is ? Do they use private accounts for biz ? Why does fioa not apply to them ?

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/16/2015 6:10:41 AM

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Date: 12/6/2014 6:23:13 PM

Subject: From The Washington Post: Column: Is Jeb Bush really prepared to lose in order to win?

Worth the read for the positioning.

"Bush's comments provide a contrast to those of Hillary Rodham Clinton, who is going through the same decision-making process as he is. He has been more open about his considerations and is seemingly farther along in knowing what he would make his campaign about and how it would conduct it, should he decide to run."

A friend shared this article with you from The Washington Post:

He still hasn't declared his decision about 2016, but he has charted a course to avoid the negativity vortex..

<http://wapo.st/1vrtS4c>

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lisabrown3660@gmail.com
Date: 10/23/2008 6:30:49 PM
Subject: transition agency review teams

Hi folks, I just wanted to let you know that word is starting to get around that the Obama transition team has a policy of not including any Hill staffers on the transition effort. I understand the conflict of interest issues and also the desire not to repeat the big transition effort of 1992, but this may create unnecessary drama. If nothing else the 1992 experience flawed though it was, by including hill staffers, provided opportunities to keep people occupied and busy, instead of carping and criticizing. Though I suspect there will be no appetite to open this up even a little bit to hill staffers, maybe one idea would be to be very public when the transition is announced about actively soliciting input from stakeholders and interested parties. I know you've already thought of that, which is why each team is being asked to develop the outreach strategy, but I just wanted to pass on why it is so critical. Best, Maria

From: "Garett Reppenhagen, VoteVets.org" <info@votevets.org>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/8/2015 8:56:35 AM

Subject: I didn't serve in Iraq to return to a war zone



John -

As an Iraq War Veteran, I understand the dangers of firearms and the importance of keeping them out the hands of criminals and the dangerously mentally ill.

As a Coloradan, I also have a deep and abiding respect for our national tradition of gun ownership in this country and our rights to defend family and property.

I believe it is possible to hold both of those views simultaneously -- that there is a way to change our gun laws while respecting the constitutionally protected right to bear arms. Ensuring all Americans pass a background check to guarantee that those who carry weapons are law abiding citizens would be a good first step.

As the debate over gun violence prevention reignites after yet another mass shooting, it's important that veterans (our nation's foremost experts on weapons), military family members, and VoteVets supporters make our voices heard.

[Sign my petition: Tell Congress to pass commonsense gun laws that will keep guns out of the hands of criminals and the dangerously mentally ill.](#)

Throughout my military experience, I trained and performed combat missions with a conservative magazine limit. Every soldier carried a full combat load and the magazines were constructed to minimize malfunction and to be effective in tactical situations.

Currently some states allow the same size magazines I was issued as a Cavalry Scout and in some cases the clips they are allowed to carry have a larger capacity. Basically, these laws allow our citizens to be more combat effective in our communities than I was in Iraq.

In the military, every recruit is scrutinized for any moral deficiency and criminal history before entering basic training and being issued a weapon. But here at home, criminals are able to get their hands on this kind of firepower without even passing a background check.

It makes no sense, and Congress must act.

[Sign my petition: Tell Congress to pass commonsense laws that will keep guns out of the hands of criminals and the dangerously mentally ill.](#)

During the Iraq War, Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld compared the violence in Iraq to Chicago, saying about both, "It's a tough part of the world."

We should strive for better. And if Congress acts on this issue, we can save lives.

Thank you for reading,

Garett Reppenhagen
Iraq War Veteran

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Date: 6/26/2015 10:48:28 PM

Subject: Obama Delivers Eulogy in Charleston - Video - NYTimes.com

If you haven't listened to this, you should. It especially takes off about the 13th minute.

If only he could have spoken like this more often.

[http://www.nytimes.com/video/us/100000003767801/obama-delivers-eulogy-in-.html?](http://www.nytimes.com/video/us/100000003767801/obama-delivers-eulogy-in-.html?hp&action=click&pgtype=Homepage&modref=HPVideoRefer&module=second-column-region&ion=top-news&WT.nav=top-news)

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To: ["Laura Graham" <lgraham@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:lgraham@clintonfoundation.org)
Date: 3/22/2015 2:45:59 PM
Subject: Re: Reference request

Happy to. Do I need to do something tomorrow or just be listed as a reference?

JP

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> On Mar 22, 2015, at 4:17 PM, Laura Graham <lgraham@clintonfoundation.org> wrote:

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> Hi John. Hope all is well. I'm sorry to bother you BC I know how busy you are. I wanted to ask if you would be willing to be a reference for a UN job I'm applying for, head of the UN Global Compact. The deadline for the app is tomorrow and it took me awhile to track down current contact info for you so apologize for weekend bother and short turnaround time. I have decided to leave the foundation to explore other opportunities preferably in development on a wider scope. I have BC full support and he's offered his help so I'm looking at the UN, this job in particular, as well as others. Given my work with you at the White House and at cf I was hoping you would be willing to help and be a reference. Again sorry for the bother. Thanks for your consideration. Best Laura

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> Sent from my iPhone

From:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To:	"Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>
Date:	8/16/2015 8:40:54 AM
Subject:	Fwd: Ellen Tauscher
Attachments:	ATT00001.txt Ellen Tauscher.vcf

Ellen wants to go out on emails. Former Undersecretary of State.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com>

Date: Sunday, August 16, 2015

Subject: Ellen Tauscher

To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

From: ["Varun Anand" <vanand@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 7/10/2015 4:48:22 AM
Subject: Re: 11am Call Today

Bumping this to make sure your bosses get on—thank you!

On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 11:33 AM, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
+ John.

On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 11:30 AM, Varun Anand <vanand@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Hey guys,

Turns out everyone just hung up after the NYT Magazine portion before Kristina could mention the Q&A part, but could everyone please dial back in at 11:45 to discuss Q&A? Thank you!

On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 10:59 AM, Esterhay, Ellen <Ellen.Esterhay@gmmb.com> wrote:

> Fyi Jim may be a few minutes late. Pulling him out of another meeting that is running long
>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Varun Anand [mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com]

> Sent: Friday, July 10, 2015 10:53 AM

> To: Esterhay, Ellen

> Cc: Shannon Currie; caitlin@grunwald-communications.com; Milia Fisher; Justin Taleisnik

> Subject: Re: 11am Call Today
>

> Yes, I've told both Oren and Justin.
>

> On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 10:52 AM, Esterhay, Ellen <Ellen.Esterhay@gmmb.com> wrote:

>> And Oren definitely knows Jim and Mandy will be on this call instead of doing script review? Haven't received a cancellation yet. looping in Justin.

>>

>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Varun Anand [mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com]

>> Sent: Friday, July 10, 2015 10:49 AM

>> To: Shannon Currie

>> Cc: caitlin@grunwald-communications.com; Milia Fisher; Esterhay, Ellen

>> Subject: Re: 11am Call Today
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>> The NYT piece is not out yet. Just sent out the GCal invite -- thanks all!
>>

>> On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 10:45 AM, Shannon Currie <scurrie@bsgco.com> wrote:

>>> Is the NYT piece out already, and if so can you forward?

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>>> Cheers,

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>>> Shannon

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>>> -----Original Message-----

>>> From: Varun Anand [mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com]

>>> Sent: Friday, July 10, 2015 10:44 AM

>>> To: caitlin@grunwald-communications.com

>>> Cc: Milia Fisher; Shannon Currie; Esterhay, Ellen

>>> Subject: Re: 11am Call Today

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>>> Just spoke with Oren—he said it's fine to move his call.

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>>> So we're going to do this at 11am. Will send out the calendar invite.

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>>> On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 10:41 AM, Caitlin Merchant <caitlin@grunwald-communications.com> wrote:

>>>> I can on this end. But it's up to Oren. It's his meeting with

>>>> GMMB, Grunwald Communications and Dixon Davis Caitlin Merchant

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>>>> On Jul 10, 2015, at 10:37 AM, Varun Anand <vanand@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>>>> Can that be moved? I think they need to talk about this now.

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>>>> On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 10:37 AM, Caitlin Merchant

>>>> <caitlin@grunwald-communications.com> wrote:

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>>>> Won't work. Mandy and Jim have a script call at 11am.

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>>>> On Jul 10, 2015, at 10:35 AM, Varun Anand <vanand@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>>>> Hi all,

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>>>> We need your bosses for an 11am call with Jennifer, Kristina, and

>>>> Christina about the NYT magazine piece and Q&A. Please let me know

>>>> if this will not work for you. Thanks!

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Subject: phone numbers

011-041-529-4111 general hosp. number

011-041-529-4707 doctor

He is at Ospedale SS Giovanne e paolo

The nurse asked told him his GF was calling & asked if I was there in Venice & he said yes..

so--either he has other GF, or he is disoriented :)

all i know is said his throat was swollen to twice the size, he had seen doctor & was on antibiotics & steroids as of yesterday, but when i contacted him this morning..he couldn't speak & all I got was that he was in hospital..

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Date: 9/15/2015 7:05:03 AM

Subject: methane follow up

John,

Thanks for reaching out. Our team has pulled together some materials to illustrate how the community has been framing the methane leaks problem. It ranges from early polling (new polling is anticipated shortly—we will share as soon as this becomes publicly available); messaging we’ve seen re-occur around the notion of “zero tolerance”; digital and print media that has been produced as a result of our efforts. Lastly, I pass on some basic talking points we use publicly.

Best, Fred

Early poll by ALA. <http://www.lung.org/healthy-air/outdoor/resources/clean-air-survey/methane-survey-2014.html>

Research has found that videos of methane leaks is a powerful tool to communicate the issue to the public. Clean Air Task Force, Moms Clean Air Force, and Western Values Project have produced videos that are catalogued on the coalition website www.methanefacts.com [this site includes the most recent positive editorials that have been placed, share graphics, etc]; direct link to videos: <http://www.methanefacts.org/videos/>

“Zero tolerance” frame first emerges in the Colorado methane rules debate (by Hickenlooper); it gets recycled by O’Malley 2 years later.

Colorado

February 12, 2013; go to the 1:42:15 mark in the video (at 1:45 he uses the zero tolerance phrase) <http://www.energy.senate.gov/public/index.cfm/hearings-and-business-meetings?ID=0e5d5793-4e30-4fcd-a7c3-791c985b302e>

In raw audio footage posted by Aspen Public Radio (<http://www.aspenpublicradio.org/post/fractivists-push-statewide-moratorium>) the governor said: “The industry has to belly up to the bar and say alright, we will hold ourselves to zero tolerance... and I think they will do it.”

Gov. John Hickenlooper wants to make sure “our air regulations are good for the environment,” governor spokesman Eric Brown said. “Getting methane emissions to zero, or as close to zero as we can get them, remains an administration goal.” [Front Range smog complicates push for oil and gas industry air rules](#) - Denver Post

O’Malley

“As president, I would direct the Environmental Protection Agency to take aggressive action to limit greenhouse gases: expanding rules to other large sources of emissions beyond power plants, adopting a zero-tolerance policy for methane leaks from current oil and gas production, and setting higher energy efficiency standards for new buildings while requiring energy costs to be transparent to building tenants and purchasers.” <http://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2015/06/18/pope-francis-encyclical-clean-energy-technology-campaign-column/28859409/>

Basic Talking Points

Oil and gas companies emit 7 million tons of methane from their operations every year.

- o Methane escaping from the oil and gas industry has the same 20-year climate impact as 160 coal-fired power plants, and represents enough wasted natural gas to heat over 5 million homes.
- o These emissions are currently projected to increase 25 percent over the next decade.

The latest studies strongly indicate that the actual amount is much higher.

- o A study published in August by Colorado State University says previously unrecorded emissions from thousands of U.S. gathering facilities are eight times higher than estimates.
- o And, a series of studies looking at the Barnett Shale play recently found that overall emissions are roughly 50 percent higher than current estimates.
- o In other words, methane emissions are a big problem that’s only getting bigger.

Solutions to cut these emissions are highly cost-effective and, when broadly used, they improve air quality without negative economic impacts.

- o A study by ICF International concluded that the oil and gas industry could cut methane emissions 40 percent for about one penny per thousand cubic feet of gas produced. That’s one-third of 1 percent at today’s prices.
- o States as diverse as Colorado, Wyoming, and Ohio are already proving that we can have strong emission standards without costing jobs or production.

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Subject: NYT: U.S. and Allies Weigh Military Action Against ISIS in Libya

<http://www.nytimes.com/2016/01/23/world/africa/us-and-allies-said-to-plan-military-action-on-isis-in-libya.html>

U.S. and Allies Weigh Military Action Against ISIS in Libya

By ERIC SCHMITT and HELENE COOPER JAN. 22, 2016

WASHINGTON — Worried about a growing threat from the Islamic State in Libya, the United States and its allies are increasing reconnaissance flights and intelligence collecting there and preparing for possible airstrikes and commando raids, senior American policy makers, commanders and intelligence officials said this week.

While no decision has been finalized about when the United States and its allies will formally expand action in Libya against the Islamic State, also known as ISIS or ISIL, administration officials indicated that it might be very soon. A decision will probably come in “weeks” but “not hours,” Gen. Joseph F. Dunford Jr., the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said Friday.

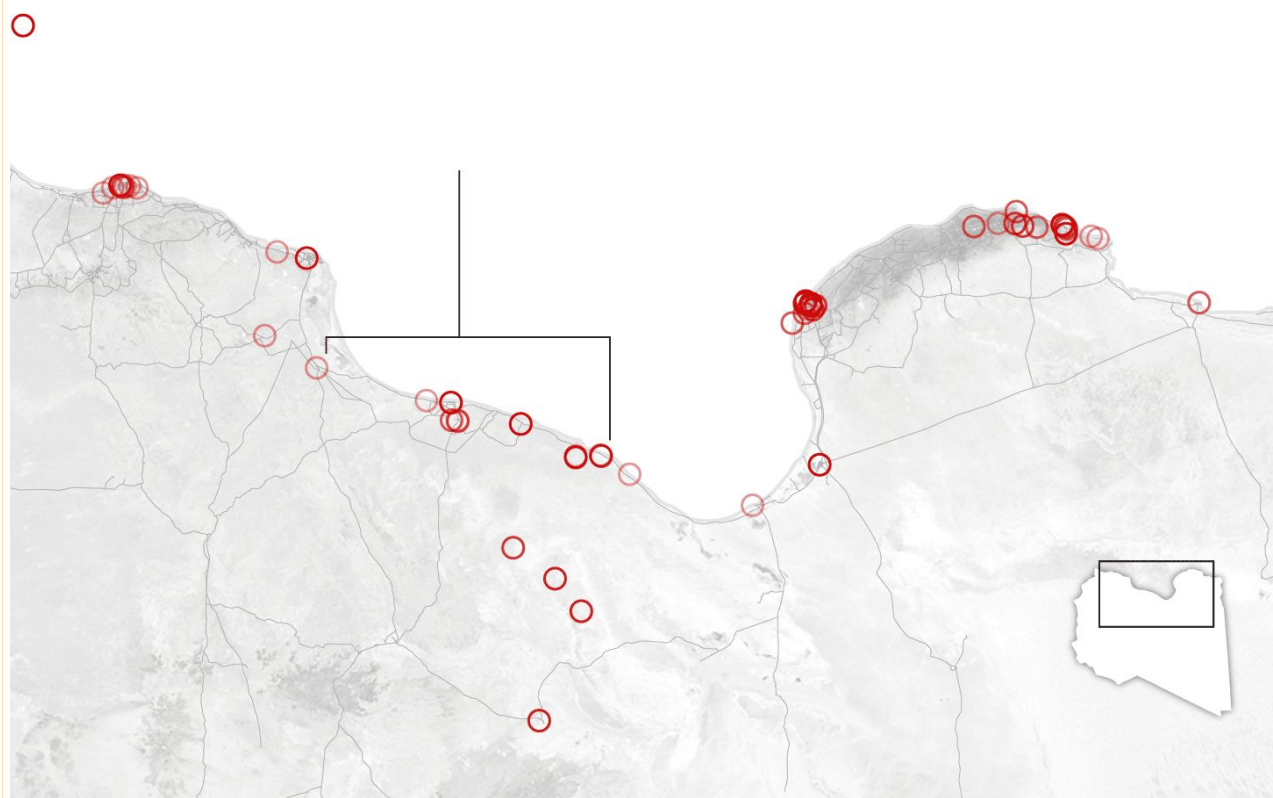
“It’s fair to say that we’re looking to take decisive military action against ISIL in conjunction with the political process” in Libya, General Dunford said. “The president has made clear that we have the authority to use military force.”

United States and British Special Operations teams have for months been conducting clandestine reconnaissance missions in Libya to identify militant leaders and map out their networks. Separate teams of American Special Operations forces have over the past year been trying to court allies from among a patchwork of Libyan militias that remain unreliable, unaccountable, poorly organized and divided by region and tribe.

In recent weeks, military commanders have intensified their warnings about the threat from the Islamic State in Libya, where Western officials believe the group now has about 3,000 fighters. Recruits are pouring into Libya weekly, as the journey to Iraq and Syria has become more difficult with Turkey tightening its border with Syria, intelligence officials said.

General Dunford said the United States, France, Italy and Britain are looking with urgency at how to stem the growth in the power of the Islamic State in Libya before it spreads throughout North Africa and the sub-Saharan countries. In particular, he said it was important to “put a firewall” between the Islamic State in Libya and other militant Islamic extremist groups on the African continent, while working to strengthen the ability of African militaries and governments to fight those groups themselves.

Where the Islamic State Is Active in Libya



Episodes of violence by ISIS or its affiliates in 2015

ISIS controls more than 150 miles of coastline around Surt

Meeting in Europe this week with counterparts from Britain, Italy and France, General Dunford discussed a broad array of military options to turn up the pressure on the Islamic State in Libya.

Officials said there was agreement that the United States and its allies needed to find ways of shoring up Libya’s new government of national accord — established just this week — with help from the United Nations but stuck, as of now, in a hotel in Tunis.

France, General Dunford said, will work closely with the United States Africa Command on a plan.

But that may be particularly challenging given that the new government has yet to gain support from the opposing parliaments in Tripoli and Tobruk, separated by the length of the country.

“Although I want to move quickly,” General Dunford told reporters traveling with him in Paris on Friday, “we’ve got to make sure we do this right.” He said that “unchecked, I am concerned about the spread of ISIL in Libya,” adding that he believed that “military leaders owe the president a way ahead.”

All this week, other top American defense leaders were sounding similar notes. “Libya will continue to be a challenge in the year to come, illustrating the new reality where small organizations wield undeserved power,” Defense Secretary Ashton B. Carter said in a speech in Paris.

“There is a concern about Libya,” Gen. Joseph L. Votel, the head of the military’s Special Operations Command, said at a conference in Washington this week. “It can’t all be about Iraq and Syria.”

Libya could present the West with challenges equal to those an American-led coalition faces in fighting the Islamic State in Syria and Iraq. In those two countries, the Islamic State is hemmed in by a host of armed groups with international backing and is being pummeled by American, British and other allied airstrikes.

In Libya, where a NATO bombing campaign helped overthrow Col. Muammar el-Qaddafi four years ago, there is no functional government. Warring factions are far more focused on fighting one another than on battling the Islamic State, and Libya’s neighbors are all too weak or unstable to lead or even host a military intervention.

On Tuesday, Libya’s Presidential Council announced a new government to bring together the groups. But the cabinet nominees still need to be approved by Libya’s internationally

recognized Parliament, which sits in Tobruk, in the east.

The Islamic State already has established exclusive control of more than 150 miles of Mediterranean [coastline near Surt](#) , Mr. Qaddafi's hometown.

One of the Islamic State's most senior leaders, a former Iraqi Army officer under Saddam Hussein now known as Abu Ali al-Anbari, arrived late last year in Libya by boat from across the Mediterranean, residents and Western officials say. Another senior Islamic State operative from Syria, known as Abu Omar, also arrived in Libya recently to help cement the group's gains, American intelligence officials said this week.

Another senior Iraqi leader of the Islamic State — Wissam Najm Abd Zayd al Zubaydi, also known as Abu Nabil — may have served as the group's top commander in Libya until he was [killed in November](#) in an American airstrike near the eastern Libyan city of Darnah.

Counterterrorism officials regard the Libyan branch as the Islamic State's most dangerous affiliate, one that is expanding its territory and continuing to mount deadly attacks, including several this month.

"The ISIL branch in Libya is one that is taking advantage of the deteriorating security conditions in Libya, putting itself in the position to coordinate ISIL efforts across North Africa," Nicholas J. Rasmussen, the director of the National Counterterrorism Center, said in an interview on C-Span last month.

President Obama's top national security and foreign policy advisers have participated in several high-level meetings, called principals and deputies meetings, in recent weeks to discuss a range of diplomatic and military options for Libya.

"On [ISIS](#) in Libya, we have to be more assertive," said Ben Fishman, a former top National Security Council official on North Africa affairs and editor of a new book, "North Africa in Transition." "We have to increase bombing of ISIS while we are working to support the new unity government."

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Im happy to drive you both out at 800pm
Kiss the birthday girl
Be home by 930

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To: Tony Podesta
Subject: RE: tahoe

Answer is it's not your job to drive me anymore. John got back in the wee hours this morning (rather than tonight) and assuming he is up for it, we will both go. He is staying mum about it for now, however, as he doesn't know for sure how he will feel. (If it turns out he is too beat to go, I'll stay here with him.)

What time are you going? He now plans to come home about 8 pm and drive out from here with the idea of not staying long. Let's stay in touch. I suppose it is possible for the stars to align for the three of us to drive together if his timing works for you too.

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Cc: Tony Podesta
Subject: Re: tahoe

Am I driving you to Paige Gardner birthday tonight

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 8, 2014, at 4:59 PM, "Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com> wrote:

Would love it if it worked. I don't know what John decided -- Martha's vineyard with Herb Sandler. Or whether we can do Tahoe and then Herb. I get back to DC tomorrow night.

On Jul 8, 2014 1:48 PM, "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Are you guys going to be in Truckee Aug 15, 16, 17?
There is this Harry Reid thing I might come to in Tahoe.
Much more likely if you are there.
Let me know.

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08 Election Daily News Clips January 18th, 2008

Candidate Tracking:

8am Huckabee: Rally in Bluffton, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

8:45am McCain: GOTV Event in Florence, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

9am Thompson: Meet and Greet in Seneca, SC

10am Huckabee: Rally in Aiken, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

10:40am Romney: Rally in Elko, NV

– Tracking Scheduled

11:15am McCain: GOTV Event in Myrtle Beach, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

11:15am Thompson: Tours Pickens, SC

12pm Huckabee: Rally in Greenville, SC

1pm Thompson: Event in Spartanburg, SC

1:45pm Romney: Rally in Reno, NV

– Tracking Scheduled

2pm McCain: Rally in Hilton Head Island, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

3pm Thompson: Thompson tours in Greenville, SC

3pm Huckabee: Rally in Spartanburg, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

5pm Giuliani: Meeting in Cape Canaveral, FL

5:45pm McCain: Rally in Mount Pleasant, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

6pm Thompson: Pre-Election Rally in Greenville, SC

6pm Huckabee: Rally in Rock Hill, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

6:45pm Giuliani: Meet and Greet in Titusville, FL

– Tracking Scheduled

9pm Huckabee: Event in Columbia, SC

– Tracking Scheduled

News Clips:

MCCAIN

John McCain's real war record (Salon, 1/17/08)

On the campaign trail he touts his sharp criticism of Donald Rumsfeld and the Bush administration on Iraq. But a look at McCain's record reveals a different war story.

<http://www.salon.com/news/feature/2008/01/17/mccain/>

The martyrdom of John McCain (Politico, 1/18/08)

COLUMBIA, S.C. – The national media thinks John McCain is under siege again, and his campaign is only too happy to help reporters file their stories.

<http://www.politico.com/news/stories/0108/7962.html>

There's Something About McCain (Weekly Standard, 1/18/08)

JOHN MCCAIN'S STRIDENT opposition to drilling in ANWR provides a belated opportunity for clarity. Republicans would be better off viewing McCain as a Scoop Jackson Democrat living under the Republican "big tent." They should consider any typical Republican positions he takes aside from his unstinting correctness on national security issues a bonus. Especially if McCain should become president, this mindset could help millions of Republicans retain their sanity over the ensuing four years.

<http://www.weeklystandard.com/Content/Public/Articles/000/000/014/604zvaab.asp>

McCain Proposes Business Tax Cuts (AP, 1/18/08)

Despite calls in Washington for short-term economic relief, John McCain proposed a long-term economic plan on Thursday that would lower the corporate income tax rate and provide a host of other tax breaks for business. "We will get through this rough patch, my friends," McCain told supporters. <http://ap.google.com/article/ALeqM5g6OTvvWxmdp5Q2lvjYry89lkh1YwD8U7RD7O0>

HUCKABEE**Holy Constitution! (Salon, 1/18/08)**

Behind the happy, healthy, guitar-strumming campaign style that has so besotted the national press corps, Mike Huckabee looks like something considerably less charming -- a zealous proponent of the "biblical" reformation of every aspect of American society. <http://www.salon.com/opinion/conason/2008/01/18/huckabee/index.html>

Huckabee: Outsiders not welcome in Confederate flag decisions (CNN, 1/17/08)

Former Arkansas Gov. Mike Huckabee told South Carolina voters Thursday that the government had no business making decisions over the Confederate flag. <http://politicalticker.blogs.cnn.com/2008/01/17/huckabee-outsiders-not-welcome-in-confederate-flag-decisions/>

Huckabee takes heat for gay marriage comments (CNN, 1/18/08)

Republican Mike Huckabee is taking heat from some members of the gay community over recent comments that appeared to equate gay marriage with bestiality. <http://politicalticker.blogs.cnn.com/2008/01/18/huckabee-takes-heat-for-gay-marriage-comments/>

ROMNEY**Romney Gets Riled (Newsweek, 1/17/08)**

At last, a moment of drama amid a very scripted campaign. Romney and an AP reporter mix it up over lobbyists <http://www.newsweek.com/id/94995>

Link to video: <http://embeds.blogs.foxnews.com/2008/01/17/romney-has-an-angry-exchange-over-lobbyist-claim/>

Limbaugh's praise for Romney's run heard loud and clear (Boston Globe, 1/18/08)

Host talking up candidate, rapping rivals on the air http://www.boston.com/news/nation/articles/2008/01/18/limbaughs_praise_for_romneys_run_heard_loud_and_clear/

Can Mitt Catch On? (Real Clear Politics, 1/18/08)

Romney's win in Michigan keeps his candidacy alive - but what are the odds that he will win the nomination? I'm not sure, but they are much reduced from what they were six months ago. http://www.realclearpolitics.com/horseraceblog/2008/01/can_mitt_catch_on.html

GIULIANI**Giuliani Had Ties to Company Trying to Sell Border Technology (New York Times, 1/18/08)**

On the presidential campaign trail, former Mayor Rudolph W. Giuliani often promotes the installation of electronic monitoring devices at the border to stem illegal immigration, without mentioning that until a few months ago, he was partner in a company trying to market such technology. http://www.nytimes.com/2008/01/18/us/politics/18fence.html?_r=1&ref=politics&oref=slogin

Shifting Tactics, Giuliani Uses (Some of) Romney's Words Against Him (CBS, 1/18/08)

In the latest ad from Rudy Giuliani's campaign, the former mayor uses a quote from rival candidate Mitt Romney to highlight the mayor's own record of fiscal conservatism.

<http://www.cbsnews.com/blogs/2008/01/17/politics/fromtheroad/entry3725695.shtml>

Link to vide of ad ("Quotes"): http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MtTdmRL_F2A

THOMPSON**Fred Thompson Gets Mad (Washington Post, 1/17/08)**

PROSPERITY, S.C. -- You rarely see Fred Thompson get too riled about anything, but steam was near about shooting from his ears today when he heard at a campaign stop that some of his supporters had received "push poll" calls from a group supporting Arkansas governor Mike Huckabee. http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/01/17/fred_thompson_gets_mad_1.html

The Anti Soundbite Candidate (Real Clear Politics, 1/18/08)

But Fred Thompson is perhaps the most substantive candidate to run for President in many years. He has taken the time to think about what should be the relationship between the government and the governed. He has framed his thoughts within the context of a set of bedrock conservative principles that animates his thinking and generates sound ideas about where America should be headed.

http://www.realclearpolitics.com/articles/2008/01/the_anti_soundbite_candidate.html

GENERAL ELECTION NEWS**SC Poll: McCain, Huckabee Tied; Obama Up 9 (Real Clear Politics, 1/17/08)**

In a new MSNBC/McClatchy/Mason-Dixon poll (Jan. 14-16, 400 GOP LV, 400 Dem LV, MoE +/- 5%), McCain and Huckabee are in a statistical tie for the lead:

McCain 27
Huckabee 25
Romney 15
Thompson 13
Paul 6
Giuliani 5

http://time-blog.com/real_clear_politics/2008/01/sc_poll_mccain_huckabee_tied.html

FL Poll: McCain, Giuliani Lead The Rest (Real Clear Politics, 1/18/08)

A new Research 2000 poll in Florida (Jan. 14-16, 500 GOP LV, MoE +/- 4.5%):

McCain 26
Giuliani 22
Huckabee 17

Romney 16

Thompson 7

Paul 5

http://time-blog.com/real_clear_politics/2008/01/fl_poll_clinton_up_big.html

Confederate Flag Takes Center Stage Once Again (New York Times, 1/18/08)

The Republican presidential candidates on Thursday moved to appeal to different types of conservative voters before the South Carolina primary, with Mike Huckabee using colorful language to declare the Confederate flag a states' rights issue and Senator John McCain embracing a supply-side tax cut proposal.

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/01/18/us/politics/18campaign.html?ref=politics>

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I for one have no issue with this -- support it in fact -- and wonder whether HRC shouldn't also go.

On Tue, Jul 28, 2015 at 2:35 PM, Amitabh Desai <ami@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

Dear Jake, Dalia Rabin outlined the events below for the Rabin 20-year anniversary. Wanted to check-in with you – any concerns about WJC considering an Israel trip? We can steer him towards the NYC option but also want to be equipped with Brooklyn's view on Israel, in case WJC wants to consider it. Thanks, Ami

Rabin anniversary event at Rabin Square on October 24 or 31. Dates of key events marking the 20th anniversary of the assassination of Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin:

- The Rally at Rabin Square will take place either on Saturday Evening, October 24th or Saturday Evening, October 31st
- The official memorial at Mount Herzl, in the presence of the Israeli Prime Minister, President and MP's, will take place on Monday, October 26th at 3:00pm
- The "Yitzhak Candle" ceremony will take place at the President's residence on Sunday, October 25th at 5:00pm
- A conference featuring the authors who contributed to the compilation of articles focusing on Rabin's legacy and career will take place at the Yitzhak Rabin Center on Wednesday, October 21st in the evening

In terms of an event in NY, we have flexibility and are hoping to host the event in November 2015 – in proximity to November 4th – the Gregorian date of Prime Minister Rabin's assassination.

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 Subject: [big campaign] Media Monitoring Report - Evening 05/14/08

Main Topics: Cindy's mutual fund sale, McCain and GOP congressional races, McSame vs. McDifferent, NRA and McCain, Obama and McCain, Bush on Iraq

Summary of Shift:

In an unexpected move, John Edwards endorsed Barack Obama. This cut short Hillary's time in the limelight following her good showing in the WV primary. Last night's Democratic victory in the special House election in Mississippi sparked more questions about Republicans' chances in the fall. McCain coverage is scant, save brief mention of Cindy's shady mutual fund sale.

More than 15,000 are now believed dead in the Chinese earthquake. The Bush administration says it intends to continue aid to Myanmar, despite concerns of Burmese government misappropriation. Pres. Bush talked MidEast peace and celebrated Israel's 60th birthday in Jerusalem while Palestinian rocket attacks kill 30. Sandra Day O'Connor was on the Hill testifying on Alzheimer's. Polar bears are listed as a protected species.

Highlights:

1. Cindy McCain sells \$2billion in mutual funds because of connections to Sudan
2. Dem victories in special elections spark questions about GOP strategy in the fall
 - a. Special election wins by Democrats force McCain to distance himself from Bush
 - b. GOP strategist considers McCain will help or hurt GOP Congressional candidates
3. NRA has differences with McCain but prefers him over "patronizing" Democrats
4. McCain fundraising in Ohio, distancing himself from Bush
5. Crist talks about McCain's Hamas/Obama remarks
6. Comparing McCain's policies to Obama's, Obama comes out on top
 - a. Joan Walsh: McCain's opposing votes on equal pay hurt him
 - b. David Corn: Obama has the better argument on economy and the war
7. Obama rejects McBush Plan of leaving non-corporate America alone "to fend for themselves"
8. Olbermann skewers Bush for "golf" comments, "fiasco" of Iraq policy and fear-mongering to get GOPs elected
 - a. Refers to McCain as "your [Bush's] twin Mr. McCain"
9. Republican youth support low because of war, economy

Clips:

Highlight #1

Cindy Sells \$2B in Mutual Funds Because of Connections to Sudan (MSNBC 05/14/08 4:15pm)

CONTESSA BREWER: [...] The wife of Republican presidential candidate, John McCain, who of course criticizes the violence in Sudan—Cindy McCain now selling off more than \$2 million in mutual funds, whose holdings include companies that do business in the Sudan. So apparently the AP had questioned Cindy McCain about investments in light of her husband's calls for sanctions against the Sudanese leadership. And now Cindy McCain is selling off some mutual funds that have companies that do business in Sudan.

Highlight #2

Republicans Losing Special Elections Will Force McCain to Emphasize McDifferent Line (FNC 05/14/08 7:03pm)

MARY LIASSON: Look, I think this is Watergate style proportions.

SHEPARD SMITH: Well, uh, then what does it mean for the national ticket?

LIASSON: McCain defies his brand. He runs better than the brand and I think that he will continue to do that. Of course it puts more pressure on him to differentiate himself from the brand and of course from Bush. I thought the statement that Tom Cole, who is head of the Republican National Committee, put out last was extraordinary. It was a real batten down the hatches, you know, every man for himself, you know, kind of Run! kind of statement . . .

GOP Strategist Discusses Whether McCain Helps or Hurts Republican Congressional Candidates (CNN 5/14/08 4:48pm)

WOLF BLITZER: The Democratic win in Mississippi for a seat that was open in Congress following a win in Louisiana, following a win in Denny Hastert's seat. 3 in a row – these open contests. Here's the question to you, as a Republican strategist. **Should Republicans seeking to get elected in the fall in the House and the Senate run with McCain or**

against McCain?

DICK ARMEY: I think they need to run their own race on ideas. And I would say to the Republicans – much like Newt Gingrich has- if you can't get in the world of big ideas and stand tall and proud with some really good ideas and some show of commitment, you're not gonna—

BLITZER: He's very worried- Newt Gingrich. How worried are you that the majority the Democrats have in the House and the Senate is going to explode come November?

ARMEY: I think that their majority could explode. And for the same reason they won it in the first place: Republicans cannot thrive in a world of petty, small parochial ideas. The world that has the desire to vote for Republicans wants to vote for big people with large commitments to large ideas. That's what the Contract was, that's what Ronald Reagan was. And that's what they don't seem to be able to find today.

Highlight #3

McCain Fundraising in Ohio, Distancing Himself from Bush (FNC 05/14/08 7:13pm)

TRACE GALLAGHER: And McCain's in . . . Ohio, campaigning and trying to raise some cash there. Important cash.

SHANNON BREAM: He is. He has been doing that virtually every ay while the Democrats--uh, Democrats continue to duke things out They've been doing exceptionally well. In fact Obama has been bringing in \$3 for every \$1 that McCain is pulling in. McCain is also, though, out there talking about green technology today, it's an issue that does put him at odds with the president. And it's his way of trying to emphasize that he does have some distance from the administration. We're also told that before he leaves Columbus tomorrow, he will make a major speech outlining exactly how his administration will look if he's elected . . .

Highlight #4

McCain's Differences with the NRA Not Insurmountable (FNC 05/14/08 7:11pm)

TRACE GALLAGHER: McCain has also had his differences with the NRA, which could make things kind of interesting when he speaks to the group later this week. Shannon Bream is live in DC . . . McCain will argue, I'm guessing, that he's still a better bet for the NRA than either of the Democrats, right?

SHANNON BREAM: Trace, he'll certainly make that case and he's really been walking a bit of a tight rope with this group, because on one hand, he has voted against a ban on assault type weapons but he does favor mandantory backrgound checks at gun shows. NRA chief Wayne LaPierre says it is true that McCain isn't a perfect match for the group but he also says gun owners are not foolish enough to ignore the common ground they do have. As for Sens. Clinton and Obama, LaPierre says they're basically patronizing gun owners . . .

Highlight #5

Crist Talks about McCain's Hamas/Obama Remarks (MSNBC 05/14/08 5:30pm)

WOLF BLITZER: I interviewed Hillary Clinton earlier today and I just want to get your reaction she said about John McCain, she was critical of him for criticizing Barack Obama and his stance on Hamas and Iran. I'm gonna play a little clip . . .

HILLARY CLINTON: I think that that's really, just an overstatement, an exaggeration of any kind of political meaning and I don't think that anybody should take that seriously.

BLITZER: She was referring to this notion that McCain would be Hamas's worst nightmare as opposed to Barack Obama who won the endorsement of the North American spokesman for Hamas. What'd you think?

CHARLIE CRIST: Well, I think it's very significant what Sen. McCain has said and I think he's exactly right. You know we have a great friend in Israel and Israel has been a loyal ally to the United States for a long time.

BLITZER: But don't you think Obama would be a strong supporter of Israel as well?

CHARLIE CRIST: I have no idea but what I know is that Sen. John McCain will be and always has been . . . and I think that time and time again Sen. McCain has proven his support for Israel, his support for moving forward in the Middle East, the peace process and having an endorsement or support from Hamas for Sen. Obama is not good.

Highlight #6

Joan Walsh: McCain's Equal Pay Vote Likely to Hurt Him (MSNBC 05/14/08 5:53pm)

CHRIS MATTHEWS: Even with the help of John Edwards, is he [Obama] ready to be the feminist leader, the man who says women's opportunities have to be expanded and championed? Is he that guy who can do that?

JOAN WALSH: I think he is. You know, I think he is that guy. I think he has said that. I think, you know, **John McCain is now saddled with opposing legislation on making equal pay lawsuits easier. He's talked—he really hurt himself with that. I think Obama has better policies.**

David Corn: Obama Has Better Arguments Than McCain on Economy and War (MSNBC 05/14/08 5:51pm)

DAVID CORN: [...] We're talking about an intraparty fight now. In the fall, it's going to be any Democrat versus John McCain. And any Democrat is more populist than John McCain is. So yes, I think having John McCain on his side is going to help Barack Obama. But while Hillary has outpopulisted Barack Obama in the primaries, John McCain will not be able to do that to Barack Obama in the general election. [...] I think Barack Obama is going to have the better economic argument and the better argument on the war when it comes to the fall.

Highlight #7

Obama Rejects McBush Plan of Leaving Non-Corporate America Alone "To Fend For Themselves" (MSNBC 05/14/08 8:11pm)

BARACK OBAMA: For the last 8 years, they've been told, you've been told that there's nothing this country can do to help you. That the best we can do is keep giving more and more of [to] those with the most and tell everyone else to fend for themselves. That's what George Bush has done for the last 8 years, and that's what John McCain is offering for the next four. Well John Edwards and I believe in a different America. Hillary Clinton believes in a different America. The Democratic Party believes in a different America. One America, where we rise and fall as one people, and that's why we are going to take Washington by storm this November.

Highlight #8

Olbermann Skewers McBush for Being Wrong on Iraq from Start to Finish (MSNBC 05/14/08 8:48pm)

PART ONE

KEITH OLBERMANN: Finally tonight, as promised, a special comment on two topics a lot of us had foolishly thought and had naively hoped we would not again have to address. And a third topic nobody thought a President would seriously ever mention in public. Unless perhaps he had just been hit in the head with something and was not in full possession of his faculties. How he expressed his empathy to the families of the dead in Iraq by giving up golf.

[Rolls **footage of Bush and McCain together** as Olbermann continues to rant]

OLBERMANN: The President has resorted anew to the sleaziest fear-mongering and mass manipulation of an Administration, of a public life dedicated to realizing the lowest of our expectations. And he has now applied these poisons to the 2008 presidential election on behalf of the party at whose center he and Mr. McCain lurk.

[end McCain-Bush footage]

OLBERMANN: Mr. Bush has predicted that the election of a Democratic president could "eventually lead to another attack on the United States. This ludicrous, infuriating, holier-than-thou and most importantly bone-headedly wrong statement came yesterday during an interview with Politico.com and online users of Yahoo. The question was phrased as follows: "If we were to pull out of Iraq next year, what's the worst that could happen, what's the Domsday scenario?" And the President replied: "Domsday scenario of course is that extremists throughout the Middle East would be emboldened, which would lead to another attack on the United States. The biggest issue we face is--it's bigger than Iraq, it's this struggle against cold-blooded killers who will kill people to achieve their political objectives." Mr. Bush, at long last has it not dawned you that the America you have now created includes cold-blooded killers who will kill people to achieve their political objectives? They are those in or formerly in your employ who may yet be charged some day with war crimes. Through your haze of self-congratulation and self-pity, do you still have no earthly clue that this nation has laid waste to Iraq to achieve your political objectives? This ideological struggle you speak of, Mr. Bush, is taking place within this country. It is a struggle between Americans who cherish freedom—ours and everybody else's--and Americans like you, sir, to whom freedom is just a brand name. Just like Patriot Act is a brand name or "protect America" is a brand name.

OLBERMANN: But wait, there's more. You also said, Iraq is the place where al Qaeda and other extremists have made their stand and they will be defeated. They made no stand in Iraq, sir, you allowed them to assemble there. As certainly as if that were the plan, the borders were left wide open by your government's farcical post-invasion strategy of 'they'll greet us as liberators.' And as certainly as if that were the plan, the inspiration for another generation of terrorists in another country was provided by your government's farcical post-invasion strategy of letting the societal infrastructure of Iraq dissolve. To be replaced by an American vice-royalty, enforced by merciless mercenaries who shoot unarmed Iraqis and then evade prosecution in any country by hiding behind your skirts, sir. **Terrorism inside Iraq is your creation, Mr. Bush.**

OLBERMANN: It was a Yahoo user who brought up the second topic upon whose introduction Mr. Bush should have passed or punted or gotten up and left the room claiming he heard Dick Cheney calling him: "Do you feel," asked an ordinary American, "that you were misled on Iraq?" [Bush replied:] "I feel like— I felt like there were weapons of mass destruction. You know, 'mislead' is a strong word; it almost some kind of intentional—I don't think so, I think there was not only our intelligence community, but intelligence communities all across the world shared the same assessment. And so I was disappointed to see how flawed our intelligence was." Flawed. You, Mr. Bush, and your tragically know-it-all minions threw out very piece of intelligence that suggested there were no such weapons. You, Mr. Bush, threw out every person that suggested that the sober, contradictory reality-based intelligence needed to be listened to and damned fast. You, Mr. Bush, are responsible for how intelligence communities all around the world shared the same assessment. You and the sycophants you dredged up and put behind the most important steering wheel in the world, propagated palpable nonsense and shoved it down the throat of every intelligence community across the world and punished everybody who didn't agree it was really chicken salad. And you, Mr. Bush, threw under the bus all of the subsequent critics who bravely stepped forward later to point out just how much of a self-fulfilling prophecy you had embraced and adopted as this country's policy in lieu of, say, common sense. The fiasco of pre-war intelligence, sir, is your fiasco. You should build a great statue of yourself turning a deaf ear to the warnings of the realists while you were shown the three-card-monte dealers, like Richard Pearle and Donald Rumsfeld and Dick Cheney. That would be a far more fitting tribute to your legacy, Mr. Bush, than this presidential library you are constructing as a giant fable about your presidency. An edifice you might as well claim was built from Iraqi weapons of mass destruction because there will be just as many inside your presidential library as there were inside Saddam Hussein's Iraq.

PART TWO

OLBERMANN: Of course, if there is one overriding theme to this president's administration, it is the utter, always-failing inability to know when it is time to quit when it is behind. So, Mr. Bush answered yet another question about this layered, nuanced, wheels-within-wheels garbage heap that constituted his excuse for war: "So you didn't feel you were given all of information you should have or right spin on the information?" "No, no," replied the president, "I was told by people that they had weapons of mass destruction." People. What people? The insane informant curveball? The Iraqi snake oil salesman, Ahmed Chalabi? The American snake oil salesman, Dick Cheney? "I was told they had weapons of mass destruction, as were members of Congress that voted for the resolution to get rid of Saddam Hussein. And, of course, the political heat gets on, and they start to run and try to hide from their votes." Mr. Bush, you destroyed the evidence that contradicted the resolution you jammed down the Congress's throat the way you jammed it down the nation's throat. When required, by law, to verify that your evidence was accurate, you resubmitted it with phrases amounted to "See, I done proved it," virtually written in the margins in crayon. You defied patriotic Americans to say 'the emperor has no clothes' only this time with the stakes, as you and the mental dwarves in your employ put it, being a mushroom cloud over an American city. And as a final crash of self-indulgent nonsense, when the incontrovertible truth of your panoramic and murderous deceit has even begun to cost your political party seemingly-perpetual political seats in places like North Carolina and, last night, Mississippi, you can actually say with a straight face, sir, that the members of Congress, the political heat gets on, and they start to run and try to hide from their votes while you greet the political heat and try to run and hide from your presidency and your legacy? **4,000 of the Americans you were supposed to protect are dead in Iraq with your only feeble pathetic answer being "I was told by people that they had weapons of mass destruction."**

OLBERMANN: Then came Mr. Bush's final blow to our nation's solar plexus, his last reopening of common wounds, his last remark that makes the rest of us question not merely his leadership, or his judgment, but very suitability to remain in office. "Mr. President," he was asked, "you haven't been golfing in recent years, is that related to Iraq?" "Yes," began perhaps the most startling reply of this nightmarish blight on our lives as Americans, our history, "Yes, it really is. I don't want to mom whose son may have recently died to see the Commander-in-Chief playing golf. I feel I owe it to the families to be as- to be n solidarity as best as I can with them. And I think playing golf during a war sends the wrong signal." Golf, sir, golf sends the wrong signal to the grieving families of our men and women butchered in Iraq? Do you think the families, their lives blighted forever, care about you playing golf? Do you think, sir, that they care about you? You, Mr. Bush, you, who let their sons and daughters be killed? **Sir, to show your solidarity with them, you gave up golf? Sir, to show your solidarity, you didn't give up your pursuit of this insurance scam, profiteering, morally and financially bankrupting war.** Sir, to show your solidarity with them, you didn't even give up talking about Iraq, a subject about which you have incessantly proved without pause, or backwards glance, that you may literally be the least informed person in the world. sir, to show your solidarity with them, you didn't give up your presidency. In your own words, "Solidarity, as best as I can" is to stop a game? That is the best you can? **4,000 Americans give up their lives, and your sacrifice was to give up golf?** Golf. Not gulf, golf.

OLBERMANN: And still it gets worse, because it proves that the president's unendurable sacrifice, the unbearable pain, the suspension of getting to hit a stick and ball together was not even his own damned idea. "Mr. President, was there a particular moment or incident that brought you to that decision or how did you come to that?" "I remember when de Mello, who was at the U.N., got killed in Baghdad as a result of these murders taking a good man's life. And I was playing golf – I

think I was in Central Texas – and they pulled me off the golf course and I said, it's just not worth it anymore to do." Your one tone-deaf, arrogant, pathetic, embarrassing gesture and you didn't even think of it yourself. The great Bushian sacrifice. An Army Private loses a leg. A Marine loses half of his skull. 4,000 of their brothers and sisters lose their lives. And you lose golf. And they have to pull you off the golf course to get you to do just that, if it's even true. Apart from your medical files which dutifully report your torn knee pain which forced you to give up running at the same time. Coincidence, no doubt. The bombing in Baghdad which killed Sergio Viera de Mello of the U.N. and interrupted your round of golf was on August 19th in 2003, and yet there's an Associated Press account of you and photographs playing golf as late as Columbus Day of that year, October 13th, nearly two months later. **Mr. Bush, I hate to break it to you, six and a half years after you yolked this nation and your place in history to the wrong war, in the wrong place, against the wrong people, but the war in Iraq is not about you. It is not, Mr. Bush, about your grief, when American after American comes home in a box. It is not, Mr. Bush, about what your addled brain produced in the way of paranoid delusions of risks that do not exist, ready to be activated if some Democrat and not your twin Mr. McCain succeeds you.** The war in Iraq, your war Mr. Bush, is about how you accomplished the derangement of two nations and how you helped funnel billions of taxpayer dollars to lascivious and perennially thirsty corporations like Halliburton and Blackwater and how you sent 4,000 Americans to their deaths. For nothing! It is not, Mr. Bush, about your golf game. And sir, if you have any hopes that next January 20th will not be celebrated as a day of soul wrenching, heartfelt thanksgiving because your faithless stewardship will have come to a merciful end. This last piece of advice, when somebody asks you, sir, about Democrats who must now put this country back from the abyss you have placed us at, when somebody asks you, sir, about the cooked books and fake threats you put on the severed nation and your sacrifice, sir, of your gallant, noble, self-abnegating sacrifice golf game so as to soothe the families of war dead, this advice, **Mr. Bush, shut the hell up! Good night and good luck.**

Highlight #9

Republican Party Having Trouble Attracting the Youth Vote (FNC 05/14/08 7:50pm)

TRACE GALLAGHER: This year's election season has seen 20-somethings showing up in flocks to vote blue, for Barack but **there was a time . . . when the young ones voted red, for Reagan. So it's left the GOP wondering, "What went wrong?" John McCain would like to figure it out by November . . .**

HEATHER NAUERT: It's hard to find Republicans on college campuses. But that wasn't the case a generation ago . . . in the 1980s, young voters helped Presidents Reagan and Bush win the White House. In the '84 and the '88 elections, they won the youth vote by twenty points . . .

[. . .]

NAUERT: . . . this generation has slipped from their grasp.

[. . .]

NAUERT: According to a new Rasmussen poll, Barack Obama leads McCain by 23 points among voters under 40, Hillary Clinton leads the Arizona senator by 10. So what happened? The war and the struggling economy and the Republican message isn't resonating . . .

ANDREA TANTAROS: The GOP organization is fundamentally broken. The way that they communicate is fundamentally broken . . .

NAUERT: Andrea Tantaros has worked on Republican campaigns and as a press secretary on Capitol Hill.

TANTAROS: The Democratic Party has really made an effort to reach out to young voters and the Republicans have not made that a priority. They cannot make that mistake this election cycle.

NAUERT: McCain is trying to win them over. He has a channel on YouTube. [. . .] He's a regular on Comedy Central. [. . .] And talks about the environment.

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To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)

Date: 3/31/2014 7:28:24 AM

Subject: Re: let me know when you are close - I will come downstairs to let you up

Robby and I are downstairs v

> On Mar 31, 2014, at 2:16 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

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> cdm



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Date: 12/4/2007 8:07:35 PM

Subject: Huckabee Released Rapist Who Raped Again, Then Murdered

The press is already digging through the real Huckabee record.

[http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2007/12/04/documents-expose-huckabee\\_n\\_75362.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2007/12/04/documents-expose-huckabee_n_75362.html)

From: "[Marianne Markowitz, BarackObama.com](mailto:info@barackobama.com)" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "[John Podesta](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/2/2008 3:31:38 AM

Subject: Obama campaign finances

 [Election Night: Get a front row seat to history](#)

John --

I'm the Chief Financial Officer for Barack Obama's campaign. I track the donations coming in and the expenses going out.

I asked for the opportunity to write to you directly so that I could try to explain what's happening right now.

**This weekend the McCain campaign said they would outspend us by \$10 million in the final days.** This is on top of recent news that, as of October 15th, our opponents had \$20 million more in the bank than our campaign and the DNC combined.

We knew the McCain campaign was saving its resources for a last-minute blitz, and now we know just how much they'll pour into it.

No matter what, we need to match what our opponents are spending in the final stretch. We can't slow down between now and Election Day.

If you give today -- any amount -- you could be one of 5 first-time donors who will have a front row seat for the big Election Night event in Chicago with Barack.

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 [Make a donation and you could get a front row seat to history](#)

There's no doubt about it, supporters like you have fundamentally changed how presidential campaigns are funded. You drive this campaign.

That's why Barack wants you to be there on Election Night as the results come in.

If you're selected, we'll fly you and a guest in and put you up in a hotel. You'll go backstage at the big event and -- no matter what happens -- you'll have a front row seat to history as we celebrate the supporters who got us over the finish line.

Any donation counts -- whatever you can afford. Make a donation of \$5 or more before midnight Sunday and you could have a front row seat to history on Election Night:

**<https://donate.barackobama.com/frontrow>**

These last 2 days, we have to redouble our efforts. And we're counting on you more than ever before.

Let's make this happen.

Thanks,

MM

Marianne Markowitz  
Chief Financial Officer  
Obama for America

P.S. -- If you can't make a donation, you can help get us across the finish line by volunteering to help get out

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[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/17/2013 8:49:21 AM  
Subject: RE: Visit to Puerto Rico, Next Steps

I could. Am in India so cant go much later.

-----Original Message-----

From: Tina Flournoy [mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com]  
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2013 11:40 AM  
To: Ami Desai-Clinton Foundation; John Podesta Contact; Craig Smith; john.podesta@gmail.com  
Subject: RE: Visit to Puerto Rico, Next Steps

We should do our own call first. Can folks do something around 3 today?

-----Original Message-----

From: Amitabh Desai [mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org]  
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2013 11:35 AM  
To: John Podesta Contact; Tina Flournoy; Craig Smith; john.podesta@gmail.com  
Subject: RE: Visit to Puerto Rico, Next Steps

Thanks. Call is tomorrow (Weds) at 11am ET, with Dr. Efraín O'Neill-Carrillo, Asesor Principal en Asuntos de Energía, Oficina del Gobernador.

U.S. Dial In: 888-721-8686; International Dial In: 001-303-928-2657; Conference ID: 7744521.

Documents attached.

From: "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 1/15/2016 10:24:48 AM

Subject: Re: Lane Tech Follow Up

Will do. Working on it now!

On Fri, Jan 15, 2016 at 5:22 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Schedule for Friday?

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Alexander Chanen <[achanen@cps.edu](mailto:achanen@cps.edu)>

Date: Friday, January 15, 2016

Subject: Lane Tech Follow Up

To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Cc: Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>

Mr. Podesta,

That works for me!

I am available any afternoon next week.

Let me know when you are available.

Thanks so much,

Alex Chanen

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 15, 2016, at 1:19 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Alex,

I probably could do something late next week. Does that work for you?

John

On Friday, January 15, 2016, Chanen, Alexander <[achanen@cps.edu](mailto:achanen@cps.edu)> wrote:

Mr. Podesta,

I am following up on the interview for the Lane Tech Warrior.

Let me know if this is still a possibility, I know you are extremely busy with the primary season coming up.

Thank you,

Alex Chanen

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Date: 3/13/2015 2:20:35 AM  
Subject: Laura Donohoe

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NYT heroine. Should she call her today?

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| To:      | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">"John Podesta" &lt;john.podesta@gmail.com&gt;</a> |
| Date:    | 2/11/2016 3:52:54 PM                                                                      |
| Subject: | Hi John                                                                                   |

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Date: 10/19/2011 8:42:54 AM  
Subject:

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Peter kobler

Called to see if we had anyone to fill ceo position for center for national policy

Ideas?

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Date: 12/13/2015 9:46:48 AM

Subject: Invitation: Research Summit @ Sun Dec 20, 2015 4pm - 7pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

Research Summit

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When

Sun Dec 20, 2015 4pm – 7pm Eastern Time

Where

NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa ([map](#) )

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 2/16/2016 11:56:36 AM  
Subject: Re: Swalwell

Ah-ha! I don't think there's any need for you to call him, he confirmed directly with our office. I think he was deliberately low key because he didn't want to be a jerk and rub it in O'Malley's face.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 16, 2016, at 6:51 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Megan is my daughter, an elected official in Dublin, Ca. friends with Swalwell and an HRC supporter. Should I call him or can we take this as official?

On Tuesday, February 16, 2016, Maura Keefe <[mkeefe@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mkeefe@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yes, John Fritze of the Baltimore Sun broke it on Twitter and then Amanda confirmed in a text with Swalwell. He didn't tell us before it was announced so not our typical endorsement.

Is a reporter asking - do we need to firm him up?

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 16, 2016, at 1:10 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Didn't he endorse after. O'M dropped?

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Date: Tuesday, February 16, 2016  
Subject: Swalwell  
To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

I can't find any news or announcement about Swalwell endorsing Hillary. Can you point me to one?

From: "[Campus Broadcast](#)" <[broadcast@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:broadcast@law.georgetown.edu)>

To: "[Campus Broadcast](#)" <[broadcast@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:broadcast@law.georgetown.edu)>

Date: 1/15/2015 9:21:25 AM

Subject: UPDATE: Law Center Telephone Connectivity Issues - Resolution Identified

Please be advised that the IST department along with UIS and Cisco have identified a server certificate problem as the root cause of the Law Center's telephone connectivity issue. In order to resolve the issue, IST technicians have already begun visiting each phone to make a 30-second configuration update. The IST team expects to complete all fixes within a 2-hour timeframe.

If you have any additional questions or concerns or if you have not received a visit from a technician within 2 hours, please contact the Technology Service Desk.

Once again, thank you for your patience.

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| To:          | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">john.podesta@gmail.com</a>                                        |
| Date:        | 2/19/2016 9:01:19 AM                                                                                      |
| Subject:     | Paster Memo                                                                                               |
| Attachments: | Paster Convention Memo 2008.pdf                                                                           |

John,

Thanks for taking the meeting with Tom and I. Hopefully, it proved useful.

Leo Hindery and his wife, Patti Wheeler, will max out for the primary on Monday. I tried to get him to you event on Sunday but he's recovering from hand surgery. Maybe another time?

Attached is my memo to Howard Paster, who was both a friend and a mentor. Somehow, it did not feel right to rewrite it; its core concepts are as relevant today as eight years ago.

From: ["Andrew John Andreasen, via an autoresponder" <aja888@stanford.edu>](#)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](#)

Date: 7/22/2015 3:19:45 AM

Subject: Away from my mail [Stanford Center at Peking University]

Thank you for your email. I am away from my office and traveling from July 4th through August 1st inclusive. I will be accessing emails normally during this period but my reply may be delayed.

Regards  
Andrew Andreasen



From: "Governor Quinn" <[info@quinnforillinois.com](mailto:info@quinnforillinois.com)>

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/15/2014 8:47:52 AM

Subject: Don't miss this chance

Friend,

My philosophy has always been "everybody in, nobody left out."

That's my approach to governing, and that's how we're running this campaign, too.

But our way only works if everybody does their part.

A generous supporter is matching every grassroots donation between now and midnight. That means if you step up in the next few hours, your support will go twice as far.

This is one of those moments where we need everybody in -- even if it's just \$1.

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<https://www.quinnforillinois.com/everybody-in>

Thanks for having my back.

Governor Quinn

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["Milia Fisher" <milia.fisher@gmail.com>](mailto:milia.fisher@gmail.com)

Date: 4/20/2015 9:56:19 AM

Subject: Fwd: Michael Sheehan's Son / Funny Or Die / Climate Change

Fyi. Please share with Nate. Milia maybe we can tweet again off of immortal designation.

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From: "Benjamin Sheehan" <[ben@funnyordie.com](mailto:ben@funnyordie.com)>

Date: Apr 20, 2015 4:46 PM

Subject: Michael Sheehan's Son / Funny Or Die / Climate Change

To: <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Cc:

Hi John,

I hope this finds you well! I know you've been working with Jason on the Climate Change video. It just went Immortal -- which means over 80% funny and 100K views -- which is the highest honor we bestow on our site. So, congrats!

But I also wanted to introduce myself because a) I cast Ed Begley in this video, and b) I believe you've known my dad, Michael Sheehan, for many years!

Anyway I just wanted to say hello, and I look forward to more projects together.

All the Best,  
Ben

--

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supervising producer, talent & artist relations

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/9/2008 2:57:30 AM

Subject: Josh Steiner

agreed to be our autos industry interlocutor and become involved in helping formulate a real plan going forward. I told him he would be able to do most of this from NY. Will try to set up meeting between him and industry (and UAW) later in the week. I'm participating in Granholm call at 5 and will tell them about Josh. Jennifer told me that they'll want to know whether Obama will raise issue of immediate assistance with Bush tomorrow. What's right response on that point -- reiterate our view on need to disburse 25 bn and look to other authorities, indicate that I would expect the auto industry would be part of the conversation, but then if pressed say that of course I don't know exactly what he'll say?

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| To:          | "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>                                   |
| Date:        | 2/4/2016 11:15:16 AM                                                      |
| Subject:     | Fwd: Travel Itinerary 02/07/2016: TRIP FROM BOSTON TO WASHINGTON (LRUNUT) |
| Attachments: | BOS-DCA.ics                                                               |

NEW itinerary BOS-DCA on Sunday at 12:00 PM. I booked on American because your old JetBlue ticket was still within the 24 hour cancellation window provided by American Express. American was cheaper and had better timing.

In your calendar.

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From: "Stephanie Daily Smith, EricGarcetti.com" <info@ericgarcetti.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 5/2/2013 11:12:55 AM

Subject: Can you donate \$500,000?



Of course you can't, John. I can't either. Heck, the legal contribution limit is \$1,300.

But the *L.A. Times* just reported that the DWP union SuperPAC behind Wendy Greuel's campaign wrote a single check and bought \$500,000 worth of television commercials. That's what we're up against. Special interests with deep pockets, devoting the next 3 weeks to tearing down Eric. That's why we're fighting back from the grassroots.

[Click here to make a grassroots donation of \\$500 before Saturday night.](#)



If we can get to 1,000 grassroots donors by midnight Saturday, we'll send a strong message: We don't need special interest money when we've got people on our side.

[Eric can't do this without you. Donate \\$300, \\$500, \\$1300 or whatever you can, right now.](#)

Already this week, more than 350 people like you have invested in this campaign. Those donations are already at work, buying materials for phone banks, printing fliers, and spreading our message via TV and radio. This is what a grassroots campaign looks like, but we still have a long way to go.

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Thank you,  
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To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)

Date: 10/10/2012 8:09:06 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Sesame Place Showdown: Big Bird Meets Bain Capital

**\*\*MEDIA ADVISORY FOR OCTOBER 10\*\***

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**Bucks County Residents Welcome "Bain Worker Bus Tour" to Sesame Place**

***Protesters Call for Mitt Romney and Rep. Fitzpatrick to Crack Down on Wall Street,***

***Not Sesame Street***

**LANGHORNE** – Once again Big Bird will take center stage in the 2012 election with Mitt Romney and Rep. Fitzpatrick detractors welcoming the traveling "Bain Worker Bus" to **Sesame Place on Wednesday at 5:30pm.**

The Bain Worker Bus is a nationwide tour with a contingent of workers from companies owned by Bain Capital, the private equity firm Mitt Romney founded and continues to profit from.

The bus will stop in front of Sesame Place, where a crowd of local supporters, including a costumed Big Bird character, will welcome the Bain workers. The Bain workers will be speaking out, along with local unemployed, under-employed and outsourced workers about the dangers of a "Romney Economy" where good jobs are outsourced and minimum wage jobs, with no benefits, remain.

"We know that this election is not about Sesame Street, but it says a lot that politicians like Mitt Romney and Rep. Fitzpatrick would rather end funding for Big Bird than end tax breaks for big oil," said Earl Williams of Levittown.

**WHAT:** Sesame Place Showdown: Big Bird Meets Bain Capital

**WHEN:** Wednesday, October 10, 5:30 pm

**WHERE:** Sesame Place, 100 Sesame Road, Langhorne, PA

(in front of the Sesame Place main entrance)

**WHO:** Big Bird, local community members, Bain workers

For more information and updates on the bus tour, visit [www.BainWorkerBus.org](http://www.BainWorkerBus.org) .





\*\*\*\*VISUALS: Big Bird, Sesame Place, wrapped Bain Bus\*\*\*\*

*Pennsylvania Working Families is a grassroots organization fighting for an economy that works for everyone and politicians who stand for working families, not corporate CEOs.*

[www.paworkingfamilies.org](http://www.paworkingfamilies.org)

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Date: 8/24/2015 4:49:58 PM

Subject: Primary (Non-Early) States Report -- 8/24

Team,

For your reference, our Primary States Report as of Aug 24. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you, - Tracey

#### PRIMARY STATES REPORT -- 8/24/15

##### 1) Grassroots Actions Update

Post-Weekend of Action: thank you calls made to Weekend of Action volunteers and continued to collect sign up data

In State Phone Banks:

- OH -- Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to build for OH Commit to Vote Organizing Mtg
- MN - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to build for DNC General Session Mtg

Upcoming Grassroots Organizing Meetings:

- Commit to Vote Organizing Meeting in Ohio (8/27) -- **Current RSVPs -- 1,773**

*\*Starting Tuesday, we will begin RSVP confirmation calls for both OH organizing meeting and MN DNC meeting events.*

##### 2) Grassroots Fundraising

Upcoming Grassroots Fundraising Events: Tacoma, WA (8/26), Ludington, MI (8/26), Minneapolis, MN (8/28), Ft Lauderdale, FL (8/28) and Pensacola, FL (8/29)

Money Raised to date for August: **\$24,014 (Progress to August Goal -- 68%)**

##### 3) Path to Victory Planning for State Contests through March 15

State Plan Updates:

10/18/2016

- Maine plan -- 1st draft complete
- Minnesota plan -- 1st draft complete

From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)  
To: ["Fran Shapiro" <fran@mercedesberk.com>](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)  
Date: 12/11/2015 7:23:14 AM  
Subject: Re: Shades unit 12C

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Thanks much  
Tony

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2015, at 4:07 PM, Fran Shapiro <[fran@mercedesberk.com](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)> wrote:

Good morning all

I just received a call from Bob Siegel.

The shades will be repaired on Monday, 12/14 starting at 9 a.m.

Thanks

Fran

Fran Shapiro  
Licensed Real Estate Salesperson

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On Dec 8, 2015, at 2:00 PM, RESIDENT MANAGER <[huyscondo@gmail.com](mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com)> wrote:

That works for me. I will be at a management meeting but our staff will assist in access. Eli will be on duty.

Best,

Joseph

On Tue, Dec 8, 2015 at 1:56 PM, Brett Goldstein <[bgoldstein@intlblind.com](mailto:bgoldstein@intlblind.com)> wrote:

I can stop by tomorrow around 3pm, let me know if that is ok. Thanks

Brett

[Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.](#)

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**From:** RESIDENT MANAGER  
**Sent:** Friday, December 4, 2015 8:21 AM  
**To:** Brett Goldstein; Fran Shapiro; Tony Podesta; John Podesta  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Shades unit 12C

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Good morning Brett hope all is well. I have gotten to OK from the owners to access the unit to check the shades. Please advise of site visit (Monday-Friday)

Best,

Joseph

On Thu, Dec 3, 2015 at 4:37 PM, RESIDENT MANAGER <[huyscondo@gmail.com](mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com)> wrote:  
Thank you for your prompt response. I have copied the owner and broker as I/we will need authorization. Mae/Fran please advise. Copy all

Joseph

On Thu, Dec 3, 2015 at 4:31 PM, Brett Goldstein <[bgoldstein@intlblind.com](mailto:bgoldstein@intlblind.com)> wrote:  
Hi Joseph,

Ricky asked that I help with your issues. I would like to come by and take a quick look to see what we will need to do and if any special parts are needed for when our carpenter comes. Please let me know the availability of the apartment for the next few business days.

Thank you for your consideration,

Brett M. Goldstein

[\(917\) 557-0576](tel:(917)557-0576)

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----- Original Message -----

Subject: Fwd: Shades unit 12C

From: RESIDENT MANAGER <[huyscondo@gmail.com](mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com)>

To: Ricky Janowitz <[rjanowitz@intlblind.com](mailto:rjanowitz@intlblind.com)>

CC: Mae Podesta <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>, Fran Shapiro <[fran@mercedesberk.com](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)>

Good morning Ricky hope all is well. Linda from Distinctive Windows gave me your contact information. Can we set up an appointment to look at the shades in unit 12C. I have copied owner/broker as well. I am the resident manager at Huys Condominium 404 Park Avenue South.

Best,

Joseph

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Linda Farahnik <[Linda@distinctivewindows.com](mailto:Linda@distinctivewindows.com)>

Date: Mon, Nov 23, 2015 at 9:17 AM

Subject: RE: Shades unit 12C

To: RESIDENT MANAGER <[huyscondo@gmail.com](mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com)>

Joseph,

Good morning.

As you probably know, we only manufactured the shades, we did not install nor program. While we could certainly make a service stop, there would be a minimum service charge of \$250 + tax for this kind of repair.

I suggest you contact International Blind who did both the installation and programming and who should still be providing this service. We of course are responsible for any additional window treatments we have and will be providing to residents.

Ricky Janowitz [rjanowitz@intlblind.com](mailto:rjanowitz@intlblind.com)

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Best,

**Linda Farahnik** : Showroom Director  
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***Happy Thanksgiving!***

***In celebration, Distinctive Window Treatment Plus will be closed November 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>.***

**From:** RESIDENT MANAGER [mailto:[huyscondo@gmail.com](mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com) ]  
**Sent:** Monday, November 23, 2015 7:58 AM  
**To:** Linda Farahnik  
**Cc:** Mae Podesta; Fran Shapiro  
**Subject:** Shades unit 12C

Good morning Linda hope you are keeping well. In middle bedroom shade in unit 12C is not responding to the remote and has come detached from the roller mechanism. Please advise of schedule for a site visit. I have copied the broker and resident as well. Mae/Fran please advise of PTE.

From: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com)  
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Date: 2/21/2015 6:34:25 PM

Subject: HRC speech at Silicon Valley Women's Conference

Attachments: 2015-02-21 Silicon Valley Women - 8pm.docx

Team, here's an early draft of HRC's speech at Silicon Valley Women's Conference on Tuesday. I'd welcome your feedback.

Thanks

Dan





From: "Michael Lux" <michael.lux@progressivestrategies.net>

To: "Alex Palombo" <alex@progressivestrategies.net>

Date: 10/24/2012 3:58:03 AM

Subject: Battleground States & Federal Races: The Priorities

As we come down to the end of this campaign, I thought it would be useful to let people know my final assessments based on polling and local political intelligence from around the country where to target your final efforts in terms of last minute contributions and national GOTV calling programs that several good groups.

Here's my reasoning for the suggestions below:

I think just about everyone with a political pulse understands that the presidential swing states all along have been NH, PA, VA, NC, FL, NV, CO, IA, WI, MI, and OH. All of them are still close, but based on public and private polls I have seen, early vote/registration numbers, and political intelligence on the ground, here's my assessment:

NC is not impossible, but it is tough, we're definitely underdogs there.

MI and NV seem to be trending our way, we have developed a small but steady and statistically significant lead.

I am a little nervous about PA because the polls have been tightening a little there both in the Senate and Presidential races, and the Republicans may make a major last minute push there, but at this point we are still clearly ahead.

FL remains incredibly close, but I have been skeptical from day one about FL in the end because the voter suppression is so strong there, and the entire political apparatus of the state is controlled by Republicans.

When you add it all up, while the campaign keeps a close eye on all of the above, what it boils down to at the end of the day is that NH, VA, CO, IA, WI (where we have been leading but is tightening up), and OH are currently the closest and most important states. In each case, the polling, demographics, and dynamics on the ground all show that the election there will be decided by an incredibly tight margin.

In each of the 6 tightest Presidential states listed above, there is at least one incredibly high priority House, Senate (or both) race that progressives should be prioritizing.

In Ohio, the great progressive champion *Sherrod Brown* is Karl Rove's top priority Senate candidate to take out, and *Rep. Betty Sutton* is a top-of-the-top tier House race for progressives.

In WI, *Tammy Baldwin* is one of the top 3 progressive Senate candidates in the country, locked in a very tight race with former Gov. Tommy Thompson.

In NH, both House races are hotly contested.

In IA, all 4 House races are competitive, and *Christie Vilsack's* race to defeat quite possibly the most right wing member of the entire Congress, Steve King, is dead even in the polls.

In CO, one of the best progressive House candidates in the country *Joe Miklosi* is also dead even with another extreme tea party right winger, Mike Coffman.

And in VA, *Tim Kaine* is in one of the closest Senate races in the country.

There's one other race not in a swing Presidential state which is a very, very high priority for the entire progressive community: *Elizabeth Warren's* Senate race. She has a razor thin lead, but without the Obama field operation targeting MA, she has to pay for the GOTV operation all on her own, and this race will be decided on turnout.

Based on these priorities, I have the following recommendations as specific places to send your last minute dollars. If you don't want to take the trouble to send money to each project on its own, I list at the end 2 places where you can give to joint funds that will cover a lot or all of these races:

If you want to help on the GOTV effort for Elizabeth Warren, give here: <https://secure.actblue.com/contribute/page/mdp-coordinated>

If you want to focus on Ohio, to help GOTV for Obama, Sherrod Brown, and Betty Sutton click to give here: [www.ohiodems.org/supporters](http://www.ohiodems.org/supporters)

If you want to help out Tammy Baldwin and Obama in WI, here is the place to give: [www.wisdems.org/BaldwinVictory](http://www.wisdems.org/BaldwinVictory)

If you want to help Christie Vilsack defeat lunatic right winger Steve King, and help Obama in IA, here is the best place to give: <https://services.myngp.com/ngponlineservices/contribution.aspx?X=qtLa6R6z%2fCMRFyAitirs4VEpXqtRdn9bp%2fENsuxOA8A%3d>

If you want to gin up GOTV in the all-important swing 6<sup>th</sup> CD in CO, helping both in that critical Congressional race and in Obama's efforts, you can give here: [https://joemiklosi.nationbuilder.com/the\\_gotv\\_fund?](https://joemiklosi.nationbuilder.com/the_gotv_fund?)

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If you want to help Obama and Tim Kaine in VA, you can give here: <https://secure.actblue.com/contribute/page/vavictory2012>

If you want to help in NH with its 2 key Congressional races and the Presidential, the best place to give is this fund, and tell them the money should be used for NH. <https://services.myngp.com/ngponlineservices/contribution.aspx?X=Z52tDtP9qn36%2fAcfN%2fKYA%3d%3d>

If you don't want to mess with doing multiple checks or figuring out where to give, but want to help, send money to this Actblue page for our PAC and we will get the money out to the campaigns/GOTV efforts that need it the most: <https://secure.actb.ue.com/contribute/page/battleground-priorities>

I know that most of you have already given a great deal, but anything you can do here at the end when every vote counts in an incredibly close race would be most appreciated. And if you have a chance, let us know what you are doing so we have a sense of what money is going where.

Thanks you so much for everything you have done and are doing. Let's win this election!

Mike

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Date: 2/29/2016 2:28:41 PM

Subject: Department Heads Meeting

Dear all,

We will be having a meeting with the department heads tomorrow at 9am. This is in place of the usual senior staff meeting.

Thank you!

Kate

From: "The M&E Committee" <[knowledgesummits@gmail.com](mailto:knowledgesummits@gmail.com)>

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/7/2015 12:15:25 AM

Subject: Is the Indian Media & Entertainment Industry Eyeing through a Legal & Regulatory Transition?  
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To: "Lauren Terrazas" <[lterrazas@nextgenamerica.org](mailto:lterrazas@nextgenamerica.org)>

Date: 9/15/2014 11:48:09 AM

Subject: The Road to Paris Runs Through New York, Washington, and Beijing -- news from Dan Lashof, NextGen Climate America

New York Climate Week kicks off on Sunday with the People's Climate March, to be followed by a deluge of events, ranging from cup cakes for the planet to the Ban Ki-moon summit.

How do we get from New York to Paris? Through Washington and Beijing. Here is a brief guide for the trip:

<https://nextgenamerica.org/climate-change/the-road-to-paris-runs-through-new-york-washington-and-beijing/>

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Please note: My assistant has access to my inbox and calendar.

From: ["Michael Nguyen" <mcnguyen@gmail.com>](mailto:mcnguyen@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/3/2015 11:48:17 PM

Subject: Fwd: Hillary Victory Fund

Hi old boss man,

I hope you're doing good. You probably won't have time to get out to Truckee, CA anytime soon.

I'm swinging way above my weight class here. And I'm 100% sure this out of protocol.

I'm trying to land the campaign a big fat whale that can give between \$100,000 to maybe \$1 million if their ego can be reassured that they won't be just treated "just like any other donor."

With your permission, can I CC you in an email to these guys.

I'm work with Haim Saban's political director on these same guys.

If it's 100% inappropriate I understand.

If you're in Los Angeles , I would love to see ya.

Best,

Minh

Sent from my iPhone  
(310) 251-9114

Begin forwarded message:

From: Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: December 2, 2015 at 4:06:20 PM PST

To: M Nguyen <[mcnguyen@gmail.com](mailto:mcnguyen@gmail.com)>

Subject: Hillary Victory Fund

Hello Minh,

Thank you for taking the time to discuss the Hillary Victory Fund (HVF) with the Hartfields.

As discussed, we hope they will consider contributing \$200,000 to HVF by the end of 2015. There are no set events for the HVF in California as of now, but they will be invited once they are announced in 2016.

We truly appreciate their consideration. The Hillary Victory Fund is crucial to electing Hillary as our next president. I have attached additional information about HVF.

Please feel free to contact Stephanie Smith or Alex De Ocampo for any further questions.

Best regards,

Dennis

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Dennis Cheng  
National Finance Director  
Hillary for America

[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)

<Hillary Victory Fund Contribution Form.pdf>

<Hillary Victory Fund Overview.pdf>



From: ["Philip Murphy" <philip.murphy@murphyendeavors.com>](mailto:philip.murphy@murphyendeavors.com)

To: ["John and Mary Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/17/2016 1:16:57 PM

Subject:

Give em hell tonight, big guy! Miss you. PM

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone.

From: "Sara DuBois" <sara@progressiveaccountability.org>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 9/18/2008 8:34:25 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Tracking Clip Of The Day: McCain "Would Fire" SEC Chairman

Enjoy!

JOHN MCCAIN: The Chairman of the SEC serves at the appointment of the President and, in my view, has betrayed the public's trust. If I were President today, I would fire him.  
(Rally; Cedar Rapids, IA 09/18/08)  
To View: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E18jNspbZYM>  
To Download: <http://issuealliance.box.net/shared/2fkiztsp7e>

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From: "Jeff Blake Krehely" <jeff.krehely@gmail.com>

To: [egreen@americanprogress.org](mailto:egreen@americanprogress.org)

Date: 4/17/2015 6:34:56 AM

Subject: Re: [Amprog Alumni] Great news for CAP!

I'm very excited to return -- and lucky to have the opportunity!

On Fri, Apr 17, 2015 at 1:14 PM, Erin Green <[egreen@americanprogress.org](mailto:egreen@americanprogress.org)> wrote:

Welcome back, Jeff!

<https://www.americanprogress.org/press/release/2015/04/17/111154/release-hrcs-jeff-krehely-to-return-to-cap-as-senior-vice-president-for-domestic-policy/>

## RELEASE: HRC's Jeff Krehely to Return to CAP as Senior Vice President for Domestic Policy

April 17, 2015

**Contact:** Tom Caiazza

**Phone:** [202.481.7141](tel:202.481.7141)

**Email:** [tcaiazza@americanprogress.org](mailto:tcaiazza@americanprogress.org)

Washington, D.C. — The Center for American Progress has announced that Jeff Krehely, vice president and chief foundation officer for the Human Rights Campaign, or HRC, will be rejoining CAP as the new Senior Vice President for Domestic Policy. Prior to his work at HRC, Krehely was the founding Director and Vice President for CAP's LGBT Research and Communications Project and the research director for the Movement Advancement Project.

"When Jeff first came to CAP, he was tasked with launching the LGBT program and establishing CAP's policy role on these critical issues," said [Neera Tanden](#), CAP President. "By the time he left four years later, he had built a team that consistently did award-winning research and advocacy and paved the way for the excellent work the team has done since. We are thrilled to have him back at CAP applying his talent and strategic thinking across a wide range of critical domestic policy issues."

Most recently, Krehely served as HRC's vice president and chief foundation officer, where he oversaw six major program areas for the organization, including workplace, school, child welfare, faith community, and health care issues. He also led the organization's fundraising efforts. Prior to his work at HRC, Krehely built and led CAP's LGBT Research and Communications Project, where he researched, wrote, and edited publications on a wide range of LGBT issues, including workplace discrimination, gays in the military, youth homelessness, and economic security, among others.

As Senior Vice President for Domestic Policy, Krehely will oversee a portfolio of the Center's domestic policy work, working closely with the policy and executive teams to advance CAP's policy goals.

**For more information on this topic or to speak with an expert,** contact Tom Caiazza at [tcaiazza@americanprogress.org](mailto:tcaiazza@americanprogress.org) or [202.481.7141](tel:202.481.7141).

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From: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Steiner, Joshua" <Joshua.Steiner@quadranglegroup.com>](mailto:Joshua.Steiner@quadranglegroup.com)  
Date: 10/25/2008 2:14:11 AM  
Subject: Re:

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Can I reach you today? Best #?

-----Original Message-----

From: Steiner, Joshua  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: Bill Daley  
Sent: Oct 24, 2008 10:20 PM  
Subject:

FYI, rich miller from Bloomberg called to say that he heard that Bill and I were preparing to help the treasury sect with transition. I told him that I had no comment.

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

From: ["Amitabh Desai" <adesai@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

["Bruce Lindsey" <blindsey@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:blindsey@clintonfoundation.org)

Date: 3/29/2012 5:04:14 AM

Subject: CCI EOR

Attachments: 20120328192253183.pdf

Please see the attachment.

----- Original Message -----

From: Terry Krinvic

To: Amitabh Desai

Sent: Wed Mar 28 19:26:47 2012

Subject: Fw:

----- Original Message -----

From: Use to Send <ricohc6000@clintonfoundation.org>

To: Terry Krinvic

Sent: Wed Mar 28 19:22:53 2012

Subject:

This E-mail was sent from "RNPE38E0D" (Aficio MP C5000).

Scan Date: 03.28.2012 19:22:53 (-0400)

Queries to: [ricohc600@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:ricohc600@clintonfoundation.org)

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>  
Date: 3/9/2015 5:07:01 AM  
Subject: Re: Fwd: Guidance Please

Chill. Remember the source of the email got us in this hot mess.

On Mar 9, 2015 9:02 AM, "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)> wrote:

I am telling you right now that if there is any hint of trust issues with me, I am not taking this job. See below email from Philippe saying the leaks are creating "trust issues" for HRC.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Jennifer Palmieri <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>  
Date: Mon, Mar 9, 2015 at 11:59 AM  
Subject: Re: Guidance Please  
To: Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>  
Cc: Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>, Kristina Schake <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)>, Karyl Bazbaz <[kbazbaz@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:kbazbaz@clintonfoundation.org)>, Craig Minassian mmedia <[craig@minassianmedia.com](mailto:craig@minassianmedia.com)>, Matt McKenna <[matt.mckenna@gmail.com](mailto:matt.mckenna@gmail.com)>

If you are asking if I talked to any press or anyone outside of our internal team about our plans, I have not.

I have a 20 year reputation of not leaking and not starting now.

I have not even spoken to anyone at the White House about this.

In fact, I have removed myself from WH discussions about emails. Think that is cleaner for both sides. Told Eric he should call Philippe to help with prepping Josh.

On Mon, Mar 9, 2015 at 11:54 AM, Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

I'm sure this isn't news, but this is creating trust problems on her end.

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**From:** Kristina Schake  
**Date:** Monday, March 9, 2015 at 9:51 AM  
**To:** Nick Merrill  
**Cc:** Philippe Reines, Jennifer Palmieri, Karyl Bazbaz, Craig Minassian mmedia, Matt McKenna  
**Subject:** Re: Guidance please

Two Morning Joe clips - first a story about potus, Feinstein interviews, then Chuck Todd did a longer piece on their secretive nature, foreign donors etc. Then Mika said they hear she will be addressing it this week and "take it head on." Then they banter about what she should do - turn over her server, is there a connection to foreign money in her emails, etc. Started talking about if others should run - John Hickenlooper, O'Malley. Both Joe and Mika said she should have used a .gov account. Were pretty harsh.

<http://mms.tveyes.com/PlaybackPortal.aspx?SavedEditID=3d794f8b-c9a3-404a-ae35-a13fbcad28e8>

Second story on the show - it is Senator Klobuchar who said HRC will address her emails this week. "You are going to hear something this week and I'm fairly certain it will be soon." Then Mika say, "we've heard this too - that she will address it this week." Senator Cornyn said she needs to hand over her server.

<http://mms.tveyes.com/PlaybackPortal.aspx?SavedEditID=38d90fba-1968-427a-80a6-c3675dc0f184>

On Mon, Mar 9, 2015 at 9:46 AM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

Mika said it on air. Have a couple of inquiries about it.

On Mar 9, 2015, at 9:43 AM, Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

How do you know that?

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**From:** Nick Merrill  
**Sent:** Monday, March 9, 2015 9:33 AM  
**To:** Jennifer Palmieri; Kristina Schake; Karyl Bazbaz; Philippe Reines; Craig Minassian mmedia; Matt McKenna  
**Subject:** Re: Guidance please

Someone is also telling Mika she'll address this week.

On Mar 9, 2015, at 9:03 AM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

See below.

This is the second time in a week someone has told cnn what she will or won't do.

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Keilar, Brianna" <[Brianna.Keilar@turner.com](mailto:Brianna.Keilar@turner.com)>  
**Date:** March 9, 2015 at 8:57:50 AM EDT  
**To:** Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>  
**Subject:** Guidance please

I understand Sec. Clinton will not address emails today. Can you help me with managing my network's expectations? They have me live at 11a, though I was not initially expecting to be...

Thanks!

Brianna Keilar - CNN  
Senior Political Correspondent  
[202.341.0370](tel:202.341.0370)

Sent from my iPhone



From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)  
["Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

Date: 4/26/2015 6:18:49 AM

Subject: Call today

can we get on the phone today to discuss next week. Either 4:00 or 5:00 work for me.

From: "Jeremy Funk" <funk@americansunitedforchange.org>

To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)

Date: 9/24/2009 7:53:56 AM

Subject: [big campaign] 50 Helpful Facts to Use When Talking to Opponents of Health Insurance Reform



## MEMO

Date: September 24, 2009

To: Supporters of Health Insurance Reform

From: Americans United for Change

Subject: 50 Helpful Facts to Use When Talking to Opponents of Health Insurance Reform

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### **The Rapidly Rising Number of Uninsured and Underinsured**

**46.3 Million Americans Have No Health Insurance.** "Nationwide, the number of uninsured has increased from 39.8 million in 2001 to 46.3 million in 2008." [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Press Release, 9/16/09](#) ]

**25 Million Americans Are 'Underinsured.'** "The number of underinsured U.S. adults -- people who have health coverage but are not adequately protected from high medical expenses -- has risen dramatically. A Commonwealth Fund study published by the journal Health Affairs in June finds that as of 2007, there were an estimated 25 million underinsured adults in the U.S., 60 percent more than the 16 million who were underinsured in 2003." [[CommonwealthFund.org, 7/28/08; Accessed, 9/16/09](#) ]

**14,000 Americans are Losing Their Coverage Each Day.** "Even when the economy was growing, 46 million people in America did not have any health insurance. Since the recession began, an estimated 4 million additional Americans

have lost their health insurance and 2 million have become uninsured. The recent turmoil in the job market is likely increasing the number of uninsured at the rate of 14,000 a day.” [[Center for American Progress, February 19, 2009](#) ]

**A full one in six Americans with employer-sponsored insurance in 2006 lost that coverage by 2008. If this trend continues, one in six Americans with employer coverage today will lose their job-based health insurance over the next two years.** [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report, “Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage,”](#) accessed, 9/16/09 ]

**Half of all Americans Will Lose Their Health Coverage Sometime in the Next 10 Years.** “A [new report](#) from the Treasury Department shows that about half of all Americans under age 65 will lose their health coverage at some point over the next ten years. The report also found that more than one-third of Americans will go without coverage for longer than one year.” [[Treasury Department](#) , 9/20/09]

**More than half of the uninsured—26 million Americans—are small-business owners, employees, or their dependents.** Small businesses pay higher premiums than their larger counterparts, and many cannot afford to offer coverage as a result. Among firms with 3 to 9 workers, fewer than half are able to offer health benefits to their workers. [[Families USA, July 2009](#) ]

**Fewer Small Businesses Are Offering Insurance:** “From 2000 to 2007, the proportion of non-elderly Americans covered by employer-based health insurance **fell from 66% to 61%.** Much of this decline stems from small business. The percentage of small businesses offering coverage dropped from 68% to 59%, while large firms held stable at 99%.” [[U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, “Helping the Bottom Line: Health Reform and Small Business,”](#) accessed 9/17/09]

**About 10% of small businesses are considering eliminating coverage over the next year, up from 3% in 2005, according to a recent survey by National Small Business Association.** [[Wall Street Journal, May 26, 2009](#)]

**A full 32 percent of working age adults and their families had a gap in health insurance coverage for at least one month in 2006 and 2007.** [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report, “Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage,”](#) Accessed, 9/16/09 ]

**And an estimated 87 million people were uninsured at some point during 2007 and 2008.** [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report, “Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage,”](#) Accessed, 9/16/09 ]

## **Exploding Health Care Costs**

**The Average Family Premium Is \$13,375, Up 131% Since 1999.** “In 2009, the average annual premiums for employer-sponsored health insurance are \$4,824 for single coverage and \$13,375 for family coverage. Premiums for family coverage are 5% higher than last year (\$12,680)...Since 1999, average premiums for family coverage have increased 131%.” [[Kaiser/HRET Survey of Employer-Sponsored Health Benefits, 2009, 9/15/09](#) ]

**Health Care Premiums Cost \$1,100 More for the Insured Because of Cost Shifting from the Uninsured.** “The Center for American Progress has updated a 2005 analysis by Kenneth Thorpe for Families USA and found that, on average, 8 percent of families’ 2009 health care premiums—approximately \$1,100 a year—is due to our broken system that fails to cover the uninsured...The uninsured pay more for care—and get less—than those with insurance. **But when the uninsured cannot pay, health care providers shift those costs to those who can pay—those who have insurance coverage. This leads to higher premiums** for those who buy their insurance on the individual market, as well as workers who get insurance for themselves and their families through their job.” [[Center for American Progress Action Fund report, “The Cost Shift from the Uninsured,”](#) 3/24/09]

**Employer-sponsored health insurance premiums have nearly doubled since 2000, a rate three times faster than wages.** [[Kaiser Family Foundation; Employer Health Benefits Survey 2008.](#) ]

**Average family deductible increased 30 percent in just two years.** “A deductible is the amount of money a person must pay out of his or her own pocket before health insurance begins to cover the cost of medical expenses. Deductibles have risen substantially over time. For preferred provider organization (PPO) plans purchased through an employer, the average family deductible increased 30 percent in just two years, from \$1,034 to \$1,344. This effect is more pronounced for small firms, where PPO deductibles increased from \$1,439 to \$2,367 — a rise of 64 percent.”

[\[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, "Hidden Costs of Health Care Report: Why Americans Are Paying More But Getting Less," accessed 9/24/09\]](#)

**Families Will Be Paying 1/3 of their Income on Health Care Without Reform.** "A [new report](#) from the Center for American Progress shows that without reform, health care costs will eat up fully one-third of the average family's income by 2019 – equivalent to a second rent or mortgage payment every month for many families." [["Family Health Spending to Rise Rapidly," Center for American Progress, 9/15/09](#) ]

**Without significant marketplace reforms, if current trends continue, annual health care costs for employers will rise 166 percent over the next decade, from \$10,743 per employee today to \$28,530 by 2019.** [[Health Care Reform: The Perils of Inaction and the Promise of Effective Action; A Report to Business Roundtable by Hewitt Associates LLC; September 2009](#)]

**If nothing changes, by 2019, total health care spending will reach \$4.4 trillion, consuming more than 20 percent of the U.S. Gross Domestic Product.** [[Health Care Reform: The Perils of Inaction and the Promise of Effective Action; A Report to Business Roundtable by Hewitt Associates LLC; September 2009](#) ]

**72 million, or 41 percent, of nonelderly adults have accumulated medical debt or had difficulty paying medical bills in the past year.** "In fact, one recent survey estimated that 72 million, or 41 percent, of nonelderly adults have accumulated medical debt or had difficulty paying medical bills in the past year. A full 61 percent of those with difficulty had insurance." [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report, "Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage," accessed, 9/16/09](#) ]

**Nearly three-quarters of Americans who tried to buy health coverage in this market never actually purchased a plan.** "Over the last three years, nearly three-quarters of people who tried to buy coverage in this market never actually purchased a plan, either because they could not find one that fit their needs or that they could afford, or because they were turned down due to a preexisting condition." [[The Commonwealth Fund; "Failure to Protect: Why the Individual Insurance Market Is Not a Viable Option for Most U.S. Families," July 2009](#) ]

**The Average American Spends About \$7500 a year on Health Care.** "Health spending in the United States averaged [\\$7,421 per person](#) in 2007, totaling \$2.2 trillion, or [16.2% of our nation's economy](#), up from 7.2% of GDP in 1970 and 12.3% of GDP in 1990." [[Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary](#) ]

**Employers Are Spending 131% More On Health Insurance To Cover Their Employees.** "Since 1999, family premiums for employer-sponsored insurance [have increased 131 percent](#), while wages have gone up 38 percent and inflation has gone up 28 percent." [[Kaiser/HRET Survey of Employer-Sponsored Health Benefits, 1999-2009](#) ]

**Per Capita Health Spending Has Increased Faster Than The Consumer Price Index.** "Over the past 25 years, annual increases in national health spending per capita have exceeded increases in the Consumer Price Index, most recently [5.1% vs. 2.8% in 2007](#)." [[Kaiser Family Foundation calculations using NHE data from Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group](#)]

**The United States Spend Much More on Health Care Coverage Per Person Than Any Other Country.** "The U.S. spends substantially [more per capita on health care](#) than other developed countries. (\$6,567 in the U.S. in 2006 compared to, for example, \$4,311 in Switzerland, \$4,223 in Luxembourg, \$3,505 in Canada, \$3,353 in France, \$3,247 in Germany, in current health expenditures)." [[Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development](#) ]

**One-Third of all Young Adults Report Problems with Paying Medical Bills.** "A lack of adequate coverage also can have devastating consequences for people just starting their financial independence. In a recent survey, more than one-third of all young adults (with or without health insurance) reported problems with paying medical bills, including having trouble making payments, being contacted by a collection agency, or significantly changing their way of life in order to make payments. One in four young adults reported medical debt. This problem is significantly worse for those without insurance. Nearly half of uninsured young adults (49 percent) reported problems with medical bills, and nearly 40 percent carried medical debt. [[Young Americans and Health Insurance Reform: Giving Young Americans the Security and Stability They Need; U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09](#) ]

**A 2008 survey found that one in four adults responded that they had passed up another job opportunity, stayed at a job they would have quit, or declined to retire early in order to retain employer-provided health insurance.** [[Health Care Reform: The Perils of Inaction and the Promise of Effective Action : A Report to Business Roundtable by Hewitt Associates LLC; September 2009](#)]

Between 2000 and 2008, the percentage of firms offering health insurance coverage to their employees declined from 69 to 63; for firms employing less than 10 workers, the decline was even greater – from 57 to 49 percent. [[\*“Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage.”\*](#) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09]

Between 2001 and 2005, employers dropping dependent coverage accounted for 11 percent of the decline in employer-sponsored insurance overall. [[\*Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage\*](#); U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09 ]

A family that buys insurance on the individual market pays nearly 60 percent more in out-of-pocket costs such as deductibles and co-payments than a family that gets insurance through work. [[\*Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage\*](#); U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09]

### **The Consequences of Doing Nothing: Tens of Thousands Die Each Year Due to Lack of Health Insurance**

**137,000 Americans Died From 2000 through 2006 Because They Did Not Have Health Insurance.** “In 2002, the Institute of Medicine (IOM) estimated that 18,000 Americans died in 2000 because they were uninsured. Since then, the number of uninsured has grown. Based on the IOM’s methodology and subsequent Census Bureau estimates of insurance coverage, 137,000 people died from 2000 through 2006 because they lacked health insurance, **including 22,000 people in 2006,**” according to a January 2008 report from The Urban Institute, “*Uninsured and Dying Because of It: Updating the Institute of Medicine Analysis on the Impact of Uninsurance on Mortality.*” [[\*The Urban Institute, January 2008\*](#)]

### **The Consequences of Doing Nothing: Bankrupt Families**

**Almost two-thirds of all U.S. bankruptcies are from medical bills.** “In 2007, medical problems and expenses contributed to nearly two-thirds of all bankruptcies in the United States, a jump of nearly 50 percent from 2001...Most of those bankrupted by medical problems were “solidly middle class” before they suffered financial disaster -- two-thirds were homeowners and three-fifths had gone to college.” Even those with health insurance had to declare bankruptcy after racking up \$17,749 in bills. [[\*American Journal of Medicine, 6/4/09\*](#) ]

**Every 90 seconds another family files for bankruptcy due to medical bills.** “In 2007, before the current economic downturn, an American family filed for bankruptcy in the aftermath of illness every 90 seconds.” [[\*American Journal of Medicine, 6/4/09\*](#)]

### **The Consequences of Doing Nothing: Millions of Americans Avoiding the Care They Need**

The results of a recent study showed that two-thirds of the uninsured (68 percent) go without needed care – including seeing a doctor when sick, filling prescriptions, and following up on recommended tests or treatment – and 51 percent of the uninsured report difficulty paying bills, being contacted by collection agencies for unpaid bills, or changing their way of life to pay medical bills. [[\*“Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage.”\*](#) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09]

### **U.S. Health System Ranked # 37 in the World Despite Spending a Higher Portion of GDP Than Any Other Country**

“The U. S. health system spends a higher portion of its gross domestic product than any other country but ranks 37 out of 191 countries according to its performance,” according to the June 21, 2000 report “*The World Health Report 2000 – Health systems: Improving performance*” by the World Health Organization. The same report ranked Costa Rica’s health system #36 and Slovenia’s health system #38. France’s health system was ranked #1. As [\*geographic.org notes\*](#), “The World Health Organization’s ranking of the world’s health systems was last produced in 2000, and the WHO no longer produces such a ranking table, because of the complexity of the task.” [[\*World Health Organization press release, June 21, 2000\*](#)]

**Health Care Costs Doubled From 1996 to 2006, and are Projected to Rise to 25 percent of GDP in 2025.** [[\*U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report.\*](#) *“Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-*



[Sponsored Insurance Coverage;](#)” [HealthReform.gov](#), accessed 9/16/09 ]

Health spending in the United States averaged **\$7,421 per person** in 2007, totaling \$2.2 trillion, or **16.2% of our nation's economy**, up from 7.2% of GDP in 1970 and 12.3% of GDP in 1990. [[Kaiser Family Foundation](#), accessed 9/16/09]

Over the past 25 years, annual increases in national health spending per capita have exceeded increases in the Consumer Price Index, most recently **5.1% vs. 2.8% in 2007**. [[Kaiser Family Foundation](#), accessed 9/16/09]

### **Astronomical Insurance Industry Profits and What They’re Spending to Protect Them**

For the five top-earning insurance companies in 2008, average profits were \$1.56 Billion; That year, CEO compensation for these companies ranged from \$3 million to \$24 million. [[Families USA](#), July 2009 ]

[Health Insurance Company CEOs Total Compensation in 2008](#) :

- Aetna, [Ronald A. Williams](#) : \$24,300,112
- Cigna, [H. Edward Hanway](#) : \$12,236,740
- Coventry, [Dale Wolf](#) : \$9,047,469
- Health Net, [Jay Gellert](#) : \$4,425,355
- Humana, [Michael McCallister](#) : \$4,764,309
- U. Health Group, [Stephen J. Hemsley](#) : \$3,241,042
- Wellpoint, [Angela Braly](#) : \$9,844,212

**Is It Any Wonder Insurance and HMO Industries Spend Nearly \$700,000 Per Day to Kill Health Care Reform Measures; Industries have spent \$585.7 million since 2007 on lobbying and campaign contributions.**

An analysis of insurance and HMO political contributions and lobbying expenses by campaign finance watchdog Public Campaign Action Fund “found the industries spent \$126,430,438 over the first half of 2009 and \$585,725,712 over the past two and a half years to influence public policy and elected officials. The analysis also “found that in the first part of 2009, the industries were spending money at nearly a \$700,000 a day clip to influence the political process and that the monthly pace of political spending this year has increased by nearly \$400,000 over the average spent per month in the previous two years.” [[Public Campaign Action Fund](#), press release, 9/15/09 ]

### **Negligible Competition in the Private Insurance Market = Higher and Premiums**

**94% of All Markets Have A Near Monopoly When It Comes to Individual Insurers.** “The American Medical Association reports that 94 percent of insurance markets in the United States are now highly concentrated. Shrinking competition among health insurance companies is a major cause of these spiraling costs. In the past 13 years more than 400 corporate mergers have involved health insurers, and a small number of companies now dominate local markets...**Contrary to industry assertions, these mergers have undermined market efficiency: premiums have skyrocketed, increasing more than 87 percent, on average, over the past six years.**” [[American Medical Association](#), 2008]

## **Outrageous Insurance Industry Practices**

**In 45 states, insurance companies can discriminate against people based on their pre-existing conditions when they try to purchase health insurance directly from insurance companies in the individual insurance market.** [[Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage:](#) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09]

**12.6 Million Americans Seeking Insurance Were Discriminated Against In Last Three Years Because of a ‘Pre-existing Condition.** “A recent national survey estimated that 12.6 million non-elderly adults<sup>24</sup> – 36 percent of those who tried to purchase health insurance directly from an insurance company in the individual insurance market – were in fact discriminated against because of a pre-existing condition in the previous three years. Another study found that among those with a health problem trying to purchase insurance in the individual market, 70 percent found it difficult or impossible to find affordable coverage, and roughly half were turned down or discriminated against. [[Insurance Insecurity: Families Are Losing Employer-Sponsored Insurance Coverage:](#) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09]

**In eight states and D.C., it is still legal for insurers to reject a woman's health insurance application if she is a victim of domestic violence.** "The eight states that still allow it are Idaho, Mississippi, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota and Wyoming, according to a [report](#) by the National Women's Law Center." [[National Women's Law Center](#) , accessed 9/16/09; [Huffington Post, 9/14/09](#) ]

**20,000 Americans lost their health insurance in the last five years through a shady insurance industry practice called "rescission."** "When a person is diagnosed with an expensive condition such as cancer, some insurance companies review his/her initial health status questionnaire. In most states' individual insurance market, insurance companies can retroactively cancel the entire policy if any condition was missed – even if the medical condition is unrelated, and even if the person was not aware of the condition at the time. Coverage can also be revoked for all members of a family, even if only one family member failed to disclose a medical condition. **A recent Congressional investigation into this practice found nearly 20,000 rescissions from three large insurers over five years, saving them \$300 million in medical claims** – \$300 million that instead had to come out of the pockets of people who thought they were insured, or became bad debt for health care providers." [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report, "Coverage Denied: How the Current Health Insurance System Leaves Millions Behind: "Pre-Existing Conditions" Affect Millions of Americans."](#) [HealthReform.gov](#), accessed 9/16/09 ]

**During a 2007 investigation, California regulators uncovered more than 1,200 violations of the law by Anthem Blue Cross in regard to unfair rescission and claims processing practices.** "In March 2007, the California Department of Managed Health Care fined Anthem Blue Cross \$1 million after an investigation revealed that the insurer routinely canceled individual health policies of pregnant women and chronically ill patients. In order to drop individual policies, the insurer must show that the policyholder lied about their medical history or preexisting conditions on the application. **As part of the state's investigation, regulators randomly selected 90 cases where the insurer had dropped the policyholder. In every single one, investigators found the insurer had violated state law. During the investigation, California regulators uncovered more than 1,200 violations of the law by Anthem Blue Cross in regard to unfair rescission and claims processing practices.**" [[Americans Association for Justice, "Tricks of the Trade: How Insurance Companies Deny, Delay, Confuse and Refuse,"](#) accessed 9/17/09]

**In the past 18 months, California's five largest insurers paid almost \$19 million in fines for marooning policyholders who had fallen ill.** That includes a \$1 million fine against Health Net, which admitted offering bonuses to employees for finding reasons to cancel policies. [[Washington Post, September 8, 2009](#) ]

**One in 10 People with Cancer Unable to Obtain Health Coverage; Six Percent Said They Lost Their Coverage.** "In another survey, one in 10 people with cancer said they could not obtain health coverage, and six percent said they lost their coverage, because of being diagnosed with the disease." [[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services report, "Coverage Denied: How the Current Health Insurance System Leaves Millions Behind: "Pre-Existing Conditions" Affect Millions of Americans."](#) [HealthReform.gov](#), accessed 9/16/09 ]

**California Insurers Deny 1-in-5 Medical Claims for Insured Patients, Even When Recommended by a Patient's Doctor:** "More than one of every five requests for medical claims for insured patients, even when recommended by a patient's physician, are rejected by California's largest private insurers, amounting to very real death panels in practice daily in the nation's biggest state, according to data released Wednesday by the California Nurses Association/National Nurses Organizing Committee." [[Press release, California Nurses Association, 9/2/2009](#) ]

**In most states, insurers can reject women for coverage simply for having previously had a Cesarean section (C-section).** "In most states, insurers are free to reject individuals applying for coverage in the individual market. Many women face such rejection at this underwriting stage of purchasing insurance for a wide range of reasons. For example, women have greater health needs than men and are more likely than men to suffer from a chronic condition requiring ongoing treatment, like asthma or arthritis. These conditions can lead to rejection of coverage. In addition, if during the medical underwriting process the insurer discovers that an applicant underwent a past C-section, the company may charge her a higher premium, impose an exclusionary period during which it refuses to cover another C-section or pregnancy, or even reject her for coverage altogether unless she has been sterilized or is no longer of childbearing age." [[National Women's Law Center; Nowhere to Turn: How the Individual Health Insurance Market Fails Women.](#) accessed, 9/17/09]

**About 805,000 Californians have insurance policies that specifically exclude maternity coverage.** "The number of individual health insurance policies that do not include maternity coverage has risen dramatically in recent years, prompting concern among consumers and a legislative effort to require California insurers to include the benefit. About 805,000 Californians have insurance policies that specifically exclude maternity coverage - a number that has more than quadrupled from 192,000 in 2004, according to the California Health Benefits Review Program, which provides

independent analysis of proposed health insurance benefits mandates. Ben Singer, a spokesman for Anthem Blue Cross explained to the *San Francisco Chronicle*: "**Having a child is a matter of choice.**" [[San Francisco Chronicle, March 24, 2009](#)]

**In 33 states, insurance companies are permitted to charge higher premiums based on age, gender, and health status.** "In 33 states, insurance companies are permitted to charge higher premiums based on age, gender, and health status without any restrictions whatsoever. Younger women are often charged higher premiums than men during their reproductive years. Holding other factors constant, a 22-year-old woman can be charged one and a half times the premium of a 22-year-old man." [[Young Americans and Health Insurance Reform: Giving Young Americans the Security and Stability They Need; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, accessed 9/22/09](#)]

- **Women Pay Up to 48 Percent Higher Premiums Than Men.** "NWLC found that among the plans examined, at age 25, women were charged between 6% and 45% more than men for individual market health plans; at 40-years-old, women's monthly premiums ranged between 4% and 48% higher than men's monthly premiums. [[National Women's Law Center; Nowhere to Turn: How the Individual Health Insurance Market Fails Women, accessed, 9/17/09](#)]
- **Premiums can vary as much as 11:1 based on a customer's age.** "In some markets today, premiums can vary as much as 11:1 based on a customer's age. That means the oldest customer could pay as much as 11 times more than the youngest customer simply because of his or her age. [[New America Foundation; The New Health Dialogue Blog, 9/2/09](#)]

### **Support for Health Insurance Reform That Includes a Public Option**

**Three out of four physicians nationwide support inclusion of a public option as part of health insurance reform.** "A Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) study published in Monday's *New England Journal of Medicine* shows that 63 percent of physicians support a health reform proposal that includes both a public option and traditional private insurance. **If the additional 10 percent of doctors who support an entirely public health system are included, then approximately three out of four physicians nationwide support inclusion of a public option.**" [[Huffington Post, 9/14/09](#) ]

**By a 62% to 28% margin, voters support a public option regardless of whether they watched the President Obama's September 9<sup>th</sup> address to Congress.** [[Anzalone Liszt Research memo, 9/12/09](#) ]

**By a 10-point margin, voters are more likely to re-elect a Member of Congress who votes for healthcare reform** [[Anzalone Liszt Research memo, 9/12/09](#) ]

**Majority Of Business Leaders Support a Public Option.** A survey, conducted by Anzalone Liszt Research in advance of President Obama's address to Congress, showed that 57% of business leaders believe health care reform should be an important government policy. They support key elements of a reform plan, including...requiring insurance companies to cover pre-existing conditions (79%) **and a public health option (51%).** [[CNBC.com, 9/11/09](#) ]

### ***Additional Resources:***

"Myths vs. Facts," AARP: [http://aarp.convio.net/site/PageNavigator/Myths\\_vs\\_Facts](http://aarp.convio.net/site/PageNavigator/Myths_vs_Facts)

"HEALTH CARE MYTHS VS. REALITY," ThinkProgress.org:  
<http://wonkroom.thinkprogress.org/wp-content/uploads/2008/03/hc-myth-vs-reality-v3.pdf>

For more health insurance reform myth busting, please [click here](#) .

For more information on America's Affordable Health Choices Act, please [click here](#) .

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To: [clu@barackobama.com](mailto:clu@barackobama.com)

Date: 9/5/2008 11:15:46 AM

Subject: Fwd:

Can you see if Fedrico can get to the meeting on Saturday.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "Froman, Michael B" <fromanm@citi.com>

Date: Fri, 5 Sep 2008 11:28:48 -0400

Subject: RE:

To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Any news on location? When are you arriving?

I realized this morning that I haven't said anything to Federico about this. Have you? He's sort of stepped back from the process (due to other campaign commitments), so I don't know what his expectations are.

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]

Sent: Wednesday, September 03, 2008 5:51 AM

To: Froman, Michael B [CAI]

Subject: Re:

2:00 in Chicago. No location yet. Guess is the house.

On 9/2/08, Froman, Michael B <fromanm@citi.com> wrote:

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> Had a great meeting with Presidential Personnel, but lots of issues to  
  
> discuss coming out of that. I'll call you to follow up.  
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> Please let me know as you learn the details of the meeting on Sunday.  
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To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 11/11/2015 10:05:37 AM  
Subject: Re: Gore

that he wouldnt endorse  
this was months ago, close to beginning of campaign

On Wed, Nov 11, 2015 at 4:44 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

What did he say to warn?

On Nov 11, 2015 4:10 PM, "Huma Abedin" <[ha16@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yes he warned us

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 11, 2015, at 3:55 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

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From: Nora Toiv <[nora.toiv@gmail.com](mailto:nora.toiv@gmail.com)>

Date: Wed, Nov 11, 2015 at 3:47 PM

Subject: Gore

To: Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

TOP TALKER -- "Gore Declines to Endorse Hillary Clinton for President," by People's Sandra Sobieraj Westfall: "Gore, who served two terms with former President Bill Clinton, politely but firmly declined when PEOPLE asked him if he supports Hillary ... 'It's still too early, in my opinion, to endorse a candidate or pick a candidate,' Gore told PEOPLE in an interview to preview his 24-hour climate-change telethon, which starts on Friday." <http://bit.ly/1RNIMQO>

From: ["Matthew Browne" <browne\\_mj@hotmail.com>](mailto:browne_mj@hotmail.com)

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Date: 9/5/2015 2:00:49 AM

Subject: Latest Canadian Polls

Attachments: Full Report (September 4, 2015)-2.pdf

Looking increasingly like a three horse race -- NDP's decision to stick to Tories by pledging to remove deficit seems to be damaging them, and making it hard to explain how they will run a progressive agenda. Trudeau has contrasted, saying he will run small deficits to fund infrastructure as Canada needs that, and has been backed up by Paul Martin -- who may Canadians still revere.

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Team,

Attaching an oped reflecting initial feedback from Amanda and Lorella that the political team would like to run in La Opinion / regional Spanish-language papers timed to the start of Hispanic Heritage Month / the second Republican debate. The idea is to lay out a passionate case for why HRC stands with the Latino community and call out the Republicans for their rhetoric, rather than leaning on policy positions.

Please send comments/edits/approvals my way by 7pm if possible so we can get this to HRC for approval overnight and out for translation tomorrow.

Thanks all,

Kristina

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Date: 5/28/2015 2:48:47 PM

Subject: checking in on my book idea

Dear John,

I sent you an email several weeks ago but you might have missed it, so I thought it would make sense to just email you once more, and cc Jen. Long story short, I have been discussing the idea of writing a third book with my agent and my editor at Knopf/Pantheon. In the course of those discussions, I have tentatively settled on the idea of a book that would look at the role you have played in the Democratic Party over the course of the last few decades. This would allow me to examine pivotal moments in two presidencies and one presidential campaign, as well as key ideas (including what does it mean to be a progressive and key environmental decisions).

As I'm writing up my proposal, it would be helpful to know whether you'd be willing to cooperate with such a book. I would imagine you would have reservations about a book that would be akin to a biography, but that's not really what this would be. I'm aiming to write a book that helps explain how Washington works, by examining how someone behind the scenes has helped moved the levers of government and operated the machinery of campaigns. And of course, if the book doesn't garner a good advance I won't write it, because I've got plenty of other things on my plate. But I think it could be an interesting project, and it would be great to know to what extent you'd be open to talking to me about this.

I know both of you are very busy, but just drop me a line when you get a chance. I will be traveling in Canada from Friday to Tuesday, but will be reachable all of the usual ways.

Best, Juliet

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# How Euro Area Deepening Can Reduce the Risk of Brexit

Daniela Schwarzer

May 29, 2015

BERLIN—While British Prime Minister David Cameron is travelling Europe from The Hague to Paris, from Warsaw to Berlin to kick off negotiations on Britain's relationship with the EU, German and French political leaders are working behind the scenes on how to deepen the euro area. In a recently leaked [joint letter](#) addressed to European Commission President Jean Claude Juncker, French President François Hollande and German Chancellor Angela Merkel argue for a deepening of the euro area without a change of the EU Treaty. This leaked letter was widely interpreted as a rebuff to Cameron, telling him there will be no treaty change to accommodate British interests to renegotiate the EU — or at least, British membership — ahead of the British referendum planned for 2017. But the Franco-German initiative is actually more about the risk of Grexit (a Greek exit from the euro area) than Brexit (a British one from the EU), and it might even help Cameron, if only indirectly.

It is true that Paris and Berlin have made their reservations about treaty change clear and they did so well before the leaked letter. The motivation behind this Franco-German initiative, though, is not about the U.K.. It is about the euro area, which still faces serious fragilities: in political, economic, social, and financial terms. This is as much a question of policy as it is of architecture. With regards to policy, the euro area struggles to get some of its most badly hit regions and countries back on track for economic growth, employment, and sustainable public finances. On questions of architecture, the governance mechanisms for economic and budgetary policy coordination are not nearly robust enough, and the overall governance set-up lacks democratic legitimacy. Moreover, there are good arguments to complete the Banking Union and to equip the monetary union with stronger tools to manage financial crises and a fiscal capacity.

All this has been known for a while, and yet the political process to improve the governance set-up of the euro area has stalled for almost two years. In summer 2013, when the European Central Bank announced its "we'll do what it takes" policy of buying potentially unlimited amounts of sovereign bonds (known as the Outright Monetary Transactions program), markets calmed down and policymakers relaxed. They no longer saw a pressing need to pursue the process of deepening the euro area further, which has already advanced so much that it touches upon sensitive questions of sovereignty, EU interference, financial solidarity, and risk sharing.

In 2015, two factors combined to bring renewed impetus to the debate on euro area deepening. The show-down with Greece on its debt payments and the non-negligible danger of a Grexit is one factor. The other is the new EU leadership with an entrepreneurial Commission president deeply familiar with all the core weaknesses of the currency union after spending eight years chairing the Eurogroup (the meeting of finance ministers of the euro area).

At the European Summit on June 24-25, 2015, a second report on euro area deepening by the four presidents of the European Commission, the euro area, the European Central Bank, and the European Council will be presented. The first one, "[Towards a Genuine Economic and Monetary Union](#)" contained far reaching suggestions for further integration in the field of financial, economic, and budgetary policy as well as proposals how to improve democracy and legitimacy. This time around, in particular following the Franco-German initiative, it is less likely that this report will simply be shelved like the previous one was two years ago. Although a big leap forward with a substantive transfer of competencies is unlikely, the eurozone will make moves to grow closer. The risk of a Grexit is accelerating these dynamics, firstly, because the conflict with Greece has pushed the others closer together and strengthened joint perceptions about governance deficiencies, and secondly, because euro area countries know they may have to restore credibility and strengthen the euro if it is to survive a Grexit.

Cameron can but watch this happening from the margins of the EU. It is now clear that there will

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be no big treaty revision and no intergovernmental conference that would simultaneously debate a deepening for the euro area while loosening the U.K.'s membership. Cameron's claims that he will renegotiate and change the EU are illusory.

While the new Franco-German initiative is not targeted at Cameron, it could politically suit him. If the political deepening of the euro area moves ahead, Cameron will be able to argue at home that the U.K. is much less integrated into the EU than the core countries are — currency-wise, institutionally, politically, and also in terms of risk sharing and financial solidarity. So while Cameron might not be able to reshape the EU according to British ideas, a Franco-German reshaping of the euro area could help him rebrand British EU membership by default.

DISCUSS

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yep great - the team in HQ were fired up to hear from the Chair!  
loved your anecdote that you started in IA too...

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Subject: Daily Skimm: bottoms up

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**Skimm for August 28th**

*Skimm'd while watching "A League of Their Own"*

#### QUOTE OF THE DAY

'You are an example of what's possible when, in the face of tragedy and hardship, good people come together' - [President Obama](#) speaking in New Orleans yesterday. This weekend is the 10th anniversary of Hurricane Katrina.

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#### DESTINATION EUROPE

##### THE STORY

Yesterday, up to 70 migrants were [found dead](#) in the back of a truck in Austria.

##### WHAT HAPPENED?

The truck, sans driver, was found on the side of the road near the Hungarian border. Investigators are trying to figure out what happened, but illegal smuggling of migrants is common in the region where the truck was found.

##### WHAT'S THE BIGGER PICTURE?

Europe is facing a really big [migrant crisis](#) right now. Hundreds of thousands of people have made it into the EU this year, and many have died trying. They're coming from not-so-stable places (think: Syria and Iraq) and countries with struggling economies (think: Bangladesh and Serbia). And they're willing to do almost anything to get to Europe and find a job. That often means paying smugglers to help them get there. Some countries ([like Hungary](#)) have tried to install fences to keep them out, but others ([like Greece](#)) have resorted to keeping people in stadiums.

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So far, the question of how Europe is going to deal with the migrant crisis is being answered with a resounding [don't know.](#)

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#### REPEAT AFTER ME...

## WHAT TO SAY WHEN YOUR MOM ASKS YOU TO MAKE PLANS THROUGH HER ASSISTANT...

How about I just talk to you? Yesterday, the [National Labor Relations Board](#) (NLRB) made a ruling that could mean major changes for the fast-food industry. Big companies like McDonald's and Burger King have always said that local franchises have the control when it comes to things like setting wages and working conditions. Which makes it really hard for unions to try to negotiate on behalf of US fast-food workers. But yesterday, the NLRB changed that. The board says parent companies are now responsible for employees even if they don't directly work with them. Translation: a union might soon be able to negotiate directly with McDonald's HQ on behalf of fast-food workers. For years, low-wage workers around the country have been protesting for a \$15 minimum wage (aka \$31,000 a year in a full-time job). This ruling could be a big leg up for them.

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## WHAT TO SAY WHEN YOUR CO-WORKER COMPLAINS THAT YOU'RE ENCROACHING ON HER DESK SPACE...

I completely disagree with you. That's what [Google told the EU](#) yesterday. Earlier this year, EU regulators slapped the company with major anti-trust charges. Europe says Google uses its no. 1 status in online search to undermine competitors in related businesses. Example: if you Google something, it might not rank Amazon shopping ads very high in its results. The EU says that's major monopoly behavior. Yesterday, Google officially responded for the first time. The company said 'wrong, wrong, wrong': the EU's charges are twisted, and oh by the way, it doesn't have the legal justification to make The Big G change its ways. This is one of the biggest anti-trust cases in years. If Google loses, it could have to pay billions in fines and change how it does business. And no matter what, it'll take a loooong time for this to be over.

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## WHAT TO SAY WHEN SOMEONE CHECKING THEIR PHONE RUNS INTO YOU ON THE SIDEWALK...

Just call me Usain Bolt.

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## WHAT TO SAY TO YOUR FRIENDS DOWN SOUTH...

Bring out the rain boots. [Tropical Storm Erika](#) is expected to reach hurricane status and hit South Florida on Monday. Yesterday, the storm slammed into the small Caribbean island of Dominica, killing at least four people. It brought flooding and landslides, leaving most of the country without electricity or running water. Erika's expected to make a pit stop at islands including the Dominican Republic and Cuba before hitting Florida.

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## WHAT TO SAY TO SOMEONE WHO STILL ISN'T A T-SWIFT FAN...

Give it up. [It's very hard to dislike her after this.](#)

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### SKIMM READS

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Skimm'ologist says: [Try this vintage-y red](#) .

["Trust No One" by Paul Cleave](#)

If you liked "Gone Girl," and watched "Are You Afraid of the Dark?", this one's for you. A thriller about a crime writer who gets Alzheimer's and starts confessing to the crimes he wrote about. It'll keep you up.

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## SKIMM SHARE

Good things happen to those who share. Thanks to Priyanka Juneja (Charlotte, NC) and Kathleen Kuhar Elburn, IL) for sharing like there's no tomorrow. You've got some [Skimm gym swag](#) coming your way. This is now [you share](#) .



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Subject: Sunday Show Q&A

Not sure exactly how we think this question will come, but here are some thoughts on how she could talk about her message and posture in New Hampshire:

What's your message in New Hampshire?

- I love campaigning in New Hampshire. The people of this state have been so good to me and my family over the years. As I've been telling folks here, New Hampshire's never quit on me and I'm not going to quit on them.
- This is Senator Sanders' backyard and he's doing very well here. But a lot of voters are still shopping. In New Hampshire, everyone takes a second look. Maybe even a third or fourth look. So I'm competing for every vote and making my case for why I'd be a better President.
- Senator Sanders and I share a lot of big, progressive goals for our country, but I'm the only one who's laid out plans that can actually achieve those goals and make a real difference in people's lives. I'm fighting for everyone who can't wait for ideas that only sound good on paper, and I'm not making promises I can't keep.
- I want to break down all the barriers holding Americans back from achieving their dreams. We have to make our economy work for everyone, not just those at the top. But we also have to take on other forms of inequality, like the cradle-to-prison pipeline that holds back so many communities of color, like women being denied equal pay, like the fact that in many places LGBT Americans can still be fired just because of who they are and who they love. We also have to deal with the quiet challenges that hold people and families back, like addiction and mental illness.
- I believe we have to break through all these barriers and make sure all our people have the opportunity to live up to their full potential. Because that's how we'll build a future we can all share and succeed in.

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Date: 10/14/2014 2:36:34 PM

Subject: ## REPLY REQUESTED: [J.Podesta] ##

We wouldn't email you FOUR times in the last 24 hours if our need wasn't so urgent.

-- Boehner's Super PAC launched a MASSIVE ad blitz against Brad *TODAY*.

-- and now, another outside group has dumped \$100,000.00 on Chicago T.V. to defeat Brad.

**It's a potentially devastating combo of bad news:** in fact, Republican spending in Illinois's 10th district just passed a staggering \$6 MILLION.

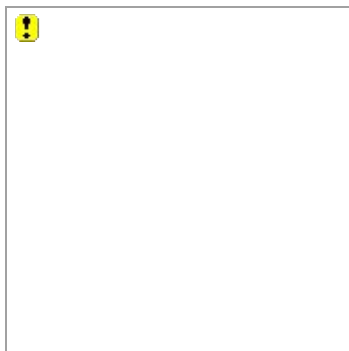
But there's good news too: at 10:52 pm last night, we received a \$25 donation to UNLOCK THE MATCH.

John, the fate of Brad's reelection is at stake. Please don't waste this opportunity.

**John Podesta**

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I will submit.

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**Subject:** List

Based on our conversation on Friday, we put together notional teams of "report writers" and "vetters" attached.

Let us know if you have any concerns on this list.

Marc – can we have campaign start vetting these folks? If you want, I can send this list to Karuna (unless there is someone else you prefer do this) and copy you. I won't tell her what it's for. Some of these folks should have already vetted by her/her team for other campaign activities.

Jim -- we should hold on reaching out until we finish vetting and get sign off on this list from HRC. John will discuss with her.

Thx

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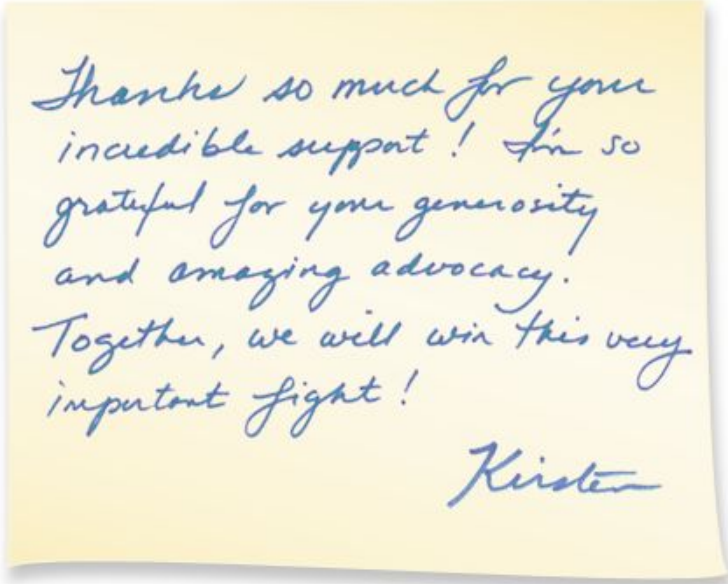
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Date: 7/8/2011 3:22:09 AM

Subject: Kirsten wanted me to pass this along



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Date: 2/11/2014 8:13:10 AM  
Subject: Re: JDP autograph :)

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She posted it.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 11, 2014, at 2:47 PM, Megan Rouse <[megan.rouse@yahoo.com](mailto:megan.rouse@yahoo.com)> wrote:

Wow. I love it. How do you run across something like that?

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To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 9/15/2014 9:26:09 AM

Subject: FW: Boehner just announced:

john, i need your help. see below:

----- Original Message -----

**From:** BREAKING-NEWS@schneiderforcongress.com

**Subject:** Boehner just announced

We're running out of time -- so we won't waste any:

Last night, we got word that Speaker Boehner's unleashing a **\$1.85 MILLION** ad campaign against Brad.

**Boehner knows if he can outspend us right now -- in the critical moments before the election -- the damage could be irreversible.**

We just ran the numbers: we need 200 more donations in the next 24 hours to take on Boehner's attacks.

So John, if you were planning to chip in for Brad's progressive campaign, do it now, while there's still time to fight back.

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Subject: Post-Debate Spin Room: MSNBC Ari Melber

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John- as of now we are just tracking one post-debate Spin Room request.

MSNBC // Last Word w/ Ari Melber (guest host) - immediately following the debate.

Alex will be on the ground to coordinate your movements and get you in front of the camera.

Let us know if that sounds OK.

Thanks!

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Mon Feb 1, 2016 5:30pm – 6pm Eastern Time

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[Yes](#) - [Maybe](#) - [No](#) [more options »](#)

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You are receiving this email at the account [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) because you are subscribed for invitations on calendar [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com).

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From: ["Marlon Marshall" <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/14/2015 12:23:42 PM

Subject: Re: Tennessee

Yep

On Sep 14, 2015, at 7:01 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Marlon,  
Can you reach out. Thx.  
John

On Monday, September 14, 2015, Bruce R. Lindsey <[brucerlindsey@aol.com](mailto:brucerlindsey@aol.com)> wrote:  
John,

Sorry to bother you with this. I was with Mike McWherter, Governor Ned McWherter's son and the 2010 Democratic nominee for Governor, last Thursday evening and he would like to talk to whomever in the campaign has responsibility for Tennessee. I told him I would try to find out who that was. Mike lives in Jackson, TN, and is the President of Central Distributors, Inc. His email address is [mrm@cdi-budweiser.com](mailto:mrm@cdi-budweiser.com). His telephone number is (731) 423-3676.

The appropriate person can either contact Mike or if you want to give me his or her name and contact information, I will pass it on to Mike so that he can contact that person.

Hope you are doing well. Give my best to Mary.

Bruce

From: "Bruce Mehlman" <[bruce@mcrbtdc.com](mailto:bruce@mcrbtdc.com)>

To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
"Eryn Sepp" <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)>

Date: 2/18/2015 5:19:24 AM

Subject: RE: Meet with the Tech CEO Council CEOs March 3rd at 10am... please??

Sepp, old buddy, great to be back on an email chain with you.

11:30am also works fine for us, arguably even better.

So window is 3/3, 10am-11:30am.

We have a 12:30pm lunch with a Senator.

Thanks!

**BRUCE MEHLMAN**

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[bruce@mcrbtdc.com](mailto:bruce@mcrbtdc.com)

**From:** John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 18, 2015 12:53 PM

**To:** Bruce Mehlman; Eryn Sepp

**Subject:** Re: Meet with the Tech CEO Council CEOs March 3rd at 10am... please??

Only Eryn knows for sure

On Feb 18, 2015 7:51 AM, "Bruce Mehlman" <[bruce@mcrbtdc.com](mailto:bruce@mcrbtdc.com)> wrote:

Hey John!

So by Tuesday March 3rd you're a free-ish man?!

Could you possibly meet with the Tech CEO Council CEOs 10am that day at the Hay Adams.

Pretty please?

(Valerie has suggested a POTUS meeting is likely the afternoon before, but they'd like to visit with you separately, to look at bigger pictures and trends)

Bruce

From: ["Heather Boushey" <HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org>](mailto:HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/3/2015 7:23:40 PM

Subject: Fwd: Tweet from Noah Smith (@Noahpinion)

Sharing!

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Heather Boushey

[hboushey@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:hboushey@equitablegrowth.org)

Twitter: @hboushey

Begin forwarded message:

From: Elisabeth Jacobs <[ejacobs@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:ejacobs@equitablegrowth.org)>

Date: March 3, 2015 at 8:27:32 PM EST

To: Casey Schoeneberger <[cschoeneberger@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:cschoeneberger@equitablegrowth.org)>

Cc: Nick Bunker <[NBunker@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:NBunker@equitablegrowth.org)>, Ed Paisley <[epaisley@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:epaisley@equitablegrowth.org)>, Heather Boushey <[HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org)>

Subject: Re: Tweet from Noah Smith (@Noahpinion)

This is awesome. And true.

On Mar 3, 2015, at 7:52 PM, Casey Schoeneberger <[cschoeneberger@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:cschoeneberger@equitablegrowth.org)> wrote:

Noah Smith (@Noahpinion) tweeted at 7:50 PM on Tue, Mar 03, 2015:

Nick Bunker (@nick\_bunker) is rapidly entering the top echelon of econ bloggers.

(<https://twitter.com/Noahpinion/status/572922100953923585?s=02>)

Get the official Twitter app at <https://twitter.com/download?s=13>

Sent from my T-Mobile 4G LTE Device

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|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| From:        | <a href="mailto:PPritzker@pritzkerrealty.com">"Pritzker, Penny" &lt;PPritzker@pritzkerrealty.com&gt;</a> |
| To:          | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">john.podesta@gmail.com</a>                                       |
| Date:        | 11/18/2008 3:08:37 PM                                                                                    |
| Subject:     | FW: follow up                                                                                            |
| Attachments: | DCECVNov2008.pdf<br>ObamaCoverLetter.doc                                                                 |

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**From:** Pritzker, Penny  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 18, 2008 09:58 PM  
**To:** John D. Podesta (jpodesta@americanprogress.org)  
**Subject:** FW: follow up

John

Dan called me today. I have known Dan since college. He is interested in running EPA or CEQ. I know you are familiar with Dan. I am passing this along for your consideration. Love to know your reactions. Penny

Penny Pritzker  
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**From:** Esty, Daniel [mailto:daniel.esty@yale.edu]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 18, 2008 06:07 PM  
**To:** pennyp59@gmail.com  
**Subject:** follow up

Penny,

Thanks so much for all your help. I've attached my resume and my cover letter to John Podesta.

Please let me know if you need anything else.

yours,

Dan



From: ["Margolis, Jim" <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 8/27/2015 7:26:50 PM  
Subject: Re: Update on core arguments memo  
Attachments: Core Arguments - group version B[1][2].docx

John:

Not really put together yet. Joel, et al are working on the research bullets —haven't gotten them yet.

Attached are the pre-HRC call arguments that we need to go over, add to, modify.

Below I've pasted the trump, bernie, joe arguments.

Below I've pasted the key message elements.

So this is not assembled or modified.... And needs to change. But take a look and give us feedback.

As you know, we're trying to keep this pretty simple, straightforward.

(mandy/joel, john wanted to see a draft)

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**Opponent arguments:**

**THE CASE:** Bernie Sanders should be president because he's the only candidate taking on the billionaire class that's rigging our economy and our democracy. He understands now is not the time for thinking small or tinkering with a broken system. The only way to reduce inequality, the great moral issue of our time, is a political revolution. No one else can or will lead that revolution other than Bernie.

**THE CASE:** Joe Biden should be president because no one else is as prepared to defend and build on the progress we've made in the past eight years. He has the INTEGRITY and experience to defeat the Republicans and keep growing our economy from the middle out, not the top down. We've come too far to stop now.

**THE CASE:** Donald Trump should be president because he's the only candidate who can make America great again. He's a terrific manager, can't be bought by the special interests, and isn't afraid to tell it like it is. Our country's a mess and we need a businessman, not a career politician, to turn it around.

**Key Message elements:**

1. **Families:** None of the other candidates focus on people and their lives. Bernie talks ideology. Biden and Trump talk about themselves. For HRC, this is all about making a real difference for people, for families. This is what has always been the work of her life and really resonant given her gender.
2. **Fairness:** The central frustration that people feel is that no matter how hard they work, they can't get ahead and stay ahead. The deck is stacked. We can't leave this populist critique to Bernie (and Biden). We're not going to rail against billionaires, but we still have to be clear that we understand people's frustrations with corporations and those at the top who write their own rules and block people's progress.
3. **Future:** Particularly if Biden gets into the race and we're running against two old guys, HRC should be the candidate that understands the new challenges facing families, offering solutions that work for them.
4. **Fight.** HRC's tenacity, her no-quit determination and her record of getting things done against tough odds are critical to people believing that she will actually deliver.

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**From:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Thursday, August 27, 2015 at 10:06 PM  
**To:** GMMB GMMB <[jim.margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:jim.margolis@gmmb.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Update on core arguments memo

Can you send me current draft

On Aug 27, 2015 7:59 PM, "Margolis, Jim" <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)> wrote:

I think the call today with HRC was helpful, both to get input from her and to do some expectation setting.

I talked with Mandy after the call. Given the new input, travel schedules for Mandy and me tomorrow, and Joel conflicts tonight, we are going to take the weekend to get the memo to her. If there are objections, let us know, but we are not going to be able to have a conversation with each other until tomorrow afternoon. She did not seem concerned about getting the

document tomorrow.

More broadly, it would be great to get from the group any modifications, additions, suggestions based on the feedback today. If you can shoot your ideas our way tomorrow, that would be excellent.

Thanks everyone.

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 4/22/2015 10:48:58 AM  
Subject: Column: Gay rights, black lives | TheHill

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<http://thehill.com/opinion/brent-budowsky/239768-brent-budowsky-gay-rights-black-lives>

Sent from my iPad

From: "Adrienne Elrod" <[aelrod@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "Robert Wolf" <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)>

Date: 11/15/2015 9:34:38 AM

Subject: Re: Clinton/Bloomberg (on deadline!)

Nice....

thanks again Robert!

On Sun, Nov 15, 2015 at 3:16 PM, Robert Wolf <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)> wrote:

From: "Max Abelson (BLOOMBERG/ NEWSROOM:)" <[mabelson@bloomberg.net](mailto:mabelson@bloomberg.net)> >

Date: November 15, 2015 at 3:13:32 PM EST

To: Robert Wolf <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)> >

Subject: RE: Clinton/Bloomberg (on deadline!)

Reply-To: Max Abelson <[mabelson@bloomberg.net](mailto:mabelson@bloomberg.net)> >

Amazing note on such short notice. About to take a short trip but would LOVE to catch up face to face afterwards

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Sent from my phone

Bloomberg News // [212 617 6027](tel:2126176027)

----- Original Message -----

From: Robert Wolf <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)> >

To: MAX ABELSON

At: 15-Nov-2015 14:57:40

Max-

*Thanks for reaching out on Secretary Clinton, her comments with respect to the debate and her relationship with the financial sector services industry. From my perspective, these relationships have been formed over 2 decades from the Secretary's past roles as First Lady, NY Senator and Secretary of State and the real reason she is garnering so much support is she is incredibly smart and experienced on the 2 main key issues which will form much of the debate on deciding our next President: the economy (jobs, wages, income inequality) and foreign policy. For example, whether you agree with her or not on Too Big Too Fail concerns, she certainly has been the only one in either party to understand that AIG/Lehman and the entire shadow banking system are not bank holding companies and thus would not be impacted by going back to Glass Steagall. She has also been the only one to understand Dodd Frank and the resolution authority rules that came out of it and has been clear that if she needed to use the "living will" provision, she would. Thus, I do not think Wall Street is taking her comments lightly.*

*With respect to the 9/11 comments, there is no question that Wall Street and our local and state politicians came together and formed a relationship that we will always remember out of all having the same goal of rebuilding lower Manhattan and Wall Street back to being strong and vibrant. Whether it was Mayor Giuliani, Senators Schumer and Clinton and others, everyone put partisan political on the shelf for the better of our country. Even today, I have a soft spot for Mayor Giuliani even though I could not disagree with him more on his politics, so no, I am not surprised that many support Secretary Clinton from those days of working closely with her. Lastly, I should remind you that in 2008, many of the top contributors to President Obama's campaign came from financial services (maybe half of his top 10) and I am pretty sure that no one was saying that he was going to be soft on Wall Street or that they were agreeing with his hardened tone on regulation. So, maybe just maybe, the financial services industry contributes to a candidate based on many other things than his or her profession and may look many other issues as well like immigration, education or social issues and who is truly best to run our country ....I know I do.*

*Hope this helps,*

*RW*

From: "Max Abelson (BLOOMBERG/ NEWSROOM:)" <[mabelson@bloomberg.net](mailto:mabelson@bloomberg.net)> >

Date: November 15, 2015 at 1:33:36 PM EST

To: Robert Wolf <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)> >

Subject: Clinton/Bloomberg (on deadline!)

10/18/2016

**Reply-To:** Max Abelson <[mabelson@bloomberg.net](mailto:mabelson@bloomberg.net)>

Mr. Wolf: Here's an important little note for you on this crisp Sunday. I'm sure you saw the intense moment last night when Sec. Clinton explained her relationship to financial donors by reminding the debate audience that she represented NY after 9/11.

It's a good moment to pause and explain why some financial industry folks appreciate her. Is it because of her New York ties? Is it her financial proposals? A longtime mutual respect? Or a combination? I'd love to get on the phone (my cell's [914 645 4094](tel:9146454094)) or have you send one or two sentences in the next few hours.

We're putting together a piece for Monday morning that will be really special. Thanks and best, sir,

Max

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Max Abelson // Bloomberg News // [212 617 6027](tel:2126176027)

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From: ["Team Katie" <info@katiemcginty.com>](mailto:info@katiemcginty.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 3/8/2016 9:06:48 AM  
Subject: New ad [WATCH]



Hi John --

Exciting news from campaign HQ: Today we went live with our very first TV ad of this campaign! A huge THANK YOU to the thousands of supporters like you who pitched in to make this possible.

As one of our incredible grassroots supporters, we wanted to make sure you are one of the first to see it.

[Click here to watch Katie's FIRST ad >>](#)



**Our first ad couldn't be going up on the air at a better time:** The latest poll shows that 60% of Pennsylvania voters are undecided, and with time ticking down to Primary Day next month, we can't waste even a day to share Katie's positive message with voters.

[Take just 30 seconds and watch Katie's ad today -- we're sure it will make you proud.](#)

Thanks for supporting this campaign,

Team Katie

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This email was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com.  
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Katie McGinty for Senate  
PO Box 22447  
Philadelphia PA 19110 United States

From: ["Laura Graham" <lgraham@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:lgraham@clintonfoundation.org)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/4/2011 7:19:06 AM

Subject: Re: Fw: Per your request

Sounds good. Ill see you Monday. Lg

----- Original Message -----

From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: Laura Graham

Sent: Fri Nov 04 12:02:06 2011

Subject: Re: Fw: Per your request

Laura, Why don't we meet when I get there. Then I'll have some time to get ready for the other meetings. Maybe we can have a quick real estate conversation between 11:45 and 12:30.

On Thu, Nov 3, 2011 at 1:53 PM, Laura Graham

<[lgraham@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:lgraham@clintonfoundation.org)> wrote:

> John,

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> After consulting with various senior staff, some flying in for this and considering our mandatory annual anti-harrassment training scheduled Monday, below is revised schedule. Let me know if you approve and we will send notifications. All meetings will be in Water Street Office including the CGI Review.

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> 1100-1200 Me (or I could do earlier. I have to attend anti-harrassment training for some time btw 945-1145 so let me know what you want to do)

> 1230-145 Exec Staff

> 200-300 Senior Staff

> 315-415 All Staff

> 430-600 CGI Review

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> Thanks lg

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> ----- Original Message -----

> From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

> To: Laura Graham

> Sent: Thu Nov 03 09:48:50 2011

> Subject: Re: Fw: Per your request

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> Laura,

> Please do whatever schedule works. Ed Hughes noted the 4:00 cgi

> meeting to me. I assume that is at Water Street as well.

> John

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> On Thu, Nov 3, 2011 at 9:36 AM, Laura Graham

> <[lgraham@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:lgraham@clintonfoundation.org)> wrote:

>> John-disregard email I just sent. This sounds good. May need adjust a little bc LR based staff flying up Monday morning, but ill revise and revert back to you. On flights, we have a master account and so Ana, my exec asst, can book your travel for you. I'm adding her to this traffic so she can follow-up with you directly on arrangements. Thx lg

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>> ----- Original Message -----

>> From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

>> To: Mills, Cheryl D <[MillsCD@state.gov](mailto:MillsCD@state.gov)>

>> Cc: Laura Graham



>> Sent: Thu Nov 03 09:31:45 2011  
>> Subject: Re: Fw: Per your request  
>>  
>> Laura, My plan would be to take a flight up first thing. Why don't we  
>> plan to do something like this:  
>>  
>> 9:30 just the two of us.  
>>  
>> 10:15 exec staff  
>>  
>> 11:30 senior staff  
>>  
>> 1:00 all staff  
>>  
>> 4:00 cgi review  
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>> Make any adjustments you need to based on individual schedules and  
>> circumstances.  
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>> One logistical item--should I book my travel and get reimbursed or do  
>> you have a master account with better rates?  
>>  
>> On Thu, Nov 3, 2011 at 5:47 AM, Mills, Cheryl D <MillsCD@state.gov> wrote:  
>>> Connecting you two  
>>>  
>>> ----- Original Message -----  
>>> From: Laura Graham [mailto:lgraham@clintonfoundation.org]  
>>> Sent: Wednesday, November 02, 2011 12:27 PM  
>>> To: Mills, Cheryl D  
>>> Subject: Per your request  
>>>  
>>> For John who I'm also happy to reach out to if makes easier for you, I think he should consider coming to NY  
early next week pending his schedule and reassure people and explain. Would be tremendously helpful. I would  
recommend following meetings.  
>>>  
>>> Meeting 1: Exec Level Staff  
>>> Myself  
>>> Andy Kessel  
>>> Doug  
>>> Stephanie  
>>> Bob Harrison  
>>> Ira Magaziner  
>>> Terry Sheridan (HR Director)  
>>>  
>>> Meeting 2: Directors + Senior Staff:  
>>> Valerie Alexander, Mktg, CF  
>>> Dennis Cheng, Dev, CF  
>>> Hannah Richert, BC Office  
>>> Ralph Iskaros, IT + Web, CF  
>>> Steven Reinhert, Corresp, CF  
>>> Meaghan Baron, Corresp, CF  
>>> Terry Krinvic, Scheduling, CF  
>>> Ami Desai, FP, CF  
>>> Linda Jean Louis, Finance, CF  
>>> Julie Wang, CEO Program, CF  
>>> Helen Robinson, Admin, CF  
>>> Scott Curran, Ass Counsel, CF

>>> Lisa Rickert, CGI

>>> Ed Hughes, CGI

>>> Ed Wood, CHAI

>>> Lena Moore, CPC

>>> Scott Taitel, CGSGI

>>> Jean Marc Villian, HDF

>>> Walker Morris, CDI

>>> Justin Cooper, CESC + CF

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>>> Meeting 3:

>>> All staff meeting

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>>> Those not able to be present can join by phone. We can hold the meetings at the Water St office which has the largest conferencing space of all 3 NY offices. Ana can assist John in scheduling these and in anything else he needs.

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>>> Let me know if you need me to do anything else and or call John. Thx lg

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>>> Next week meetings

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**From:** "Samuel Berger" <sberger@albrightstonebridge.com>  
**To:** "Robert Harrison" <bob.harrison@clintonglobalinitiative.org>  
"Clinton Chelsea" <dreynolds@clintonemail.com>  
"Doug Band Tholdings" <doug.band@teneoholdings.com>  
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"Cheryl Mills Contact" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>  
"Nonacs S Eric" <eric@skollglobalthreats.org>  
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
melanne.verveer@gmail.com  
"Maggie Williams Contact" <williamsbarrett@aol.com>  
"Tina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>  
"Huma Abedin Contact" <huma@clintonemail.com>

**Date:** 5/7/2013 6:27:43 AM

**Subject:** RE: CGI Monthly Tracking Report for April 2013

#### Great numbers

**From:** Robert Harrison [mailto:bob.harrison@clintonglobalinitiative.org]

**Sent:** Tuesday, May 07, 2013 9:23 AM

**To:** Clinton Chelsea; Doug Band Tholdings; Samuel Berger; Bruce Lindsey; Cheryl Mills Contact; Nonacs S Eric; John Podesta; melanne.verveer@gmail.com; Maggie Williams Contact; Tina Flournoy; Huma Abedin Contact

**Cc:** Ed Hughes; Fred Poust; Scarlet Cronin

**Subject:** CGI Monthly Tracking Report for April 2013

Members of the CGI Board of Advisors, Tina (for President Clinton) and Huma (for Secretary Clinton),

Attached is the monthly tracking report for April for membership and sponsorship for the Annual Meeting, CGI America and CGI U. We will begin reporting progress for CGI Latin America next month. Results reflect activity through April 30th.

#### Annual Meeting

- Sponsorship:
  - Rockefeller Foundation renewed and increased its sponsorship from \$350K to \$1 million.
  - NRG renewed its sponsorship at \$375K.
  - Ford Foundation renewed its sponsorship at \$400K.
  - HP has agreed to provide at least \$100K cash in sponsorship support (in addition to in-kind technology support). HP has been a sponsor for many years, but did not provide cash in 2012 due to financial challenges at the company.
- Membership: The overall positive trend continued during the month, with paid memberships at 294, an increase of 51 over last year at this time. New memberships are 22 ahead of 2012, while renewals are ahead by 29.

#### CGI America

- Sponsorship: Sponsorship stands at \$2.3mm versus a final sponsorship level of \$2.1mm for 2012. We have a few serious prospects still in the pipeline and hope to improve sponsorship further over the next month.
- Paid Attendance: Total paid attendees stands at 239, versus 140 at this time last year.

#### CGI U

- The final sponsorship amount is \$1.635 million versus \$945k for the event last year.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

Bob

From: ["Mary Kay Henry" <marykay.henry@seiu.org>](mailto:marykay.henry@seiu.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/3/2016 9:39:18 AM

Subject: This week get together?

John - your phone message suggested getting time together this week.  
I am in Chicago, Houston and maybe Iowa this weekend - I want to join  
our volunteers headed in there.  
I think you're in NYC, should we set up a call?

Sent from my iPad

From: ["Mark Nichols" <mnichols5@gmail.com>](mailto:mnichols5@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 8/12/2015 5:43:17 AM  
Subject: Re: Mark Nichols Following Up

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Hi John. I still want to get together with you before the end of the summer. How about sometime next week?  
Thanks, Mark

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 12, 2015, at 6:06 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I'm going to be in DC with Hillary who has meetings on the Hill. Next time?

On Sunday, July 12, 2015, Mark Nichols <[mnichols5@gmail.com](mailto:mnichols5@gmail.com)> wrote:

Hi John. It's Mark Nichols. We met recently at McGuire Woods. You invited me to contact you about getting together either in New York or in DC. I met with Huma in March and was hoping to meet with you then, but you weren't around. In any event, I will be in New York on Tuesday and would like to come by the campaign to see you. Please let me know if you have any time to meet. Thanks, Mark

From: "Brian Fallon" <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 2/9/2016 9:00:53 AM

Subject: Re: Have you heard?

Seide posted the wsj editorial accusing us of smearing him on his Facebook page. That could be what this is referring to

On Feb 9, 2016 3:55 PM, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

+ Brian actually

On Tuesday, February 9, 2016, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

+ Brian

On Tuesday, February 9, 2016, Phil Schiliro <[pschiliro@sb-atalaya.com](mailto:pschiliro@sb-atalaya.com)> wrote:

Have not heard that.

On Feb 9, 2016, at 11:55 AM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

Miguel/Phil

See below - any hill suggestion to this effect?

best.

cdm

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From: Kendall, David <[DKendall@wc.com](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)>

Date: Tue, Feb 9, 2016 at 1:51 PM

Subject: Have you heard?

To: Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

Just talked to Jennifer Duck—about our favorite son. He's meeting with OSC today, which is good and a step in the right direction, but nothing yet public. Jennifer said she'd heard—but second/third hand (and not from son) that IC IG was handing out anti-HRC clips to journalists. Have we gotten any inkling of that happening? I certainly haven't, and it seems weird.

David E. Kendall

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Nina Hachigian" <nhachigian@gmail.com>](mailto:nhachigian@gmail.com)

Date: 3/25/2015 3:16:55 AM

Subject: Re: Hi!

Great. Still having fun?

JPt.

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For scheduling: eryl.sepp@gmail.com

> On Mar 25, 2015, at 10:04 AM, Nina Hachigian <nhachigian@gmail.com> wrote:

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> I'm in DC for the COM conference and wanted to say hi. Hope you are well and your transition is going smoothly.

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> I'm pushing on fish! Making some small progress.

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> Warmest,

> Nina

>

> Sent from my iPhone



From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/17/2014 10:49:40 PM

Subject: Re: PT Test

Olof! On the weather. Congrats.

JP

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> On Nov 17, 2014, at 11:43 AM, Gabe Podesta <gpodesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Did great on push-ups and sit-ups and have a passing score until November of 2015. It was 26 degrees on the track and I had the worst time of my career (10:30ish) but am nonetheless very happy to be done with that for 12 months.

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> Sent from my iPhone

From: "Lawrence Gostin" <gostin@law.georgetown.edu>

To: "Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>  
 "Law?? Center Staff" <LawCenterStaff@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 9/9/2014 9:11:53 AM

Subject: Announcing the 2014 O'Neill Institute Colloquium - Wednesdays 1:20-3:20pm (Hotung 2001)

Dear Colleagues,

Last week's first O'Neill Institute Colloquium on Ebola was wonderful and moving, with thanks to Bill for kicking us off. It showed the best of our university— both in scholarship and service. Please see below a schedule of events this semester, all taking place on Wednesdays at 1:20-3:20pm in Hotung 2001 (Faculty Dining Room). You are all most welcome to attend any and all of the sessions. Tomorrow's session is on the national and global response to HIV/AIDS with Chris Beyrer (President of the International AIDS Society), Gregorio Millett (amfAR), and the O'Neill Institute's own Jeff Crowley (former White House chief on AIDS).

Looking forward to seeing you at the colloquium.

With warm wishes, Larry



### **Announcing the 2014 O'Neill Institute Colloquium**

The purpose of the Colloquium is to engage leading experts, Georgetown Law students and faculty, and interested members of the public in an enriching dialogue surrounding current and pressing issues in global health law, policy and governance.

This year, the Colloquium will have the following ongoing themes:

- What are the big ideas that will drive national and/or global health in the next decade and shape of the future?
- What will be the major challenges, what are likely to be the big new ideas guiding actions and pushing us towards new solutions?
- We are bringing into the conversation senior thought leaders from government, NGOs, private sector, international organizations.

The O'Neill Institute Colloquium is scheduled for Wednesdays at 1:20-3:20pm in Hotung 2001 (Faculty Dining Room).

### **Scheduled Speakers**

#### **September 10: Focusing on Men who Have Sex with Men (MSM) and Key Populations in the National and Global Response to HIV/AIDS**

- Chris Beyrer, *Johns Hopkins University*
- Gregorio Millett, *amfAR*
- Jeff Crowley, *O'Neill Institute*

#### **September 17: The Future of Philanthropy**

- Richard Wilder, *Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation*
- Ariel Pablos-Méndez, *U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID)*
- Kevin Klock, *Gavi Alliance*

#### **September 24: Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)**

- Laurent Huber, *Framework Alliance Convention*
- Gregg Haifley, *American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN)*

#### **October 1: International Trade & Health**

- Thomas J. Bollyky, *Council on Foreign Relations (CFR)*
- Benn McGrady, *O'Neill Institute for National and Global Health Law*

**October 8: Global Tobacco Control**

- Eric Lindblom, *U.S. Food and Drug Administration*
- Matthew L. Myers, *Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids*

**October 15: O'Neill Institute: Capacity Building within Academic Institutions**

- Oscar Cabrera, *O'Neill Institute*
- Susan C. Kim, *O'Neill Institute*
- *Additional O'Neill Institute staff to be confirmed.*

**October 29: Disease Prevention and Health Promotion**

- Scott Burris, *Temple University; Robert Wood Johnson Foundation*
- Rose Martinez, *Institute of Medicine (IOM)*
- Derek Yach, *Vitality Group*

**November 5: Reflections on U.S. Health Policy**

- *Speakers to be announced*

**November: 12: Future Directions for U.S. Health Reform**

- Joan Alker, *Center for Children and Families (CCF)*
- Henry Claypool, *American Association of People with Disabilities (AAPD)*
- Chris Jennings, *Jennings Policy Strategies, Inc.*
- Karen Pollitz, *Kaiser Family Foundation (KFF)*

**November 19: The Future of the World Health Organization (WHO)**

- Gian Luca Burci, *World Health Organization*
- John Monahan, *Georgetown University*
- Christine Sow, *Global Health Council*
- Edith Brown Weiss, *Georgetown Law*

**For more information about the 2014 O'Neill Institute Colloquium, please visit our website at: <http://www.law.georgetown.edu/oneillinstitute/resources/colloquium.cfm>**



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To: ["David Hayes" <dhayes@law.stanford.edu>](mailto:dhayes@law.stanford.edu)  
Date: 4/6/2015 7:09:46 PM  
Subject: Re: HRC

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Adding Ann O'Leary. We will!

On Apr 6, 2015, at 8:45 PM, David Hayes <[dhayes@law.stanford.edu](mailto:dhayes@law.stanford.edu)> wrote:

John and Jake:

Just to state what I hope is obvious, please count me in to help on energy/environment issues. I hope that you'll lean on me.

David

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Date: 9/2/2015 4:50:09 PM

Subject: Invitation: Hillblazer/Press Prep @ Thu Sep 3, 2015 7:30am - 8am (john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

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When

Thu Sep 3, 2015 7:30am – 8am Eastern Time

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To: ["John & Mary Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 3/14/2016 6:31:15 AM  
Subject: Washington Post Endorsement



Dear John & Mary,

Did you see Joseline's tremendous news! Yesterday, we received our biggest endorsement yet—The Washington Post.

We had an incredible Weekend of Action capped off with an incredible endorsement.

Our office is buzzing with excitement.

When I joined this campaign to elect Joseline to Congress, I knew we would have a fight on our hands, but your passion and energy is making the real difference in this race. But as Joseline said yesterday, we can't quit now. With six weeks left we have the momentum. Can we count on you to power this campaign forward?

With only a few weeks away from Election Day, we are mounting a powerful grassroots effort to reach the voters of Maryland's 4<sup>th</sup> District. Please help again by [making a contribution today](#).

Sincerely,

Mollie Binotto  
Campaign Manager

# JOSELINE PEÑA-MELNYK

FOR U.S. CONGRESS



Dear John & Mary,

I have amazing news and it's all because of you!

Thank you for standing with me since the beginning. **All along we have been making things happen.** We have turned this scrappy effort into a highly-competitive, grassroots-powered campaign. **Today we were rewarded with our biggest endorsement yet—The Washington Post.**

In their endorsement, the Washington Post calls me "...a doer with a knack for making things happen." But without your support and tireless effort, I could not have made this campaign happen.

The Post's endorsement solidifies what we have known from the beginning; that the people of Maryland's 4<sup>th</sup> Congressional District need a worker, a champion and the toughest fighter. **I will never quit on the people of Prince George's and Anne Arundel Counties and I will never quit on you.**

Today's endorsement is the beginning of the last leg of this race. With six weeks to go, we cannot rest now. We are still up against some of the toughest competition in the State of Maryland, only together will we be able to compete to the end.

Will you make a donation of **\$10, \$25, \$50** today to keep the momentum going? If you've saved your payment information with ActBlue Express, your donation will go through immediately:

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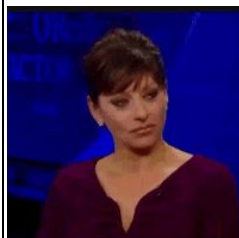
Date: 8/14/2014 12:50:26 PM

Subject: John, PAL lunch, Maria Bartiromo, Fox Business News, September 9, 2014, Mutual



Tuesday September 9, 2014

John,



I hope you will join us for our next PAL Luncheon with Fox News' Maria Bartiromo.

Maria Bartiromo joined FOX

Business Network as Global Markets Editor in January 2014. She is the anchor of Opening Bell with Maria Bartiromo <http://www.foxbusiness.com/on-air/opening-bell/index.html> and hosts Sunday Morning Futures with Maria Bartiromo (10-11 AM/ET) on FOX News Channel.

Ms. Bartiromo has covered business and the economy for more than 25 years and was one of the building blocks of business cable network CNBC. She launched the network's morning program, Squawk Box; anchored The Closing Bell with Maria Bartiromo; and was the anchor and managing editor of the nationally syndicated On the Money with Maria Bartiromo, formerly The Wall Street Journal Report with Maria Bartiromo.

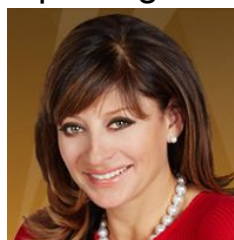
Maria Bartiromo has been a pioneer in her industry. In 1995, she became the first journalist to report live from the floor of the New York Stock Exchange on a daily basis. She joined CNBC in 1993 after five years as a producer, writer and assignment editor with CNN Business News, where she wrote and produced some of CNN's top business programs.

Ms. Bartiromo is a member of the Board of Trustees of New York University; Board of Directors of the New York City Ballet; the Girl Scout Council of Greater New York; as well as PENCIL, Public Education Needs Civic Involvement and Leadership. She is a member of The Council on Foreign Relations, The Economic Club of New York, and the Board of Governors of the Columbus Citizens Foundation.



Fox News Business Network host of

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July 2014 Luncheon with Geraldo Rivera



Ms. Bartiromo graduated from New York University, where she majored in journalism and minored in economics.

R SVP September 9, 2014

Sincerely,



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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/14/2010 5:39:49 AM

Subject: HELP ... Neck-and-Neck!



Dear John,

A just-released *DailyKos/Research 2000* poll has the race:

**Sestak 45% - Specter 43%**, with 12% undecided.

We are in a "neck-and-neck" race, and are in a tough, closing fight to win this -- but [we need your help NOW more than ever.](#)

We just began broadcasting our new ad called "The Scorecard":



This ad will show the remaining 12% of undecided voters who **the true Democrat** is.

To win, we need to broadcast this new ad -- these last 4 days -- across Pennsylvania in critical mass rotation. [Please make a contribution ... to get our ad in critical mass rotation!](#)

It's time to elect the best Democratic candidate; it's time for a new generation of leadership ... it's time for Pennsylvania's future.

Together ... [let's make this happen ... we need your help NOW more than ever to win this race!](#)

Warmly,

10/18/2016

Joe

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Date: 2/16/2015 5:11:19 AM

Subject: Questions from Bulgaria

Greetings from Bulgaria, Mr. Podesta!

My name is Lilia Angelova and I am reporter from Bulgaria.

I would like to ask you if you are willing to answer few of my questions with a huge hope of not rejecting me. As of the moment I work for one of the biggest press groups in my country. We own and represent the oldest and most authorized newspaper called "Trud" ("Labor"). As well as websites which have more than 50,000 readers per day.

Best Regards,

Lilia Angelova

From: ["Page Gardner" <pagegardner@gmail.com>](mailto:pagegardner@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/25/2015 1:47:20 PM

Subject: Re: Nice Post piece

The articles also focus on agenda and substance that drives your work. So an exposure for important policy goals. Great.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 25, 2015, at 8:16 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Thanks. Feel a little over exposed

On Feb 25, 2015 7:41 PM, "Page Gardner" <[pagegardner@gmail.com](mailto:pagegardner@gmail.com)> wrote:

How important your work is and has been for this country....and in so many ways.

Page

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Page Gardner

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From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:Tony.Podesta@podesta.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/12/2014 7:47:43 AM

Subject: Re: Just landed

I will come over in a few

Tony Podesta

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----- Original Message -----

From: John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]

Sent: Sunday, January 12, 2014 12:16 PM

To: Tony Podesta

Subject: Re: Just landed

Come here at 3:00? I could come to your place as well.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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> On Jan 12, 2014, at 9:50 AM, Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)> wrote:

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> What's our plan?

> Tony

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| From:        | "April Delaney" <a.delaney@verizon.net>                                                      |
| To:          | "April Delaney" <a.delaney@verizon.net>                                                      |
| Date:        | 10/22/2015 10:05:00 AM                                                                       |
| Subject:     | Invite of Common Sense Media -- Research Launch Event and Cocktail Reception at Delaney Home |
| Attachments: | Common Sense Census _Delaney Reception_Invite3.pdf<br>DC Nov. 4 invite.pdf                   |

Dear Friends,

As the Washington Director for Common Sense Media, I have had the privilege to be part of their advocacy and research efforts for almost nine (9) years. Now that Common Sense has evolved into one of the largest non-profits in the country focused on the well-being of children, our next big step is into the funding of research and understanding of media and its impact on the health of our nation's kids. As such, I am thrilled to announce some research which John and I have helped support and which was recently completed by Vicky Rideout. The study focuses on the use of media by Tweens and Teens (e.g. differences in technology use between girls and boys, the means by which technology is differently utilized according to social and economic factors.) The findings of this seminal research is being launched at an event on the morning of November 4<sup>th</sup> at the Kaiser Conference Center 1330 G Street , NW Washington DC. There will also be an accompanying panel discussion with CSM Founder Jim Steyer, Northwestern Professor Ellen Wartella, an FCC Commissioner, Mike McCurry, and Gary Knell, CEO of national Geographic. A copy of the invitation to this event is attached, and I would love it if you are able to attend this launch if it fits into your morning schedule.

In addition, if you are unable to attend the launch, **John and I are hosting at our Capitol Hill home a cocktail reception the night prior to the launch. The reception will be on November 3<sup>rd</sup> at our home at 628 East Capitol Street, NE from 6 30 to 8 00 pm.** In attendance will be the panelists, staff of Common Sense Media from San Francisco, our Washington Advisory Council and various thought leaders in the area of kids, education and media. For those on the Washington Advisory Council, this reception will be in lieu of our fall meeting. I would really love it if you could especially stop by this event at the house and pick up some materials related to this study and also to meet again our CSM team. I have attached both invitations with all the key details, and I thank you again for your continued friendship and support.

If you should desire further information, please do not hesitate to contact my assistant, Carey Snyder. She can be reached at [carey@delaneyoffice.com](mailto:carey@delaneyoffice.com) or by telephone at 203-561-6731.

Warmly,

April

**Link for registration**

**Nov. 4 Panel Discussion:** <http://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-common-sense-census-media-use-by-tweens-and-teens-registration-18771570272>



From: ["Macgillivray, Alexander" <amac@ostp.eop.gov>](mailto:amac@ostp.eop.gov)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/23/2015 7:34:31 AM

Subject: Thank you

John,

Sorry I forgot to say this on the call, but I also meant to say that I got a real kick out of getting to work with you even though it was shorter than I would have hoped. Nicole speaks very highly of you and it is all deserved. Particularly, I appreciate how much you listen before speaking, simplify decisions to their essence, and are guided by your morals. Thank you for taking the time to speak today and good luck on your next adventure.

-Alex

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Tony Podesta" <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)>

Date: 7/20/2014 12:47:31 PM

Subject: Re: O'Dwyers

Not sure what the question is.

JP

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Can we help

Vin now on ghani

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: Kimberley Fritts <[fritts@podestagroup.com](mailto:fritts@podestagroup.com)>

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 9, 2014 6:13 PM

**To:** Tony Podesta

**Subject:** O'Dwyers

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Wed., Jul. 9, 2014

## R+W Works PR in Afghanistan Election Mess

By [Kevin McCauley](#)

<image001.jpg>Roberti+White inked a \$100K-per-month, one-year agreement effective June 25 to provide PR support here for the Transformation and Continuity political group that supports Afghanistan presidential candidate Ashraf Ghani Ahmadzai.

Preliminary results show Ghani leading rival Abdullah Abdullah by a million votes, but the tally is clouded by reports of massive voter fraud.

President Obama called both men this week, urging them not to declare victory until fraud allegations are fully investigated. He threatened to cut off US aid if supporters of either man to seize power use "violent or extra-constitutional" methods.

The *Wall Street Journal* today ran "Afghan Crisis Risks Splitting Country" as its lede, reporting that Abdullah will soon decide whether to form his own government despite US threats. "We will not allow a fraudulent government for a day," he told a large rally in Kabul.

R+W's contract covers PR, political consulting, issue formulation and media counsel.

Its contract may continue beyond June 2015 expiration date on a month-to-month basis. The pact may also be terminated any time after 30 days notice.

A top Democratic strategist Vin Roberti, who has counseled powerful politicians such as New York Senator Chuck Schumer and Congressman Steve Israel, who heads the party's Congressional campaign efforts, chairs R+W.

Sanitas International [reps Abdullah's team](#) .

From: ["Ashok Mahbubani" <ashok@mtronics.com>](mailto:ashok@mtronics.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 4/21/2015 3:02:45 PM

Subject: Sunday Evening in DC

John: As always, great food and a wonderful evening.

To reiterate, we're IN.

If you really think a fundraiser here is worthwhile, we can give it some thought.

Our sense is that the effort and time might better be invested elsewhere.

Do let us know what we can do to help - and when you think the time is right.

A special treat to meet Tony & Kate - and Ben, for the first time.

If any of you are ever anywhere near Huntsville, do give us the pleasure.

Warm Regards and Best Wishes, Ashok

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 19, 2015 2:09 AM

To: Ashok Mahbubani

Subject: Tonight

Hope you two are enjoying DC.

We would like to do dinner tonight on the early side. Would 6:30 work for you?

Our address is 3743 Brandywine St. NW. Very casual.

We will be joined by Neera and her husband Ben and my brother Tony and his friend Kate.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryl.sepp@gmail.com

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From: ["Jessica Painter" <jpainter@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jpainter@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: [Communications <Communications@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:Communications@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 12/21/2007 2:18:43 AM  
Subject: SC News Clips 12-21

SC News Clips  
Friday, December 21, 2007

HRC

**Soap Star Stumps for Clinton** *Summerville Journal-Scene*

[http://www.journalscene.com/articles/2007/12/20/community\\_news/051219aarowelldb.txt](http://www.journalscene.com/articles/2007/12/20/community_news/051219aarowelldb.txt)

**LTE: Hillary has proven she can be president** *The Greenville News*

<http://www.greenvilleonline.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=2007712210318>

**News flash to Rush Limbaugh: We're all getting older** *The Hilton Head Island Packet*

<http://www.islandpacket.com/opinion/columns/goodman/story/111336.html>

**Clinton touts international experience** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263281.html>

*The Greenville News (AP)*

[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/C/CLINTON\\_EXPERIENCE?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/C/CLINTON_EXPERIENCE?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)

*The Rock Hill Herald (AP)*

<http://www.heraldonline.com/news/politics/story/252688.html>

*The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)*

<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/612/story/289202.html>

**Clinton says wife a 'world-class genius'** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/365/story/263722.html>

*The Greenville News (AP)*

[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/B/BILL\\_CLINTON?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/B/BILL_CLINTON?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)

*The Rock Hill Herald (AP)*

<http://www.heraldonline.com/news/politics/story/253733.html>

*The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)*

<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/611/story/289621.html>

OBAMA

**Poll disputes Oprah effect** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/presidential-politics/story/263766.html>

**Obama laments negative tone of campaign** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/nationwire/story/263782.html>

*The Greenville News (AP)*

[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/O/OBAMA\\_AP\\_INTERVIEW?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/O/OBAMA_AP_INTERVIEW?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)

*The Rock Hill Herald (AP)*

<http://www.heraldonline.com/news/politics/story/253772.html>

*The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)*

<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/611/story/289659.html>

EDWARDS

**Edwards touts rural ties** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263505.html>

*The Greenville News (AP)*

[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/E/EDWARDS\\_RURAL?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/E/EDWARDS_RURAL?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)

*The Rock Hill Herald (AP)*

<http://www.heraldonline.com/news/politics/story/253225.html>

*The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)*

<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/612/story/289436.html>

GOP

**McCain's Christmas ad puts cross front and center** *CNNs SC Political Ticker*

<http://politicalticker.blogs.cnn.com/category/states/south-carolina/>

**Paul shaping up as spoiler in GOP race** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263378.html>

**Huckabee surges, Giuliani plummets** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263640.html>

**Boston Herald endorses McCain** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263627.html>

*The Greenville News (AP)*

[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/M/MCCAIN\\_ENDORSEMENT?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/M/MCCAIN_ENDORSEMENT?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)

*The Rock Hill Herald (AP)*

<http://www.heraldonline.com/news/politics/story/253609.html>

*The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)*

<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/612/story/289541.html>

**Huckabee plays the woe-is-me card** *The State (AP)*

<http://www.thestate.com/nationwire/story/263495.html>  
The Greenville News (AP)  
[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/H/HUCKABEE\\_WOF\\_IS\\_ME?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/H/HUCKABEE_WOF_IS_ME?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)  
The Rock Hill Herald (AP)  
<http://www.heraldonline.com/433/story/253208.html>  
The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)  
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/616/story/289422.html>

**Tancredo pulls out of GOP presidential race, throws support to Romney**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/presidential-politics/story/263762.html>

**Romney's statements and restatements**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/365/story/263997.html>  
The Greenville News (AP)  
[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/R/ROMNEY\\_EMBELLISHMENT\\_QUOTES?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/R/ROMNEY_EMBELLISHMENT_QUOTES?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)  
The Rock Hill Herald (AP)  
<http://www.heraldonline.com/115/story/254001.html>  
The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)  
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/611/story/290062.html>

**Romney backpedals on statements \_again**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/365/story/263994.html>  
The Greenville News (AP)  
[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/R/ROMNEY\\_EMBELLISHMENT?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/R/ROMNEY_EMBELLISHMENT?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)  
The Rock Hill Herald (AP)  
<http://www.heraldonline.com/115/story/253998.html>  
The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)  
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/611/story/290059.html>

**Adwatch: McCain uses cross, captor's kindness in Christmas ad**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/309/story/263297.html>

**ETV to host GOP Presidential radio debate**    *The State*  
<http://thestatecom.typepad.com/ygatatoday/2007/12/etv-to-host-gop.html>

THE FIELD

**Not sure who to vote for? Ask a celebrity**    *The Myrtle Beach Sun News*  
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/opinion/story/289794.html>

**Candidates get personal**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263276.html>

**Dems eye '2nd choice' supporters in Iowa**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/366/story/263322.html>

**Candidates get outside help or grief**    *The State (AP)*  
<http://www.thestate.com/365/story/263999.html>  
The Greenville News (AP)  
[http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/C/CAMPAIGN\\_OUTSIDE\\_HELP?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT](http://hosted.ap.org/dynamic/stories/C/CAMPAIGN_OUTSIDE_HELP?SITE=SCGRE&SECTION=HOME&TEMPLATE=DEFAULT)  
The Rock Hill Herald (AP)  
<http://www.heraldonline.com/115/story/254003.html>  
The Myrtle Beach Sun News (AP)  
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/611/story/290064.html>

**S.C. Politics Today**    *The State*  
<http://www.thestate.com/politics/story/263749.html>

**Candidates take to the airwaves in S.C.**    *The State*  
<http://www.thestate.com/politics/story/263750.html>

SC ISSUES

**DUI law needs fixing, victim's advocate says**    *The Greenville News*  
<http://greenvilleonline.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20071221/NEWS01/712210327/1011/NEWS03>

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|                                                                                    |                           | [**08:26:43 AM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                          |                                     |
|    | 2. DEC 20 2007 8:00AM CT  | MORNING NEWS AT 8 AM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Nielsen Audience: 23,546 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$314    |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**08:36:25 AM**] AIRING TELEVISION ADS THAT LINK LAZY BORDER SECURITY TO TERRORIST ATTACKS. THERE'S SPECUATION THIS MORNING THAT TANCREDO WILL RUN FOR THE SENATE NEXT YEAR. FORMER SENATOR <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> SAYS THINGS ARE LOOKING UP FOR HIS PRESIDENTIAL BID. THE WHITE HOUSE HOPEFUL WAS CAMPAIGNING IN NEW HAMPSHIRE YESTERDAY. HE'S BEEN AMONG THE DEMOCRATIC FRONTRUNNERS IN THE PRESIDENTIAL RACE BUT HAS CONSISTENTLY TRAILED <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> AND <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> IN POLLS. BUT A POLL RELEASED YESTERDAY SHOWS EDWARDS IS NOW IN THE LEAD IN IOWA. REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFUL RUDY GIULIANI* IS IN A ST. LOUIS AREA HOSPITAL THIS                                                        |                          |                                     |
|    | 1. DEC 20 2007 4:30PM CT  | 6 News at 4:30 PM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Nielsen Audience: 24,466 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$320    |
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|    | 1. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT | NEWS 4 AT NOON                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Nielsen Audience: 29,720 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$175    |
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|  | 2. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT | WIS NEWS MIDDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Nielsen Audience: 34,426 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$400    |
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|  | 3. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT | WIS NEWS MIDDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Nielsen Audience: 34,426 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$1,000  |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**12:07:46 PM**] DEMOCRATS ARE DELIVERING ADS TOO. WHERE DID I PUT UNIVERSAL PRE-K. REPORTER: THE POLL SHOWS HER LEAD NATIONALLY UNCHANGED FROM NOVEMBER. 22 POINTS OVER <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> . FROM OUR FAMILY TO YOURS, I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE. REPORTER: <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> IN THIRD SENDS HIS MESSAGE TO THE NATION'S POOR. LET US PROMISE TOGETHER YOU WILL NEVER BE FORGOTTEN AGAIN. REPORTER: BUT WHILE DEMOCRATS NATIONWIDE FAVOR CLINTON, THE POLL ALSO SHOWS HEAD TO HEAD <b>OBAMA</b> BEATS LEADING REPUBLICANS BY WIDER MARGINS. AND THIS UPDATE, RUDY GIULIANI WAS CHECKED OUT OVERNIGHT. HE IS EXPECTED TO BE RELEASED FROM THE HOSPITAL AND RETURN TO NEW YORK LATER TODAY. |                          |                                     |
|  | 4. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT | WIS NEWS MIDDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Nielsen Audience: 34,426 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$1,147  |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**12:29:08 PM**] HUCKABEE SPEAKS OUT. PEOPLE TRY TO DISSECT THE SIMPLEST MESSAGES. AND YOUR FIRST LOOM AT <b>BARACK OBAMA'S</b> MISMASS AD. AND MEDICAL EMERGENCY ONBOARD A CRUISE SHIP. THE DESPERATE RACE AGAINST TIME TO SAVE THIS 15-YEAR-OLD PASSENGER.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                          |                                     |
|  | 5. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT | NEWS 19                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Nielsen Audience: 27,740 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$238    |
|                                                                                    |                           | WLTX-CBS, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Run Time: 0:53           | Calculated Publicity Value: \$714   |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**12:02:13 PM**] A CAMPAIGN SPOKESMAN SAYS THAT ALTHOUGH GIULIANI HAD TO CLEAR TODAYS SCHEDULE FOR HIS HOSPITAL VISIT. HE IS MERELY UNDERGOING ROUTINE TESTS AND WILL HOPEFULLY BE FEELING BETTER TOMORROW. A MAN WHO WAS THE NATIONAL CHAIRMAN FOR FORMER PRESIDENT <b>BILL CLINTON</b> , IS KEEPING HIS VOTE IN THE FAMILY. DON FOWLER IS ENDORSING <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> FOR PRESIDENT. FOWLER SAYS THAT THE NEW YORK SENATOR IS THE BEST CANDIDATE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PARY. AND FOR PRESIDENT. WELL HERE'S AN INTERESTING QUESTION ABOUT <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> . DOES SHE CRY? JEANNE MOOS MO-S) HAS MORE.                                                                                                       |                          |                                     |
|  | 6. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT | NEWS 19                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Nielsen Audience: 27,740 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$319    |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**12:05:43 PM**] HERE'S A LOOK AT RECENT POLLS FOR SOUTH CAROLINA. FOR THE DEMOCRATS LOOKS LIKE <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> IS IN THE LEAD WITH 35 PERCENT. <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> JUST BEHIND WITH 34 PERCENT. AND EDWARDS WITH 13 PERCENT. NOW LET'S LOOK AT THE REPUBLICANS.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                          |                                     |

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|     | 7. DEC 20 2007 12:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | NEWS 13 AT NOON      | Nielsen Audience: 47,971  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$616                                         |
|                                                                                    | WBTW-CBS, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                      | Run Time: 2:17            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,848<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$135   |
|                                                                                    | [**12:28:43 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE. NIKKI: OH, KATHERINE. I ORDERED YOUR TEA, BUT THEY DIDN'T HAVE CHAMOMILE, SO THEY HAD-                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|    | 1. DEC 20 2007 11:00AM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 6 NEWS MIDDAY        | Nielsen Audience: 45,165  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$552                                         |
|                                                                                    | WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                      | Run Time: 2:18            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,656<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$120   |
|                                                                                    | [**11:24:37 AM**] THE CONCLUSION OF THE POLL THERE'S NO REPUBLICAN FRONT-RUNNER AHEAD OF THE IOWA CAUCUSES NEXT MONTH. THAT SAME POLL ALSO HAS SOME THINGS TO SAY ABOUT DEMOCRATIC HOPEFULS. IT SHOWS <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> LEADS THE FIELD. SHE HOLDS A 22-POINT LEAD OVER <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> . <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> FOLLOWS CLOSELY BEHIND IN THIRD. ALL OF THE CANDIDATES ARE IN THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT. MOST HAVE UNVEILED NEW ADS JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAY. <b>HILLARY CLINTON'S</b> AD FEATURES GIFTS THAT REPRESENT KEY ISSUES LIKE UNIVERSAL HEALTH CARE. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> INTRODUCED ONE WITH HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTERS. MIKE HUCKABEE'S HOLIDAY AD WAS THE FIRST TO HIT THE AIRWAVES. NOW IT'S GAINING SOME CRITICISM FOR A SO-CALLED "FLOATING CROSS" IN THE BACKGROUND. |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|    | 1. DEC 20 2007 7:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT | Nielsen Audience: 70,425  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$315                                         |
|                                                                                    | WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                      | Run Time: 0:21            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$945<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$450     |
|                                                                                    | [**07:07:42 PM**] TWO NEW POLLS SHOW A TIGHT PRESIDENTIAL RACE IN SOUTH CAROLINA. A SURVEY POLL SHOWS <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> AT 41% AND <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AT 39% THAT IS WITHIN THE SURVEY'S 4.5 MARGIN OF ERROR. <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> COMES IN WITH 17%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|    | 2. DEC 20 2007 7:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT | Nielsen Audience: 70,425  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$390                                         |
|                                                                                    | WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                      | Run Time: 0:26            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,170<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$450   |
|                                                                                    | [**07:08:07 PM**] AND CBS HAS A TELEPHONE SURVEY THAT HAS <b>SENATOR OBAMA</b> SLIGHTLY AHEAD. THAT'S WITHIN THE POLL'S 4% MARGIN OF ERROR. THE FORMER NORTH CAROLINA SENATOR EDWARDS IS AT 13%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|    | 3. DEC 20 2007 7:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT | Nielsen Audience: 70,425  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$330                                         |
|                                                                                    | WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                      | Run Time: 0:22            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$990<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$450     |
|                                                                                    | [**07:30:18 PM**] <b>HILLARY CLINTON'S</b> WORLD WIND TOUR WITH OUR KEVIN FRAZIER BY HER SIDE. HOW DO YOU COVER 99 COUNTIES IN JUST FIVE DAYS? YOU HOP IN THE HELICOPTER.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|   | 1. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 6 NEWS AT 6          | Nielsen Audience: 57,789  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$390                                         |
|                                                                                    | WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                      | Run Time: 0:26            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,170<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$450   |
|                                                                                    | [**06:03:48 PM**] THE LATEST PRESIDENTIAL POLL SHOWS THE CANDIDATES REMAIN NECK AND NECK IN SOUTH CAROLINA. CBS NEWS JUST CONDUCTED A PHONE POLL. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> HAS A VERY SLIGHT LEAD OVER <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> . MIKE HUCKABEE HAS 28% OF THE REPUBLICAN SUPPORT. RUDY GIULIANI HAS 12%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|  | 2. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | EYEWITNESS NEWS      | Nielsen Audience: 161,341 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$867                                         |
|                                                                                    | WSOC-ABC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                      | Run Time: 0:20            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$2,601<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$1,300 |
|                                                                                    | [**06:16:45 PM**] A NEW POLL OF SOUTH CAROLINA VOTER SHOWS ARKANSAS GOVERNOR MIKE HUCKABEE IS THE FRONT RUNNER AMONG REPUBLICANS THERE AND OTHER POLLS SHOW HIM PULLING AHEAD OF THE REST IN THE NATION AS WELL. NOW <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> AND <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> ARE BATTLING FOR THE TWO SPOT AND <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> IS TRAILING THOSE TWO IN THE THIRD PLACE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|  | 3. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | NEWS 4 AT 6 PM       | Nielsen Audience: 77,268  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$312                                         |
|                                                                                    | WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG, SC-ASHEVILLE, NC-ANDERSON, SC, MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                      | Run Time: 0:11            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$936<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$850     |
|                                                                                    | [**06:06:16 PM**] <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> PICKED UP A SIGNIFICANT ENDORSEMENT. THE FORMER DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN IS GIVING <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> HIS SUPPORT. HE IS A SOUTH CAROLINA NATIVE WHO CURRENTLY LIVES IN COLUMBIA.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|  | 4. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | NEWS 4 AT 6 PM       | Nielsen Audience: 77,268  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$737                                         |
|                                                                                    | WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG, SC-ASHEVILLE, NC-ANDERSON, SC, MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                      | Run Time: 0:26            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$2,211<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$850   |
|                                                                                    | [**06:21:51 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|  | 5. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 25 NEWS AT SIX       | Nielsen Audience: 10,177  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$152                                         |
|                                                                                    | WOLO-ABC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                      | Run Time: 1:10            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$456<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$65      |
|                                                                                    | [**06:04:34 PM**] 33 IN TONIGHTS VOTE 2008 COVERAGE. A NEW POLL OUT TODAY SHOWS A CLOSE RACE IN OUR STATE FOR DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES. SENATOR <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> AND <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> ARE TIED FOR THE DEMOCRATIC LEAD. <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> TRAILS WITH 13 PERCENT. ON THE REPUBLICAN SIDE, MIKE HUCKABEE LEADS FORMER MASSACHUSETTS GOVERNOR MITT ROMNEY 28 PERCENT TO 20 PERCENT. TONIGHT, RUDY GIULIANI'S CAMPAIGN SAYS THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE IS OK AFTER SPENDING THE NIGHT IN A ST. LOUIS HOSPITAL WITH FLU-LIKE SYMPTOMS.                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|  | 6. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 25 NEWS AT SIX       | Nielsen Audience: 10,177  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$58                                          |
|                                                                                    | WOLO-ABC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                      | Run Time: 0:27            | Calculated Publicity Value: \$174<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$65      |
|                                                                                    | [**06:28:30 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                      |                           |                                                                          |
|  | 7. DEC 20 2007 6:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 6 PM NEWS            | Nielsen Audience: 14,850  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$300                                         |
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| WCIV-ABC, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                               | Calculated Publicity Value: \$900                           |
| [**05:59:04 PM**] A NEW POLL SHOWS THINGS TIGHTENING UP IN SOUTH CAROLINA. FOR BOTH DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> ARE VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE DEMOCRATIC LEAD. WITH 35 AND 34 PERCENT. <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> TRAILS WITH 13 PERCENT. ON THE REPUBLICAN SIDE MIKE HUCKABEE HAS 28 PERCENT. MITT ROMNEY 20. ... THREE DAYS BEFORE THE <b>SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY</b> . STILL TO COME ON THE 6 O'CLOCK NEWS. A CHRISTMAS MIRACLE FOR A LITTLE GIRL AND HER FAMILY A GLOBAL SEARCH FOR A BONE MARROW DONOR TURNS UP SUCCESS IN CHINA.                                       |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150                             |
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| [**06:28:41 PM**] RUSHED TO THE BORNES JEWISH HOSPITAL, HE CHECKED IN TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM, AT 10:30 P.M. A SEVERE HEADACHE, COULD BE ANYTHING OR NOTHING. REPORTER: IF THE IRREGULAR HEART RHYTHM, OF FORMER NEW JERSEY SENATOR, BILL BRADLEY, IN THE HARSH GLARE OF THE PRESIDENTIAL STAGE, EVERY MEDICAL ISSUE TAKES GREATER CONSEQUENCE. ALMOST EIGHT YEARS AGO, GIULIANI WAS FORCED TO ABANDON HIS SENATE RACE AGAINST SENATOR <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> , BECAUSE OF PROSTATE CANCER.                                                                                                                                  |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150                             |
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| [**06:11:31 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$500                             |
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| [**06:14:27 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$560                             |
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| [**05:28:55 PM**] "IN THE LATEST WASHINGTON POST POLL ROMNEY FALLS JUST BEHIND FORMER ARKANSAS GOVERNOR MIKE HUCKABEE. 33 AND. <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> HIT A BIT OF A SPEED BUMP WHILE SETTING OUT ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL. HER HELICOPTER WAS GROUNDED DUE TO FOG. SO SHE HAD TO GO BY CAR TO HER MORNING EVENT. ... <b>SENATOR CLINTON</b> IS REACHING OUT TO THE CROWDS TRYING TO EDGE OUT BARRACK <b>OBAMA</b> IN THE POLLS. 33 RUDY GIULIANI WRAPPED UP HIS FINAL STOP IN A CAMPAIGN TOUR ACROSS MISSOURI JUST IN TIME TO STOP BY THE HOSPITAL. THE PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFUL WAS FEELING ILL DURING YESTERDAY'S CAMPAIGNING. |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$350                             |
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| [**05:04:44 PM**] I'VE JUST BEEN ASKED THIS LONG ENOUGH TO HAVE A BETTER IDEA. REPORTER: ON THE DEMOCRATIC SIDE, THE NEW POLL SHOWS THE RACE IS A THREE-WAY TIE. <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> AND <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> SPENT THE DAY IN IOWA WHILE <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> TRYING TO SHORE UP SUPPORT IN NEW HAMPSHIRE. THE NEW POLL SHOWS THERE ARE STILL PLENTY OF UNDECIDED VOTERS IN IOWA.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$550                             |
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| [**05:06:41 PM**] HERE'S SOME DATES FOR YOU. THE IOWA CAUCUSES ARE JANUARY 3RD FOLLOWED BY NEW HAMPSHIRE PRIMARY ON JANUARY 8TH. AND <b>SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY</b> JANUARY 19TH.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$550                             |
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| [**05:06:56 PM**] AN NBC WALL STREET JOURNAL POLL SHOWS AMERICANS ARE LARGELY UNAWARE OF <b>BARACK OBAMA'S</b> RELIGIOUS FAITH. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> IS A CHRISTIAN AND MEMBER OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIS. BUT ONLY 17% KNEW THAT. 8% MISTAKENLY BELIEVED <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> IS MUSLIM. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND RUDY GIULIANI WILL SIT DOWN FOR CONVERSATIONS WITH CARLOS WATSON. THE PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS ARE ON THE GUEST LIST FOR HIS SHOW THAT APPEARS TOMORROW AT 8:00 P.M. THE CANDIDATES GET INTO DEEPER DISCUSSIONS ABOUT POLITICS. YOU CAN WATCH THE SHOW TOMORROW NIGHT AT 8:00 RIGHT HERE ON WYFF 4.        |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$550                             |
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| [**05:35:04 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE. WYFF 4 INVITES YOU TO SPEND AN EVENING WITH SWEENEY TODD AT THE PEACE CENTER. IN THE TALE OF SWEENEY TODD.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                               | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$550                             |
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[\*\*05:32:02 PM\*\*] RUDY GIULIANI IS NOW TIED WITH MITT ROMENY ON THE REPUBLICAN SIDE. MIKE HUCKABEE IS IN THIRD AFTER TAKING SOME HEAT FOR HIS CHRISTMAS AD. THE POLLS SHOW SENATOR **HILLARY CLINTON** AHEAD OF **BARACK OBAMA** BY 22 POINTS. "SO FROM OUR FAMILY TO YOURS, I'M **BARACK OBAMA**, AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE. MERRY CHRISTMAS. HAPPY HOLIDAYS. **JOHN EDWARDS** IS THIRD. WHILE DEMOCRATS NATIONWIDE FAVOR CLINTON THE POLL SHOWS THAT **OBAMA** BEATS LEADING REPUBLICANS. IN SOUTH CAROLINA THE RACE IS A BIT TIGHTER. ... DEMOCRATIC SENATOR **BARACK OBAMA** IS ON TOP IN THIS POLL. BUT HE AND NEW YORK SENATOR **HILLARY CLINTON** ARE VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE LEAD. THE SURVEY SHOWS **OBAMA** WITH 35 PERCENT AND CLINTON WITH 34 PERCENT. **JOHN EDWARDS** TRAILS WITH 13 PERCENT. STRAIGHT AHEAD ON NEWS TWO AT FIVE. WANT TO "STRESS-LESS" THIS HOLIDAY?



1. DEC 21 2007 6:30AM CT COASTAL SUNRISE Nielsen Audience: 5,757 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$124  
WSAV-NBC, SAVANNAH, GA, MARKET RANK: 97 Run Time: 0:53 Calculated Publicity Value: \$372  
30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$70

[\*\*06:57:03 AM\*\*] WE'LL HAVE MORE ON THAT AND WHY THIS IS A MAKE OR BREAK WEEKEND FOR RETAILERS AROUND THE COUNTRY WHO HAVE NOT BEEN HAVING A PARTICULARLY GOOD HOLIDAY SEASON. WE'LL TALK MORE ABOUT PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. ALL EYES ON IOWA DOWN THE FINAL STRETCH AND ON SENATOR **BARACK OBAMA**, AND A KEY QUESTION, WHICH IS HIS EXPERIENCE. WE'LL BE SPEAKING TO HIM LIVE IN JUST A COUPLE MINUTES.



2. DEC 21 2007 7:00AM CT NEWS 13 THIS MORNING Nielsen Audience: 24,179 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$108  
WBTW-CBS, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103 Run Time: 0:27 Calculated Publicity Value: \$324  
30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$120

[\*\*07:04:58 AM\*\*] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M **BARACK OBAMA** AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.



3. DEC 21 2007 7:00AM CT NEWS 13 THIS MORNING Nielsen Audience: 24,179 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$72  
WBTW-CBS, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103 Run Time: 0:18 Calculated Publicity Value: \$216  
30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$120

[\*\*07:56:10 AM\*\*] A NEW POLL IS OUT ON THE SOUTH CAROLINA GOP AND DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST. DEMOCRATS **BARACK OBAMA** AND **HILLARY CLINTON** ARE VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE LEAD. ON THE REPUBLICAN SIDE, FORMER ARKANSAS GOVERNOR MIKE HUCKABEE IS AHEAD FOLLOWED CLOSELY BY FORMER MASSACHUSETTS GOVERNOR MITT ROMNEY.



1. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM 6 NEWS TODAY Nielsen Audience: 46,102 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$2,533  
CT WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25 Run Time: 3:10 Calculated Publicity Value: \$7,599  
30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400

[\*\*06:14:19 AM\*\*] C-B-S NEWS JUST CONDUCTED A PHONE POLL OF PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES. FOR THE DEMOCRATS. **BARACK OBAMA** HAS THE SLIGHTEST OF LEADS ON **HILLARY CLINTON**. **JOHN EDWARDS** IS COMING IN WITH 13 PERCENT. FOR REPUBLICANS, MIKE HUCKABEE HAS 28 PERCENT OF THE SUPPORT. MITT ROMNEY IS COMING IN WITH 20 PERCENT AND RUDY GIULIANI COMES IN WITH 12 PERCENT.



2. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM 6 NEWS TODAY Nielsen Audience: 46,102 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$2,267  
CT WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25 Run Time: 2:50 Calculated Publicity Value: \$6,801  
30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400

[\*\*06:44:27 AM\*\*] MINUTES ON THE TODAY SHOW CAUCUS COUNTDOWN. WITH LESS THAN 2 WEEKS TO GO UNTIL IOWA, **BARACK OBAMA** CONTINUES TO SURGE AHEAD. A TODAY EXCLUSIVE WITH THE SENATOR



3. DEC 21 2007 MORNING NEWS AT 6 AM Nielsen Audience: 13,760 Calculated Ad  
6:00AM CT WHNS-FOX, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC- Equivalency: \$220  
ANDERSON,SC, MARKET RANK: 36 Run Time: 1:50 Calculated Publicity Value: \$660  
30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$60

[\*\*06:11:16 AM\*\*] THE LATEST C-B-S POLL SHOWS A TIGHT RACE IN SOUTH CAROLINA ON BOTH SIDES OF THE AISLE. AISLE. FOR THE DEMOCRATSTHE TELEPHONE POLL SHOWS **BARACK OBAMA** WITH 35-PERCENT AND **HILLARY CLINTON** WITH 34-PERCENT. **JOHN EDWARDS** HAS 13-PERCENT. MIKE HUCKABEE IS LEADING THE REPUBLICANS, CAPTURING 28-PERCENT. MITT ROMNEY TRAILS HIM WITH 20- PERCENT.



4. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM MORNING NEWS AT 6 AM Nielsen Audience: 13,760 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$368  
CT WHNS-FOX, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 3:04 Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,104  
MARKET RANK: 36 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$60

[\*\*06:39:46 AM\*\*] A LOOK NOW AT NEWS YOU NEED TO KNOW THIS MORNING. A NEW C-B-S POLL IS OUT ABOUT THE SOUTH CAROLINA G-O-P AND DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CONTESTS. DEMOCRATS **BARACK OBAMA** AND **HILLARY CLINTON** ARE VIRTUALLY-TIED FOR THE LEAD. REPUBLICAN MIKE HUCKABEE IS AHEAD WITH 28-PERCENT. THE SPARTANBURG HUMANE SOCIETY NEEDS MORE VOLUNTEERS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON.



5. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM NEWS 13 THIS MORNING Nielsen Audience: 31,506 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$750  
CT WLOS-ABC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Calculated Publicity Value: \$2,250  
MARKET RANK: 36 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$375

[\*\*06:00:02 AM\*\*] IT COMES LESS THAN TWO WEEKS BEFORE THE STATE OF THE CAUCUS AND PRIMARY SEASON. MARTI JOHNSON SHOWS US CANDIDATES FROM BOTH PARTIES ARE SPREAD FROM NEW HAMPSHIRE TO IOWA. 33 "CAMPAIGNING ACROSS IOWA, WHILE HER HUSBAND STUMPS FOR HER IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, **HILLARY CLINTON** KNOWS THE DAYS ARE WINDING DOWN AND THE TONE, AMPING UP. SOT: **HILLARY CLINTON** "I'M ON A 99 COUNTY BLITZ COVERING THE STATE. BUT IF **MRS. CLINTON** IS FOCUSED ON COVERING THE STATE, THE OTHER DEMOCRATIC FRONTRUNNER, **BARACK OBAMA**, IS INTENT ON COVERING THE ISSUES, SAYING THAT POLICY DISCUSSIONS ARE FAIR GROUND, BUT PERSONAL ATTACKS ARE MORE LIKE WHAT ONE OF HIS CAMPAIGN STAFFERS WAS ABOUT TO TOSS HIS DIRECTION IN IOWA. NATS: **OBAMA** "THAT'S DIRTY SNOW AND I HAVE TO CAMPAIGN SOME MORE. REPUBLICANS ARE ALSO IN THE FIGHT. RUDY GIULIANI TAKES MOST OF TODAY OFF, AFTER A HEALTH SCARE IN MISSOURI FORCED HIS PLANE TO TURN AROUND SO HE COULD SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION.



6. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM DAYBREAK Nielsen Audience: 32,570 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$1,792  
CT WSPA-CBS, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 3:44 Calculated Publicity Value: \$5,376  
MARKET RANK: 36 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$240

[\*\*06:44:29 AM\*\*] REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS WILL HAVE A DEBATE. ON STATEWIDE RADIO. THREE DAYS BEFORE THE **SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY**. E-T-V RADIO WILL CARRY THE TWO HOUR G-O-P DEBATE. ON JANUARY 16TH.



7. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM NEWS 4 AT 6 AM Nielsen Audience: 40,189 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$480  
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| WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC,<br>MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | Run Time: 0:36                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,440 |
| [**06:25:37 AM**] AN ANIMAL RESCUE FACILITY IN SEATTLE IS GETTING IN ON PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. THEY HAVE RESCUED A LLAMA AND THEY NAME IT <b>OBAMA</b> THE LLAMA. THEY HOPE THAT IT WILL RAISE MORE MONEY FOR THEM. IT JOINS KEVIN BACON THE PIG AND IKE AND TINA TURKEY.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400 |                                     |
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| WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC,<br>MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | Run Time: 0:15                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$600   |
| [**06:39:15 AM**] <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> HAS PICKED UP AN ENDORSEMENT OF HER OWN FROM A FORMER DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, DON FOWLER, SAYING THAT SHE IS THE BEST CANDIDATE FOR THAT PARTY. FOWLER IS A SOUTH CAROLINA NATIVE WHO LIVES IN COLUMBIA.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400 |                                     |
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| WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC,<br>MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | Run Time: 0:19                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$759   |
| [**06:40:10 AM**] <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND RUDY GUILIANI WILL SIT DOWN WITH CONFERRINGS WITH CARLOS WATSON. THAT'S TONIGHT AT 8:00. JOSH STONE AND HEIDI KLUM AND OTHERS ARE SET TO APPEAR ON THAT SAME SHOW.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400 |                                     |
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| WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC,<br>MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | Run Time: 0:26                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,041 |
| [**06:42:43 AM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400 |                                     |
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| WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC,<br>MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | Run Time: 0:53                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$2,121 |
| [**06:59:50 AM**] WE'LL HAVE MORE ON THAT AND WHY THIS IS A MAKE OR BREAK WEEKEND FOR RETAILERS AROUND THE COUNTRY WHO HAVE NOT BEEN HAVING A PARTICULARLY GOOD HOLIDAY SEASON. WE'LL TALK MORE ABOUT PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. ALL EYES ON IOWA DOWN THE FINAL STRETCH AND ON SENATOR <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> , AND A KEY QUESTION, WHICH IS HIS EXPERIENCE. WE'LL BE SPEAKING TO HIM LIVE IN JUST A COUPLE MINUTES.                                                                                                                       |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$400 |                                     |
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| WACH-FOX, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                            | Run Time: 4:51                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,455 |
| [**06:09:21 AM**] THE C-B-S NEWS TELEPHONE POLL SHOWS ON THE DEMOCRATIC SIDE- SENATOR <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND SENATOR <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE NUMBER ONE SPOT. THE POLL SHOWS <b>OBAMA</b> WITH 35- PERCENT- CLINTON WITH 34-PERCENT. ON THE REPUBLICAN SIDE. ... IS CAMPAIGNING FOR <b>DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE BARACK OBAMA</b> . TED SORENSON VISITED COLUMBIA YESTERDAY. DISCUSSING WHY HE THINKS <b>OBAMA</b> IS THE BEST CANDIDATE TO BRING CHANGE TO WASHINGTON. HE'S A MAN. THAT'S IMPORTANT. |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$50  |                                     |
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| WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                            | Run Time: 0:11                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$165   |
| [**06:35:39 AM**] AND YOU'LL BE ABLE TO HEAR THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS AREA OFF IN A RADIO DEBATE ON JANUARY 16TH, THREE DAYS BEFORE THE <b>SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY</b> . IT'LL BE BROADCAST ON SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC RADIO.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150 |                                     |
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| WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                            | Run Time: 0:53                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$795   |
| [**07:00:01 AM**] WE'LL HAVE MORE ON THAT AND WHY THIS IS A MAKE OR BREAK WEEKEND FOR RETAILERS AROUND THE COUNTRY WHO HAVE NOT BEEN HAVING A PARTICULARLY GOOD HOLIDAY SEASON. WE'LL TALK MORE ABOUT PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. ALL EYES ON IOWA DOWN THE FINAL STRETCH AND ON SENATOR <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> , AND A KEY QUESTION, WHICH IS HIS EXPERIENCE. WE'LL BE SPEAKING TO HIM LIVE IN JUST A COUPLE MINUTES.                                                                                                                       |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150 |                                     |
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| WCBF-NBC, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                            | Run Time: 0:28                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$840   |
| [**06:27:21 AM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I PROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$300 |                                     |
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| WCBF-NBC, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                            | Run Time: 2:55                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$5,250 |
| [**06:55:00 AM**] HIGH THE LOWER TO MIDDLE 50S. LOWS IN COMING UP NEXT ON THE TODAY SHOW. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> CONTINUES TO SURGE AHEAD IN THE POLL. THE SENATOR WILL SIT DOWN FOR A LIVE <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> CONTINUES TO SURGE AHEAD IN THE POLL. THE SENATOR WILL SIT DOWN FOR A LIVE INTERVIEW. AND AS 2007 COMES TO A CLOSE.                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$300 |                                     |
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| WCBF-NBC, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                            | Run Time: 0:53                  | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,590 |
| [**06:58:49 AM**] WE'LL HAVE MORE ON THAT AND WHY THIS IS A MAKE OR BREAK WEEKEND FOR RETAILERS AROUND THE COUNTRY WHO HAVE NOT BEEN HAVING A PARTICULARLY GOOD HOLIDAY SEASON. WE'LL TALK MORE ABOUT PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. ALL EYES ON IOWA DOWN THE FINAL STRETCH AND ON SENATOR <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> , AND A KEY QUESTION, WHICH IS HIS EXPERIENCE. WE'LL BE SPEAKING TO HIM LIVE IN JUST A COUPLE MINUTES.                                                                                                                       |                                            | 30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$300 |                                     |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**06:48:47 AM**] AND FRED THOMPSON HAS 10 PERCENT. AND A VERY TIGHT RACE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION= WITH THE FRONTRUNNERS NEARLY TIED. THE LATEST POLLS SHOW <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> LEADING WITH 35 PERCENT. JUST ONE PERCENT BEHIND. <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> IWITH 34 PERCENT. AND ROUNDING OUT THIRD= <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> WITH THIRTEEN PERCENT. RUDY GIULIANI IS TAKING IT EASY TODAY AFTER A MINOR HEALTH CONCERN. THE FORMER NEW YORK MAYOR WENT TO AN EMERGENCY ROOM THURSDAY NIGHT FOR FLU-LIKE SYMPTOMS. ... A SAFE HAVEN HAS RESCUED A LLAMA THEY CALL, " <b>OBAMA</b> THE LLAMA. THE ORGANIZATION'S MANAGERS HOPE THEIR NEW ARRIVAL WILL BRING IN MORE DONATIONS. HE JOINS FELLOW RESCUED ANIMALS KEVIN BACON THE PIG AND IKE-AND-TINA TURKEY. |                          |                                     |
|    | 19. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM CT | LIVE 5 AT 6 AM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Nielsen Audience: 24,589 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$142    |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**06:00:22 AM**] REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS WILL MEET FOR A RADIO DEBATE IN COLUMBIA. BROADCASTERS SAY THE DEBATE WILL BE HELD BY NATIONAL PUBLIC RADIO AND SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC BROADCASTING OUTLETS BTV. THE DEBATE WILL BE HELD JANUARY 16TH, THREE DAYS BEFORE BALLOTS ARE CAST IN THE <b>SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY</b> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                          |                                     |
|    | 20. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM CT | LIVE 5 AT 6 AM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Nielsen Audience: 24,589 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$217    |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**06:36:07 AM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                          |                                     |
|    | 21. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM CT | NEWS 13 THIS MORNING                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Nielsen Audience: 19,478 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$121    |
|                                                                                    |                           | WBTW-CBS, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Run Time: 0:22           | Calculated Publicity Value: \$363   |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**06:08:59 AM**] COVERING THE CAROLINAS ON THIS FRIDAY. A TOUGH RACE IN SOUTH CAROLINA FOR DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES. ILLINOIS SENATOR <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND NEW YORK SENATOR <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> ARE VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE DEMOCRATIC LEAD, THE CBS NEWS TELEPHONE POLL SHOWS <b>OBAMA</b> WITH 35% AND CLINTON WITH 34%FORMER NORTH CAROLINA SENATOR <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> TRAILS WITH 13%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                          |                                     |
|    | 22. DEC 21 2007 6:00AM CT | NEWS 13 THIS MORNING                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Nielsen Audience: 19,478 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$143    |
|                                                                                    |                           | WBTW-CBS, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Run Time: 0:26           | Calculated Publicity Value: \$429   |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**06:12:18 AM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                          |                                     |
|  | 1. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT  | 6 NEWS TODAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Nielsen Audience: 17,183 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$930    |
|                                                                                    |                           | WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Run Time: 2:35           | Calculated Publicity Value: \$2,790 |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**05:21:29 AM**] C-B-S NEWS JUST CONDUCTED A PHONE POLL OF PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES. FOR THE DEMOCRATS. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> HAS THE SLIGHTEST OF LEADS ON <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> . <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> IS COMING IN WITH 13 PERCENT. FOR REPUBLICANS, MIKE HUCKABEE HAS 28 PERCENT OF THE SUPPORT. MITT ROMNEY IS COMING IN WITH 20 PERCENT AND RUDY GIULIANI COMES IN WITH 12 PERCENT.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                          |                                     |
|  | 2. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT  | 6 NEWS TODAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Nielsen Audience: 17,183 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$360    |
|                                                                                    |                           | WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Run Time: 1:00           | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,080 |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**05:52:09 AM**] THE T-S-A TOLD THEM THE NEED FOR NEW SECURITY MEASURES OUTWEIGHED THE USEFULNESS OF EVALUATING THEM. AN ANIMAL SHELTER IN SEATTLE IS TRYING ITS HAND AT POLITICS. COMING UP, MEET <b>OBAMA</b> THE LLAMA. PLUS, A MILITARY DOG WHO LOST HIS HANDLER IN IRAQ IS HEADED HOME. WHERE LEX THE GERMAN SHEPARD WILL LIVE OUT HIS RETIREMENT.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                          |                                     |
|  | 3. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT  | 6 NEWS TODAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Nielsen Audience: 17,183 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$348    |
|                                                                                    |                           | WCNC-NBC, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Run Time: 0:58           | Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,044 |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**05:55:19 AM**] TODAY THEY'LL HEAD TO THE BASE IN ALBANY, GEORGIA TO BRING LEX HOME. AN ANIMAL RESCUE FACILITY IN SEATTLE HAS A NEW HIGH-PROFILE GUEST. <b>OBAMA</b> THE LLAMA JUST JOINED THE OTHER ANIMALS AT THE SHELTER. THE MANAGER OF THE RESCUE SAYS HE HOPES THE LATEST ADDITION WILL HELP BRING SOME ATTENTION TO THEIR SHELTER. THEY'RE TRYING TO COLLECT DONATIONS TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS TO THE FACILITY. <b>OBAMA</b> THE LLAMA JOINS THE LIKES OF KEVIN BACON THE PIG WHO ALSO LIVES THERE. AHEAD IN OUR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                          |                                     |
|  | 4. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT  | MORNING NEWS AT 5 AM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Nielsen Audience: 7,634  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$166    |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**05:10:49 AM**] THE LATEST C-B-S POLL SHOWS A TIGHT RACE IN SOUTH CAROLINA ON BOTH SIDES OF THE AISLE. AISLE. FOR THE DEMOCRATSTHE TELEPHONE POLL SHOWS <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> WITH 35-PERCENT AND <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> WITH 34-PERCENT. <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> HAS 13-PERCENT. MIKE HUCKABEE IS LEADING THE REPUBLICANS, CAPTURING 28-PERCENT. MITT ROMNEY TRAILS HIM WITH 20- PERCENT.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                          |                                     |
|  | 5. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT  | MORNING NEWS AT 5 AM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Nielsen Audience: 7,634  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$293    |
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|                                                                                    |                           | [**05:39:27 AM**] A LOOK NOW AT NEWS YOU NEETO KNOW THIS MORNING. A NEW C-B-S POLL IS OUT ABOUT THE SOUTH CAROLINA G-O-P AND DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CONTESTS. DEMOCRATS <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> ARE VIRTUALLY-TIED FOR THE LEAD. REPUBLICAN MIKE HUCKABEE IS AHEAD WITH 28-PERCENT. THE SPARTANBURG HUMANE SOCIETY NEEDS MORE VOLUNTEERS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                          |                                     |
|  | 6. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT  | DAYBREAK                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Nielsen Audience: 12,493 |                                     |
|                                                                                    |                           | WSPA-CBS, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, MARKET RANK: 36                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Run Time: 3:44           |                                     |

[\*\*05:44:00 AM\*\*] REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS WILL HAVE A DEBATE. ON STATEWIDE RADIO. THREE DAYS BEFORE THE **SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY**. E-T-V RADIO WILL CARRY THE TWO HOUR G-O-P DEBATE. ON JANUARY 16TH.

7. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT DAYBREAK Nielsen Audience: 12,493

WSPA-CBS, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 0:28  
MARKET RANK: 36

[\*\*05:52:13 AM\*\*] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M **BARACK OBAMA** AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.

8. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT NEWS 4 AT 5 AM Nielsen Audience: 15,770 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$130

WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 0:26 Calculated Publicity Value: \$390  
MARKET RANK: 36

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150

[\*\*05:06:17 AM\*\*] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M **BARACK OBAMA** AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.

9. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT NEWS 4 AT 5 AM Nielsen Audience: 15,770 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$105

WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 0:21 Calculated Publicity Value: \$315  
MARKET RANK: 36

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150

[\*\*05:25:43 AM\*\*] IN SEATTLE, THEY ARE GETTING INTO PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. THEY RESCUED A LLAMA. THEY CALL IT **OBAMA** THE LLAMA. THEY HOPE THAT IT WILL BRING IN MORE DONATIONS, OBVIOUSLY FROM PEOPLE WHO LIKE **OBAMA**. THEY HAVE KEVIN BACON THE PIG AND IKE AND TINA TURKEY. I LIKE THAT LAMA.

10. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT NEWS 4 AT 5 AM Nielsen Audience: 15,770 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$200

WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 0:40 Calculated Publicity Value: \$600  
MARKET RANK: 36

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150

[\*\*05:26:07 AM\*\*] BACK IN THE SHELTER, SAFE AND SOUND AND A HAPPY ENDING FOR THE MOST PART. A WEIRD STORY. SO IS **OBAMA** THE LLAMA.

11. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT NEWS 4 AT 5 AM Nielsen Audience: 15,770 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$75

WYFF-NBC, GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC, Run Time: 0:15 Calculated Publicity Value: \$225  
MARKET RANK: 36

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$150

[\*\*05:39:43 AM\*\*] PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE **HILLARY CLINTON** PICKED UP A BIG ENDORSEMENT. DAN FOWLER IS THROWING HIS SUPPORT BEHIND CLINTON. HE SAYS THE NEW YORK SENATOR IS THE BEST CANDIDATE.

12. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS Nielsen Audience: 10,880 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$32

WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81 Run Time: 0:13 Calculated Publicity Value: \$96

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$75

[\*\*05:35:08 AM\*\*] THERE WILL BE A RADIO DEBATE RIGHT HERE IN SOUTH CAROLINA NEXT MONTH ON JANUARY 16TH, THREE DAYS BEFORE THE **SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY**. THE RADIO DEBATE WILL BE IN COLUMBIA AND BROADCAST ON SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC RADIO.

13. DEC 21 2007 5:00AM CT NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS Nielsen Audience: 10,880 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$65

WIS-NBC, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81 Run Time: 0:26 Calculated Publicity Value: \$195

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$75

[\*\*05:42:02 AM\*\*] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M **BARACK OBAMA** AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.

1. DEC 21 2007 5:30AM CT NEWS 13 FIRST MORNING Nielsen Audience: 9,828 Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$45

WBTW-CBS, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103 Run Time: 0:21 Calculated Publicity Value: \$135

30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$65

[\*\*05:33:56 AM\*\*] REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES ARE SCHEDULED TO DEBATE THREE DAYS BEFORE THE **SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY** ON PUBLIC RADIO. THE JANUARY 16TH DEBATE IN COLUMBIA WILL BE BROADCAST ON NPR AND SOUTH CAROLINA ETV RADIO. DEMOCRATS MET IN A SIMILAR FORUM THIS MONTH IN IOWA.



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|                                                                                    | [**10:59:37 PM**] A REMEMBRANCE A FUND HAS ALSO BEEN SET UP TO HELP THE FAMILY. YOU CAN CONTRIBUTE AT ANY IN TONIGHTS VOTE 2008 COVERAGEANOTHER CHANCE FOR YOU TO HEAR FROM THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL HOPEFULS. THEY'LL MEET IN A RADIO DEBATE JANUARY 16 IN COLUMBIA, THREE IN THE <b>SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY</b> . THE TWO-HOUR DEBATE WILL BE HOSTED BY NATIONAL PUBLIC RADIO NEWS AND SOUTH CAROLINA'S ETV RADIO. THE WEATHER COOPERATED TODAY FOR && MANY LAST MINUTE CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS;                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
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|                                                                                    | [**11:20:01 PM**] AND FRED THOMPSON HAS 10 PERCENT. AND A VERY TIGHT RACE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION= WITH THE FRONTRUNNERS NEARLY TIED. THE LATEST POLLS SHOW <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> LEADING WITH 35 PERCENT. JUST ONE PERCENT BEHIND. <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> IWTH 34 PERCENT. AND ROUNDING OUT THIRD= <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> WITH THIRTEEN PERCENT. COMING UP NEXT IN SPORTS. A HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE HOOPS ROUNDUP.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|    | 3. DEC 20 2007 11:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 11 PM NEWS<br>WCIV-ABC, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100                   | Nielsen Audience: 8,054<br>Run Time: 0:10  | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$33<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$99<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$100       |
|                                                                                    | [**11:30:32 PM**] WELL YOU'VE MET THE MAN= NOW MEET THE LLAMA <b>OBAMA</b> . AN ANIMAL RESCUE FACILITY IN SEATTLE IS GETTING IN ON SOME PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS. A SAFE HAVEN HAS RESCUED A LLAMA THEY CALL, " <b>OBAMA</b> " THE LLAMA. THE SAFE HAVEN'S MANAGERS HOPE THEIR NEW ARRIVAL                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|    | 4. DEC 20 2007 11:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | LIVE 5 AT 11 PM<br>WCSC-CBS, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100              | Nielsen Audience: 40,706<br>Run Time: 1:13 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$1,095<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$3,285<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$450 |
|                                                                                    | [**11:13:10 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
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|                                                                                    | [**11:28:51 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
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|                                                                                    | [**11:08:44 PM**] A POLL SHOWS A TIGHT RACE FOR DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> ARE VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE LEAD. <b>OBAMA</b> HAS 35% AND CLINTON WITH 34% <b>JOHN EDWARDS</b> TRAILED WITH 13%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|   | 7. DEC 20 2007 11:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 15 NEWS AT 11 PM<br>WPDE-ABC, FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC, MARKET RANK: 103  | Nielsen Audience: 18,760<br>Run Time: 0:21 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$1,400<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$4,200<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$700 |
|                                                                                    | [**11:01:18 PM**] BROADCASTERS Y NATIONAL PUBLIC WS AND PUBLIC BROADCASTING OUTLET E-T-V RADIO. THE RADIO DEBATE IS SET FOR JANUARY 16TH THREE BALLOTS ARE <b>SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARY</b> . REPUBLICAN PART IN A TELEVISED DEBATE IN MYRTLE BEACH THE WEEK BEFORE. BEFORE THE CANDIDATES GET HERE TO SOUTH LINA.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|  | 1. DEC 20 2007 10:30PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | FOX NEWS EDGE<br>WCCB-FOX, CHARLOTTE, NC, MARKET RANK: 25                  | Nielsen Audience: 36,116<br>Run Time: 1:51 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$3,145<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$9,435<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$850 |
|                                                                                    | [**10:46:01 PM**] I'LL TELL YOU SOMETHING ON. WHAT DOES HE DO. I GAVE HIP THE MICROPHONE AND <b>BILL CLINTON</b> WAS WALKING BY AND THE MIC WAS OFF AND I TRIED TO TELL HIM AND HEED I AM NOT GOING TO DO ANYTHING ILLEGAL AND THEY ALMOST KICKED MY OUT WOULD I HA{SV DONE THAT? YOU ARE A JOURNALIST.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|  | 2. DEC 20 2007 10:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | FOX 28 NEWS AT 10<br>WTGS-FOX, SAVANNAH, GA, MARKET RANK: 97               | Nielsen Audience: 15,069<br>Run Time: 2:31 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$503<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,509<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$100   |
|                                                                                    | [**10:17:22 PM**] A FOX WHAT AMERICANS REALLY THINK ABOUT THEIR CANDIDATES. FOX'S SHANNON BREAM HAS THE SORRY NO CLOSED CAPTION CHYRONS: SEN. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> STORY. BREAM HAS THE FOX'S SHANNON SORRY NO CLOSED CAPTION CHYRONS: SEN. <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE MIKE HUCKABEE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE PRESIDENTIAL                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|  | 1. DEC 20 2007 10:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN<br>WACH-FOX, COLUMBIA, SC, MARKET RANK: 81            | Nielsen Audience: 31,496<br>Run Time: 4:58 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$2,732<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$8,196<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$275 |
|                                                                                    | [**10:08:27 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE. GIRL: I'M HUNGRY. DAD: HAS ANYONE HEARD FROM JIMMY? ... SENATOR <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND SENATOR <b>HILLARY CLINTON</b> VIRTUALLY TIED FOR THE NUMBER ONE SPOT. THE POLL SHOWS <b>OBAMA</b> WITH 35- PERECENT- CLINTON WITH 34-PERCENT. ON THE REPUBLICAN SIDE. ... IS CAMPAIGNING FOR <b>DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE BARACK OBAMA</b> . TED SORENSON VISITED COLUMBIA TODAY. DISCUSSING WHY HE THINKS <b>OBAMA</b> IS THE BEST CANDIDATE TO BRING CHANGE TO WASHINGTON. HE'S A MAN. THAT'S IMPORTANT. |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|  | 2. DEC 20 2007 10:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | FOX 24 NEWS AT 10<br>WTAT-FOX, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100            | Nielsen Audience: 26,074<br>Run Time: 0:28 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$187<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$561<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$200     |
|                                                                                    | [**10:20:57 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |
|  | 1. DEC 20 2007 7:00PM CT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | PRIME TIME NEWS<br>WCSC-CBS, CHARLESTON, SC, MARKET RANK: 100              | Nielsen Audience: 17,581<br>Run Time: 1:04 | Calculated Ad Equivalency: \$640<br>Calculated Publicity Value: \$1,920<br>30-Second Ad Equivalency: \$300   |
|                                                                                    | [**07:04:33 PM**] WE NEED PARENTS TO TURN OFF THE TELEVISION AND INSTILL IN OUR CHILDREN A SENSE OF EXCELLENCE. WE'VE GOT TO ASK MORE OF OURSELVES, IF WE WANT THE KIND OF WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION THAT THEY NEED. I'M <b>BARACK OBAMA</b> AND I APPROVE THIS MESSAGE.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                            |                                            |                                                                                                              |

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# Why We Can't Wait

We have walked this earth now for many a mile and many a year, and there are times when it seems like every step of the way, we have been told to wait.

In various times and places, on the path from Selma to Montgomery with Martin Luther King Jr., to the struggle in South Carolina, even the sincerest of people often greeted our cries for civil rights with a plea for patience.

"You're right," they'd say, "but the timing isn't. Couldn't you wait just a bit?"

We walked in Dr. King's footsteps after his assassination, assuming leadership in the Civil Rights Movement and marching for an end to the war in Vietnam. And politicians told us, "We know this war is a disaster, but the political climate isn't right for ending it. You'll have to wait."

Today, we are proud to march alongside one of the most inspiring leaders our country has seen in a generation. His name is Barack Obama, and he holds out the promise of a new politics steeped in possibility. And once more, we're hearing that tired old refrain.

"Yes," the skeptics say of Barack, "he surely is an extraordinary leader. And yes, he most certainly was right to oppose the war in Iraq back when other politicians were backing it blindly. And, why, of course he's right about all those aching and unmet needs here at home. But he hasn't spent enough time in Washington, D.C. Why doesn't he wait?"

Well, in most respects, we have grown more patient with age. But this time around, we hope you won't begrudge our sense of urgency when we tell

you:

We do not have time to wait.

We do not have time -- and too many young lives are at risk -- to wait for sanity to prevail and this disastrous war in Iraq to end. Only Barack Obama had the foresight and fortitude to oppose it from the very beginning. And only Barack has shown backbone sufficient to detail a specific plan to bring every last one of our troops home within a year.

We do not have time -- and too many of our neighbors are hungry and ill -- to wait for someone to deal with America's twin crises of poverty and health care. These are national shames in a nation of abundance and plenty, and Barack will tackle them with the urgency they demand.

We do not have time to wait for bold leadership on global warming, on education and opportunity here at home, on genocide in Darfur and AIDS in Africa, on the many issues our politics seem too small to confront. We do not have time to wait for a politics enlivened by possibility, a politics broad and deep enough to accommodate both our needs and our dreams.

We do not have time to wait for a different face of American leadership, here at home and across the globe. We don't have time to wait for that day when little brown boys and girls look up and see the President of the United States, and notice someone that looks like them. And we do not have time to wait to see how that moment will fundamentally alter not just our politics, but our very minds.

We do not have time, in short, to wait for Barack Obama to be President of the United States.

Our moment is now.

Now, we hope you won't misunderstand. We may have walked many a mile and many a year, but these legs of ours are willing to walk many miles farther -- as many as it takes to see our country's promise of hope made real.

We just need America to walk with us. Just as young and old, Black and White, Christian and Hindu and Muslim and Jew, joined together to break the bonds of Jim Crow, we need you to join us now and break free from old and stale politics and usher in a new era in our country, and our world.

We wouldn't ask you to do this just for a few men who do not have time to wait. We are asking you to stand with Barack for a country that's facing too many challenges -- and too many opportunities -- to wait for the bold and hopeful leadership Barack Obama offers.

We cannot wait. We must not wait. Our moment is now.

Rev. Dr. Joseph Lowery

Considered the Dean and great leader in the civil rights movement and founder of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

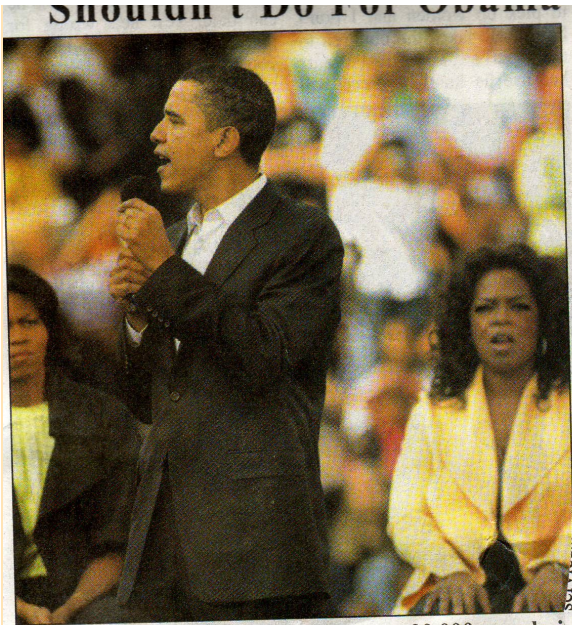
Dr. C.T. Vivian

Living civil rights legend -- friend and advisor to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and founder of the Upward Bound college prep program

Rev. Dr. Otis Moss, Jr.

Civil rights luminary and national board member and trustee for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Non-Violent Social Change.





Sen. Barack Obama speaks to over 30,000 people in Columbia, South Carolina during his campaign rally with Oprah Winfrey.

Oprah can't help Barack Obama nail Hillary Clinton in Iowa, New Hampshire, or even South Carolina. The throng of Oprah groupies that pitched camp in front of the Obama campaign headquarters in Columbia, South Carolina to get free tickets to her and Obama's appearance at the Colonial Center in that city were there to ogle, and if they are lucky, touch the garments of America's favorite TV earth mother at the auditorium.

But after ogling and touching Oprah, it doesn't mean they'll vote for Obama. A Pew Research Center poll after a big Oprah fundraising bash in September found that by a crushing margin respondents said that Oprah's tout of Obama won't sway them the least bit. And it shouldn't, at least not because, Oprah says so. Despite all the talk about Oprah being a transcendental force that supersedes mere celebrity mortals she's still just that, a celebrity. The thousands that clawed for tickets to rub shoulders with her at her Obama pep rally in Columbia, South Carolina were there precisely because of her star power and the insatiable celebrity mania that grips far too many star struck Americans.

Yet, celebrities fail miserably every time to do much for their political picks. Willie Nelson, Madonna, Jon Bon Jovi, Martin Sheen, and in reverse, George Clooney are big money celebrities and virtual household names.

Kucinich. Bon Jovi endorsed John Kerry. Sheen endorsed Howard Dean. Madonna backed Wesley Clark. One of their picks went down to flaming defeat. The other three never came close to getting the Democratic presidential nomination.

As for Clooney, he publicly declared that he hoped that his non-endorsement of Kerry probably helped him at the polls. It didn't. Though Clooney now backs Obama he's still very mindful of the potential liability of celebrity hood and has publicly said that he thinks campaigning for a candidate hurts a candidate. Clooney recognized a political truism that's etched in stone. That's that a celebrity pump of a presidential candidate does little to boost the candidate.

The one group that Obama hopes is the rare exception to the rule is black women. He banks heavily that Oprah can help him smash through the Hillary fest that many black women have with Clinton. In South Carolina, black voters make up nearly half of the Democratic voters, a greater proportion than any other state, and black women make up a significant proportion of that vote. Though most adore Oprah and are well aware of her long standing backing of Obama, that hasn't shaken their support of Clinton the least bit. Nearly three times more black women say they'll back Hillary over him, and that's especially true among lower income working class

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That's also not to say that Oprah's endorsement will hurt Obama. The hype, promotion, and allure of Oprah have some value in bumping even higher Obama's media visibility.

The "O" and "O" show has caused the tongues to wag, eyebrows to rise and they will draw legions to their campaign stops. But it won't be the knock out wallop Obama counts on to floor Hillary. Celebrities simply don't and shouldn't pack that kind of political punch. And neither does Oprah.

That's not to say that endorsements don't help a candidate. But they have to be the right endorsements. The right ones come from seasoned politicians and respected industry, labor, or public interest groups that have the trust and confidence of voters, and a solid track record in fighting for legis-

Earl Ofari Hutchinson is an author and political analyst. His new book is "The Latino Challenge to Black America: Towards a Conversation between African-Americans and Hispanics" (Middle Passage Press).

regarded by many black women as a strong advocate for health care and women's interests. Selling Obama is not like selling one of Oprah's handpicked authors that the mere mention of on her show will send their book hurtling to the top of the charts. Voters make their decisions about politicians on a combination of factors, party affiliation, their stance on the issues, their political beliefs, and their experience at getting the job done. Few will rely on Oprah's word that Obama is the best to handle global warming, tax policy, the Iraq war, terrorism, job creation and inflation, failing public schools, criminal justice issues and judicial appointments.

A candidate, and only the candidate, has to sell his or herself that they have a sound grasp of the issues, and can forcefully and



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Democratic presidential hopeful Hillary Clinton's campaign launched an aggressive effort to mobilize black voters through the faith community - crisscrossing two segments vital to winning her party's nomination in this state - during her first visit to Spartanburg as a candidate Tuesday. About 60 pastors from around the Upstate joined her on stage at the Marriott at Renaissance Park - all but two of them were black - and her campaign said another 20 or so were in the audience. The crowd, more than 400 strong, was about two-thirds white.



# 30,000 people, including Oprah Winfrey, attend Barack Obama for President rally at Williams-Brice Stadium

By Patricia Abraham  
COLUMBIA

The weather on Sunday was delightful. It just had to be. Oprah was coming to town.

Nearly 30,000 poured into USC's Williams-Brice Stadium to see television talk show host and self-made billionaire Oprah Winfrey host a presidential campaign rally for Senator Barack Obama. Oprah drew them in, but it was the Obama show once he took the stage.

By the time the rally started, many in the crowd had been waiting for several hours. The crowd was entertained by local musicians, such as Daniel Davis, an 18-year-old "hip hop" violinist from Charleston, marching bands from Manning and Timberland High schools. To further pump up the crowd, up-and-coming pop rock-band "The Working Title" performed before yielding the stage to "Arrested Development", who gave a rousing rendition of their hit song "Everyday People."

Then it was time to get down to business. Michelle Obama, introduced as "First Lady to Be" Michelle Obama, took the stage. She was just as lively and energetic as the entertainers. The crowd cheered and showered her with their love. She thanked crowd for coming and also thanked Oprah for her support. And she stated the theme of the campaign: It's time for a change. "We can't do

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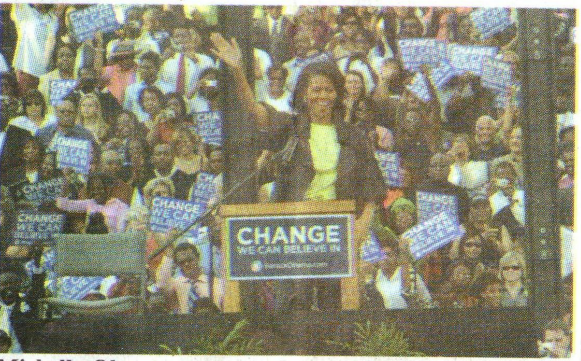
Presidential candidate Barack Obama addresses the crowd while wife Michelle and Oprah Winfrey look on. Nearly 30,000 people attended the rally.



Barack and Michelle Obama break out into a dance near the end of the rally.



Oprah Winfrey tells the crowd that for the first time, she is "stepping out of her pew" and getting involved in a political campaign because she believes in Barack Obama.



Michelle Obama waves to the crowd before introducing "The First Lady of Television" Oprah Winfrey.



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## Obama campaign rally

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it by ourselves," she said. "We need your support."

Michelle Obama then introduced Oprah Winfrey as the "First Lady of Television." Everyone was on their feet.

"I'm stepping out my pew," Oprah said, adding that she felt like this was something she had to do. "This is the time."

Oprah went on to say that she has been inspired by a new vision, like Dr. King dreamed a dream. "But we don't have to dream the dream any more. We can vote that dream into reality. We can make the difference, but we must be together. Because he (Obama) can't do it by himself."

"This is not a book club meeting," she continued, "this is a monumental event. We've got to step out of the box. And yes, you may have to do some things you've never done before. But if you do the same thing you've always done you'll get the same thing..." And the crowd yelled "You've always got."

Oprah revealed why she rarely has politicians on her show. "First of all, because the show is only an hour long," she said as the crowd chuckled. They (politicians) can be eloquent as they tongue dip in the truth."

All throughout her speech she expressed her love for Michelle and Barack. She said that she supports Barack because he stood with clarity and conviction on his stance against the war. "He's an evolved leader that can bring an evolved leadership," she said.

Oprah then introduced Obama as The Next President to Be. By the roar of the crowd, you would have thought that Barack was already president. As he entered the stadium he took time to shake the hands of the everyday people from the crowd.

Barack praised the size of the crowd, saying that it was his largest crowd to date. He went on to say he was not just happy about the size of the crowd but also happy about the crowd's make up. There were whites, blacks, yellows and browns -- all colors and religions of people coming together for a common good.

He then laid out his reasons for wanting to be President of the United States. "In America that people are working for less, and that it's harder to save and even harder to retire," Barack said. "And it feels as if our leaders can't do anything about it. It's no wonder people are cynical about politics. We are at a defining moment in our history."

Barack said that we can't run the same type of campaign and live in fear of losing or being too timid. He said The Democratic Party now needs to stand for something. He then outlined some of the things he wants to accomplish if he is elected president:

- Taking the tax break from the corporations that are putting our jobs overseas and give the tax break to the working poor

that are right here.

- Making sure that the American people have health insurance plans just as good as a member of Congress -- not a couple years down the road but during his first year in office.

- Get our troops out of Iraq within 16 months and focus on the fight in Afghanistan.

- Investing some of that billions of dollars from Iraq right here in SC.

- Instituting a justice system that is colorblind so that we won't have any more Jena 6's

O'rama reminded everyone that the reason that he has the opportunity to run as president is because somebody stood up when they weren't suppose to.

"Now is the time for change, but I can't do it myself," Barack said. "I'll need your support."

Judging from the crowd's reaction, he got it. As they took up a chant of "Fired up! Ready to go!" He reminded them that they can make a difference with their votes on January 26, 2008.

And with the love and adoration of the crowd, Barack, Michelle and Oprah exited the stage. And South Carolina politics will never be the same.



Barack Obama brings the crowd, as well as wife Michelle Obama and Oprah Winfrey, to their feet.

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Subject: TIME UPDATE -- Prep Call with HRC, Sunday February 7th

Hi All,

This call will now be at **7:20am ET**. The dial in will remain the same.

Thank you,  
Bonnie

**From:** Lona Valmoro [mailto:[lvalmoro@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:lvalmoro@hillaryclinton.com) ]  
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**Subject:** TIME ADJUSTMENT -- Prep Call with HRC, Sunday February 7th

**We will plan for 7:10am tomorrow morning for our prep call with HRC.**

**Sunday, February 7th**  
**7:10am ET**

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Please let us know if you have any questions -- thank you.

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Date: 2/20/2012 12:38:46 AM  
Subject: Re: Connecting re: potential COO/President names

John - it would be good for us to talk first directly rather than the search firm.

Sue - can you find a time that works. Thanks

John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> on 02/07/2012 03:20:05 PM  
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cc: Erica Baird/US/OGC/PwC, Robert Moritz/US/ABAS/PwC  
Subject: Re: Connecting re: potential COO/President names

Erica and Bob,  
Our search process is being led by Mary Tydings and Denise Grant at Russel, Reynolds. I can put them in touch with you directly or feel free to call me with advice/ideas. I can be reached at 202-481-8128. Thanks for your help and support.  
John

On Mon, Feb 6, 2012 at 5:56 PM, <[aj66@nyu.edu](mailto:aj66@nyu.edu)> wrote:  
> Hi John - following up on our conversation last week, I wanted to connect you directly with Bob Moritz and Erica Baird. Both are at PWC and are friends and mentors to Marc and to me. They have also both offered to help with the Foundation generally and specifically on finding great COO/President (and when relevant CFO) candidates. Given the process you're directing, I wanted to connect you quickly to them. If you'd prefer, they can send names to you directly or to whomever appropriate at the search firm.  
> As ever, thank you Bob and Erica.  
> Best,  
> Chelsea  
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Date: 6/7/2015 3:02:48 AM

Subject: Fwd: She lit up the room in Detroit

Thanks for doing this.

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From: Peter Colavito <[peter.colavito@seiu.org](mailto:peter.colavito@seiu.org)>

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From: "Dave Hamrick" <info@martinomalley.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>  
Date: 1/30/2016 9:48:06 AM  
Subject: about jake's email

John,

I just wanted to make sure you saw Jake's email from yesterday. This is the most important weekend of the campaign so far. Our team in Iowa needs your help to make sure it's successful. How much we are able to invest in the ground game this weekend will directly reflect how successful caucus night will be for us.

We are counting on your support, chip in now: <https://martinomalley.com/donate>

Thanks,  
Dave

David Hamrick  
Campaign Manager  
O'Malley for President

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From: Jake Oeth  
Date: Fri, Jan 30, 2016  
Subject: For Iowa  
To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

John,

Today marks the start of a very exciting weekend we call Get Out The Caucus weekend. This is when our field staff and our volunteers work all day to knock on doors and make calls to mobilize those caucusing for Governor O'Malley.

We have volunteers from all over the country, from California to North Carolina, all taking time off from work and school to help us have a great caucus night.

Here is what I need from you: [help us have a successful GOTC weekend by donating \\$10 right now.](#)

Your \$10 will help us get our volunteers out across the state. A \$20 donation will help get a gas card so a volunteer can knock on 150 more doors. A \$30 donation will help buy pizza for the volunteers at tonight's phone bank.

With matching funds, your donation may be doubled for our campaign. This means your \$10 donation will be worth \$20 for Iowa.

[Will you chip in to help Team Iowa #HoldStrong this weekend?](#)

Thanks,  
Jake

Jake Oeth  
Iowa State Director  
O'Malley for President

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Date: 10/6/2008 9:03:43 AM

Subject: some more details on Friday and upcoming meetings

On Friday, we're planning to meet from 9:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. (with some possible time modifications on the start or end time to accommodate schedules). As for the agenda of the meeting, I'll circulate something in the next few days, but some of the topics we'd like to cover are:

- Quick updates from the working groups, with an emphasis on what needs to happen the first two weeks after Election Day (meetings, decisions, events, opportunities)
- Discussion about the organizational structure of the transition and how the transition planning work product will be handed off to the incoming administration
- Initial discussion of the communications plan
- Discussion of logistics and operations decisions (budget and facilities)

As for future meetings/calls, here's what we're thinking about:

Friday, Oct. 17 – Conference call – probably around an hour or so

Friday, Oct. 24 – Meeting in D.C. – 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. (again with some possible time modifications)

Friday, Oct. 31 – Conference call – probably around three hours or so.

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Date: 5/13/2015 11:26:23 AM

Subject: HRC Clean Energy and Environmental Team / Group / Supporters

Hi John, Great to see you last week at Mike Driver's house. We have been moving forward with assembling a group of supporters as discussed at Mike's house. As a matter of fact, when I told Mike what about it – he said he will engage and help form this group as well. This group has been very successful in impacting elections, writing op-eds, doing events, raising money and acting as eyes and ears on the ground around the country to address issues in advance –and had rapid response prepared as well. The team also provided high level surrogates as well - in the Environment & Energy Universe.

I'm sure Mike will talk a little about it when he sees you tomorrow. I wish I could be in NYC for gathering. It was my plan until things went haywire - roller coaster issues with mother's health and my schedule blew up. The Obama E&E team became quite sophisticated. Heather Z. was engaged, Cathy Carson, many others you know. Ed Markey and Carol Browner did events – they're just a few names that come up. We had all the big green groups. Tom Steyer helped too - with Ken Berlin. Surely this group will be different – a mix of old and new. We're pretty excited and ready to start!

More anon...

Marianne Smith  
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Date: 2/16/2015 6:45:42 AM  
Subject: RE: NYT

LOL, but for your next role, better to reinforce for people that they shouldn't mess with you.

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Not exactly staying in the shadows.

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> Very strong piece.

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> Best,

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> Ira

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Date: 5/13/2015 6:15:56 AM  
Subject: Fwd: Urgent Hail Mary

Denis, want to accommodate this at least for tomorrow? Brynne can you reach out to Kim? This is a group of super volunteers and delegates who have kept themselves organized since 08.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: John West <[gardens@jwlandscapes.com](mailto:gardens@jwlandscapes.com)>  
Date: Tuesday, May 12, 2015  
Subject: Urgent Hail Mary  
To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Cc: Kim Frederick <[kimfrederi@yahoo.com](mailto:kimfrederi@yahoo.com)>

Dear Mr. Podesta,

John West here, the gentleman and his husband who had the honor to drive you to O'hare after the Chicago finance committee meeting.

Wanted to thank you for the picture and conversation regarding some of our grass roots efforts by many long time Hillary Supporters - many who were 2008 delegate that have been corralled into one very organized Facebook Group and contact list by Kim Frederick, from Houston, Texas.

Kim Frederick also had wonderful ideas for the QR code and for assigning merchandise I.D's to lower dollar fund raisers to encourage folks to take part in promoting sales which I shared at the meeting and in the packet I shared with you. She's a Hill Starter and has raised \$11,000 to date and has a local Houston fundraiser this evening as well as been a big help in assisting the Texas Field Organizer on identifying key strategically located folks for helping with setting up organizing events throughout the massive state of Texas. Beyond Texas, she has been key in getting the top volunteers in contact with field organizers throughout the country and providing a forum for both field organizers and super volunteers to coordinate and exchange information efficiently.

I have an *urgent request I was wondering if you could help with*. Kim Frederick will be in NY for work from tomorrow night through Sunday and being a leader and organizer of 50 states worth of very capable, motivated and experienced grass roots organizers - I was hoping she could get an invite for one of the events in New York as well as an audience with someone to discuss how best to utilize this amazing resource of folks she has assembled and keeps organized and engaged. It appears Adam will be travelling at that time - and they will be missing one another unfortunately. Kim has even organized a 50 person super volunteer get together at 6 p.m Friday evening at O'Reilly's Bar and Kitchen while she is in town. I can attest to Kim's long time dedication and hard work already. She was a state level delegate in 2007 and is involved heavily in organizing in Texas for the Democratic Party. It would be really helpful to the grass roots effort and really energize folks to see one of their own have some audience and a photo op. IT's also her birthday so I can't help but feel compelled to at least send a hail Mary email. Anything would help to make sure there isn't a wasted opportunity with her business trip to New York (at someone else's expense!)

-JW

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Date: 8/29/2015 7:37:55 AM

Subject: Re: DRAFT OPED: Baldwin Bill

Sorry to be late.

Can we use any real examples of the problem (maybe Bush era)?

Can we emphasize some of the environmental examples -- which might be more credible than Wall Street? People from oil industry, coal etc?

Is it possible to use more colloquial "foxes guarding the hen house" kind of language ?

thanks

**Mandy Grunwald**  
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Sent: Sat, Aug 29, 2015 2:25 pm

Subject: Re: DRAFT OPED: Baldwin Bill

To the whole group -- here's the revised oped. I'm sending to HRC at 4pm so speak soon if you have additional changes!

On Sat, Aug 29, 2015 at 1:54 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yeah, I know that I sound like I am protecting the plutocrats, but there is a line here -- if we go across it we're just demagoguing.

**From:** Robby Mook [mailto:[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com) ]

**Sent:** Saturday, August 29, 2015 1:50 PM

**To:** Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> >

**Cc:** Gary Gensler <[ggensler@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ggensler@hillaryclinton.com)> >; Megan Rooney <[mrooney@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)> >; Speech Drafts <[speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)> >; Michael Shapiro <[mshapiro@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mshapiro@hillaryclinton.com)> >

**Subject:** Re: DRAFT OPED: Baldwin Bill

My two cents: I don't think the average voter will be sensitive to alienating people who go in and out of government. My concern from a primary perspective is appearing to protect the status quo, which I think people will believe (with a bit of prompting from Warren and others) is corrupted.

On Sat, Aug 29, 2015 at 1:41 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I have a number of comments. Megan, I will send to you and Kristina my redlines separately. Overall, I am worried that the thrust of this oped is that if you work in the private sector and come into government, you are an inherently suspicious character.

Anyway, see what you think of my modifications.

-----Original Message-----

From: [speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)

[mailto:[speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)] On Behalf Of Gary Gensler

Sent: Saturday, August 29, 2015 1:38 PM

To: Megan Rooney <[mrooney@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)> >

Cc: Speech Drafts <[speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)> >; Michael Shapiro <[mshapiro@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mshapiro@hillaryclinton.com)> >

Subject: Re: DRAFT OPED: Baldwin Bill

Looks good. Two comments:

10/18/2016

1) in next to last graph how about 'not worrying about former or future bosses at expense of American public' rather than 'not enriching themselves at ....'? I think better as it is more accurately captures what can happen and lowers tone.

2) maybe in reference to Elijah Cummings in 2nd half where it says 'work with Tammy' on passage of bill.

Gary

Sent from my iPhone

> On Aug 29, 2015, at 11:16 AM, Megan Rooney <[mrooney@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)>

> wrote:

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> Hey all. Here's a draft joint oped to be signed by Hillary and Tammy

> Baldwin, which we're looking to place asap. Please get edits to Kristina

> Costa and me by 4pm today. Thanks!

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> <8-29-15 draft oped baldwin clinton accountability 1115am.docx>



From: ["Rebecca Chalif" <rchalif@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:rchalif@hillaryclinton.com)  
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["Tony Carrk" <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 7/22/2015 3:28:23 AM

Subject: Comms Morning Memo 7.22

Attachments: 2015 07 22 Press Morning Memo DS.docx

Hi all- attached is the communications morning memo that went to HRC today.  
Thanks!

Rebecca Chalif  
Hillary for America  
@rebeccachalif

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| From:        | "Georgoulas, Stylianos" <s.georgoulas@alumni.ucl.ac.uk>                                            |
| To:          | podesta@law.georgetown.edu                                                                         |
| Date:        | 1/5/2016 4:34:19 PM                                                                                |
| Subject:     | Request to to support you as a volunteer in your role as Chairman of Secretary Clinton's campaign. |
| Attachments: | Stelios_Georgoulas_CV_2016.docx                                                                    |

Dear Mr Podesta,

My name is Stelios Georgoulas. I am very honoured to be writing this letter to you, with which I would like to express my passion and desire to support you as a volunteer in your role as Chairman of Secretary Clinton's campaign.

I am a 36-year-old Ophthalmologist with a PhD from University College London and a Masters of Science in Management, Organisations and Governance (with Distinction) from the London School of Economics. During my medical studies, I did internships at the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Centre in New York and the University of Pennsylvania. I also served as President of the Scientific Association of Hellenic Medical Students, which is one of the largest non-governmental organisations in Europe. This is where my deep interest in politics and interest in shaping my environment arose. During this period, my team and I achieved significant milestones for the medical community and Greece in general. Over the last ten years, I have been working in London as an eye surgeon, having been accepted into one of the most competitive ophthalmology training programmes in the world. Alongside medicine, I am involved in non-profit medical work in Greece and the UK for underprivileged people and young doctors.

With this letter I express my humble request and strong passion to be part of your personal team for Secretary Clinton's Presidential Campaign. I believe that by being close to you, I will learn skills that are not just important to my career but to my life. Being part of your team will allow me the unique opportunity to watch you in action, to observe your thought and decision-making processes, and how you lead and inspire others.

For many years, I have been following, with great interest, your work as Founder and Chairman of the Centre of the American Progress and with the Obama Presidency. Your ethos, evidenced in your work, for example, in promoting the global and American environmental agenda, makes me hopeful for the future when power and influence is given to the right people. It inspires me immensely that you, coming from an immigrant background, and with whom I share Greek roots, have left such a significant global footprint while still maintaining your integrity and abiding by your principles.

Likewise, I wish to make my imprint in Greece, by giving hope and a better future to my people. Greece now faces insurmountable problems. My desire is to contribute into the transformation of Greece into a more innovative and less bureaucratic society, with effective mechanisms that will enable creativity and entrepreneurship to flourish. This should ultimately translate into increased employment, which Greece sorely needs to curb the groundswell of emigration and the 'brain drain' it is currently suffering from. This should also ultimately stimulate improved education and healthcare and equality of access, to better meet the needs of the nation. In the medical field, solving my patient's problems has given me great satisfaction. However, doing this for my country is my lifelong passion.

I trust that I can contribute significantly to your work. I am a passionate individual, and am willing to work very hard both individually and as part of a team to support you. In addition to my mixed medical and management background, combined with the analytical and problem solving skills, I possess deep insight into European politics, which will be important to you since the ISIS, immigration and financial crises are currently key topics in the presidential debate. I also have significant work experience with an advanced public healthcare system, the UK National Healthcare System, which displays commonalities with your new, improved and more democratic US Healthcare system.

In conclusion, it has taken many years of hard work for me to get to this position of writing this letter to you. I am willing to travel to Washington to discuss this in person with you. As I have seen from your life and the lives of many American Presidents, all things are possible so long as we are willing to strive hard for them.

I am attaching my CV and I very much look forward to hearing from you.

Kindest regards,  
Stylianos Georgoulas MBBS, MSc, PhD, FEBO

From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/21/2015 8:39:59 PM  
Subject: Is Hillary doing pharma pricing this week

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Do you know what proposal is  
Hints?  
Is cap the model?  
Thanks  
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Sent from my iPhone

From: [H <hrod17@clintonemail.com>](mailto:hrod17@clintonemail.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/28/2014 1:49:28 PM

Subject: Re: Congrats!

Thanks for your kind wishes for Charlotte and her parents (and grandparents!) We are all thrilled and grateful beyond words.

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**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]

**Sent:** Saturday, September 27, 2014 01:15 PM

**To:** H

**Subject:** Congrats!

Send our love to Chelsea, Marc and Grandpa. Can't wait to meet Charlotte.

On Aug 19, 2014 9:22 AM, "H" <[hrod17@clintonemail.com](mailto:hrod17@clintonemail.com)> wrote:

Agree but there may be opportunities as the Iraqi piece improves.

Also, any idea whose fighters attacked Islamist positions in Tripoli, Libya?

Worth analyzing for future purposes.

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**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 19, 2014 09:19 AM

**To:** H

**Subject:** Re: Here's what I mentioned

Hit send too soon. Meant to say Syria elements are vexing.

On Aug 19, 2014 9:17 AM, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I think we are headed down this path in Iraq, but the Syria elements are

On Aug 17, 2014 3:50 PM, "H" <[hrod17@clintonemail.com](mailto:hrod17@clintonemail.com)> wrote:

Note: Sources include Western intelligence, US intelligence and sources in the region.

1. With all of its tragic aspects, the advance of ISIL through Iraq gives the U.S. Government an opportunity to change the way it deals with the chaotic security situation in North Africa and the Middle East. The most important factor in this matter is to make use of intelligence resources and Special Operations troops in an aggressive manner, while avoiding the old school solution, which calls for more traditional military operations. In Iraq it is important that we engage ISIL using the resources of the Peshmerga fighters of the Kurdish Regional Government (KRG), and what, if any, reliable units exist in the Iraqi Army. The Peshmerga commanders are aggressive hard fighting troops, who have long standing relationships with CIA officers and Special Forces operators. However, they will need the continued commitment of U.S. personnel to work with them as advisors and strategic planners, the new generation of Peshmerga commanders being largely untested in traditional combat. That said, with this U.S. aid the Kurdish troops can inflict a real defeat on ISIL.

2. It is important that once we engage ISIL, as we have now done in a limited manner, we and our allies should carry on until they are driven back suffering a tangible defeat. Anything short of this will be seen by other fighters in the region, Libya, Lebanon, and even Jordan, as an American defeat. However, if we provide advisors and planners, as well as increased close air support for the Peshmerga, these soldiers can defeat ISIL. They will give the new Iraqi Government a chance to organize itself, and restructure the Sunni resistance in Syria, moving the center of power toward moderate forces like the Free Syrian Army (FSA). In addition to air support, the Peshmerga also need artillery and armored vehicles to deal with the tanks and other heavy equipment captured from the Iraqi army by ISIL.

3. In the past the USG, in an agreement with the Turkish General Staff, did not provide such heavy weapons to the Peshmerga, out of a concern that they would end up in the hands of Kurdish rebels inside of Turkey. The current situation in Iraq, not to mention the political environment in Turkey, makes this policy obsolete. Also this equipment can now be airlifted directly into the KRG zone.

4. Armed with proper equipment, and working with U.S. advisors, the Peshmerga can attack the ISIL with a coordinated assault supported from the air. This effort will come as a surprise to the ISIL, whose leaders believe we will always stop with targeted bombing, and weaken them both in Iraq and inside of Syria. At the same time we should return to plans to provide the FSA, or some group of moderate forces, with equipment that will allow them to deal with a weakened ISIL, and stepped up operations against the Syrian regime. This entire effort should be done with a low profile, avoiding the massive traditional military operations that are at best temporary solutions. While this military/para-military operation is moving forward, we need to use our diplomatic and more traditional intelligence assets to bring pressure on the governments of Qatar and Saudi Arabia, which are providing clandestine financial and logistic support to ISIL and other radical Sunni groups in the region. This effort will be enhanced by the stepped up commitment in the KRG. The Qataris and Saudis will be put in a position of balancing policy between their ongoing competition to dominate the Sunni world and the consequences of serious U.S. pressure. By the same token, the threat of similar, realistic U.S. operations will serve to assist moderate forces in Libya, Lebanon, and even Jordan, where insurgents are increasingly fascinated by the ISIL success in Iraq.

6. In the end the situation in Iraq is merely the latest and most dangerous example of the regional restructuring that is taking place across North Africa, all the way to the Turkish border. These developments are important to the U.S. for reasons that often differ from country to country: energy and moral commitment to Iraq, energy issues in Libya, and strategic commitments in Jordan. At the same time, as Turkey moves toward a new, more serious Islamic reality, it will be important for them to realize that we are willing to take serious actions, which can be sustained to protect our national interests. This course of action offers the potential for success, as opposed to large scale, traditional military campaigns, that are too expensive and awkward to maintain over time.

7. (Note: A source in Tripoli stated in confidence that when the U.S. Embassy was evacuated, the presence of two U.S. Navy jet fighters over the city brought all fighting to a halt for several hours, as Islamist forces were not certain that these aircraft would not also provide close ground support for moderate government forces.)

8. If we do not take the changes needed to make our security policy in the region more realistic, there is a real danger of ISIL veterans moving on to other countries to facilitate operations by Islamist forces. This is already happening in Libya and Egypt, where fighters are returning from Syria to work with local forces. ISIL is only the latest and most violent example of this process. If we don't act to defeat them in Iraq something even more violent and dangerous will develop. Successful military operations against these very irregular but determined forces can only be accomplished by making proper use of clandestine/special operations resources, in coordination with airpower, and established local allies. There is, unfortunately, a narrow window of opportunity on this issue, as we need to act before an ISIL state becomes better organized and reaches into Lebanon and Jordan.

9. (Note: It is important to keep in mind that as a result of this policy there probably will be concern in the Sunni regions of Iraq and the Central Government regarding the possible expansion of KRG

controlled territory. With advisors in the Peshmerga command we can reassure the concerned parties that, in return for increase autonomy, the KRG will not exclude the Iraqi Government from participation in the management of the oil fields around Kirkuk, and the Mosel Dam hydroelectric facility. At the same time we will be able to work with the Peshmerga as they pursue ISIL into disputed areas of Eastern Syria, coordinating with FSA troops who can move against ISIL from the North. This will make certain Basher al Assad does not gain an advantage from these operations. Finally, as it now appears the U.S. is considering a plan to offer contractors as advisors to the Iraqi Ministry of Defense, we will be in a position to coordinate more effectively between the Peshmerga and the Iraqi Army.)

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| From:        | <a href="mailto:rwallen@usaction.org">"Ross Wallen" &lt;rwallen@usaction.org&gt;</a> |
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| Date:        | 9/11/2012 10:51:10 AM                                                                |
| Subject:     | [big campaign] Job Opportunity with USAction                                         |
| Attachments: | Program manager Opening 9 12 12.pdf                                                  |

Hello all, (Apologies for cross-posting)

Please help spread the word about a new job opportunity with USAction/USAEF – job listing attached. We're looking for an experienced person to help manage our civic engagement and program work, starting immediately.

Thanks for sharing!

Best,

Ross Wallen  
Campaigns Associate  
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To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/15/2014 12:17:17 PM

Subject: So much better than expected

Friend,

When a generous supporter agreed to match every grassroots donation to the Quinn campaign, we had no idea the response would be this huge.

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It's days like this that make the difference in a close campaign.

Thank you for all you're doing.

Liz

Liz Houlihan  
Finance Director  
Quinn for Illinois

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Date: 5/15/2014 3:15:59 AM

Subject: FW: Thank you!!!!

See below about Chile and solar energy.

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**From:** Beatriz MANZ [mailto:[bmanz@berkeley.edu](mailto:bmanz@berkeley.edu)]

**Sent:** Monday, May 12, 2014 1:36 PM

**To:** Mary Podesta

**Subject:** Re: Thank you!!!!

Thank you Mary and John for a wonderful dinner and a great evening and great meeting and hearing the two brilliant young women!

Harley should have mentioned the ideas he was encouraging the new adm in Chile about moving towards solar energy. He even gave the Energy Minister a name to the program: Chile's road to the sun!!! and followed w a 4 page set of concrete ideas.

I only have John's CAP email. Please share. Solar will be taken more seriously in Chile I hope after the Obama administration push this past week.

A big hug. Beatriz. Aka. Bickie

Sent from my iPhone

On May 9, 2014, at 6:45 PM, Mary Podesta <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

Nothing to bring. Just yourselves. We are really looking forward to this.

Does 7 pm work for you?

Safe travels to DC.

Hugs

Mary

On May 9, 2014 10:42 AM, "Beatriz Manz" <[bmanz@berkeley.edu](mailto:bmanz@berkeley.edu)> wrote:

Dear Mary,

What time on Sunday? Can I bring anything? From here?

Really looking forward to seeing you, Beatriz

On May 6, 2014, at 6:29 PM, Mary Podesta <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

Beatriz,

Great news that you and Harley will be in DC. How about dinner at our house on Sunday night? It would be lovely to have you come here, if that works for you. We are in the city (near the Tenleytown Metro) at 3743 Brandywine St NW. Pretty easy to get to.

And safe travels to DC.

Best,

Mary

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**From:** Beatriz Manz [mailto:[bmanz@berkeley.edu](mailto:bmanz@berkeley.edu)]

**Sent:** Monday, May 05, 2014 3:35 PM

**To:** Mary Podesta; John Podesta

**Subject:** From Berkeley

Dear Mary and John,

I know how overwhelmingly busy you are but will ask anyhow: Harley and I will be in Wash. Sat evening-Tuesday

10/18/2016

mid day (10th-13th). Any chance we could see you?  
All the best, Beatriz

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 4/4/2015 8:16:33 AM

Subject: Re: Heather

Got it...it seems like she's being on-boarded...should I slow that down?

On Sat, Apr 4, 2015 at 3:12 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Last I left the conversation, no decision other than to put off for now.

On Apr 4, 2015 11:47 AM, "Robby Mook" <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)> wrote:

Elias is emailing me about her salary. Was there a decision about whether to bring her on?

From: ["Office of the President" <presidentsoffice@georgetown.edu>](mailto:presidentsoffice@georgetown.edu)

To: [allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/3/2015 6:07:08 AM

Subject: Conference with Global Scholars, Practitioners and Leaders to Discuss Human Development and the Capabilities Approach at Georgetown



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From: Safeway <safeway@email.safeway.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/5/2015 6:16:10 AM

Subject: Get Your Anniversary Sale Items thru 8/11!



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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/1/2015 11:09:28 PM

Subject: Follow Up - Univision/Fusion

Hola John, hope all is well.

As we had discussed when we had breakfast with Isaac in NY, we've been thinking about ideas for Univision/Fusion and Hillary.

I had dinner today with Teddy and discussed some opportunities.

The number one priority for us right now is Snapchat, across both companies. Fusion is launching on the Snapchat Discover US platform this coming Monday, December 7th and we'll have a run until Jan 27th, 2016.

We will be giving this a massive promotion across the companies' platforms.

Would be great if we can invite Hillary to 'curate' one of our daily Snapchat editions. Snapchat reaches 100 million daily users who view 4 billion videos per day on the platform. Fusion will be one of only 19 select media companies that are part of Snapchat Discover.

This should be a small lift in terms of time commitment, and a high impact opportunity to deliver a message to millions of young people in the U.S. and around the world and highlight the topics she'd like them to be aware of. And for us, it would be great to have her featured on our Snapchat channel right after launch.

Would love your thoughts on this and advice on how to best proceed to make this happen.

All the best,

Boris

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From: ["Cassandra Butts" <cbutts.obama08@gmail.com>](mailto:cbutts.obama08@gmail.com)

To: ["Stern, Todd" <Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com>](mailto:Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com)

Date: 9/17/2008 10:13:23 AM

Subject: Re: Executive order/actions meeting -- Recap

Attachments: ethicscodedefinal.081808.doc

I've attached a copy of the code of conduct. If you haven't already done so, please review the document and follow up with me if you have any questions.

On Wed, Sep 17, 2008 at 3:54 PM, Stern, Todd <[Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com](mailto:Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com)> wrote:

Here's a quick recap of main points of our call this afternoon:

- Cassandra will get the code of conduct to anyone on the call who hasn't already signed one.
- We need a memo spelling out the various kinds of executive actions and how they differ. Beth Nolan and Todd will review the Cass Sunstein memo from 1992 and will see whether it suffices or we need something new. Once we have a suitable memo, I will circulate to group.
- Rob Weiner proposed that a memorandum on agency contacts with the White House (what's appropriate, what's not, etc.) should be one of the items prepared early. In the same category as ethics. Cassandra -- we should discuss to see whether (a) you want to fold that into the work you're going to do with Bob Bauer and others on ethics, or (b) this should just be put on a separate track.
- Sally will discuss with her working group tomorrow a plan for reviewing the spreadsheet that Chris's research team put together on all of Bush Administration's executive orders. Sally and Todd will then talk to see if anything else needs to be done to make sure that this spreadsheet gets properly reviewed.
- Chris will have his researchers do a spreadsheet on presidential memoranda -- to the extent that such memoranda can be found in the public record.
- Sally's group will be tracking potential last-minute regulations that will be candidates to be stopped or potential reversed through the Congressional Review Act.
- The following work product on executive actions should be prepared by (a) Sally's group, with respect to the Agency reviews, and (b) the policy working groups:
  - A list of relevant executive orders/actions, highlighting those that are candidates for early rollback.
  - A list of new executive orders/actions that are candidates for early action.
  - This work product should be completed on the same time schedules as the principal memos that the agency groups and policy working groups are already working on.
  - Candidates both for rollback and new actions will ultimately be evaluated with both substance and communications in mind, as important signalling opportunities for the President-elect.
- For present purposes, everyone should take Beth Nolan and Rob Weiner to be our initial legal team available for consultation on legal issues relating to new potential executive actions.
- If anyone has other points that I've missed, please let me know.

Thanks for participating in this. Todd

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From: [dmarchick@gmail.com](mailto:dmarchick@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/17/2015 1:08:23 PM

Subject: Good to see you

Thanks for your service!

On the event in Sept with you, should I coordinate a date with you or with Dennis Cheng?

Enjoy tahoe donner and your daughter/grandkids.

Dave

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: "[Jake Sullivan](#)" <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>  
To: "[Dan Schwerin](#)" <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 8/8/2015 5:28:06 AM  
Subject: Re: Open Letter

I think this is a solid letter. But I still am nervous about doing this in writing.

On Aug 8, 2015, at 12:22 PM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Revised. Please take another quick look as I think we should get to her asap. Two questions:

- 1) What do we do about Powell? Here I've mirrored language from the Q&A, which says "consistent with the practice of prior Secretaries of State," but are we comfortable with that?
- 2) Am i sending her this and the spox statement or Jen, so you want to do that? Either way, we'll need to explain the two options.

On Sat, Aug 8, 2015 at 12:11 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Plus Reynolds to this chain

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 8, 2015, at 11:56 AM, Heather Samuelson <[hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com](mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com)> wrote:

How about this: Dan -- will call you.

When I arrived at the State Department in early 2009, I immediately got to work rebuilding America's tarnished global reputation and take on pressing challenges in nearly every region of the world. At the time, using a personal account seemed convenient. Previous Secretaries of State had used personal email accounts with no problems.

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From: [Heather Samuelson](#)

Sent: Saturday, August 8, 2015 11:40 AM

To: [Huma Abedin](#) , [Dan Schwerin](#)

Cc: [Nick Merrill](#) , [Kendall, David](#) , [Jennifer Palmieri](#) , [Cheryl Mills](#) , [Robby Mook](#) , [Brian Fallon](#) , [Kristina Schake](#) , [Jake Sullivan](#) , [Katherine Turner](#) , [John Podesta](#)

Katherine and I both agree -- was about to write the same.

Recommended edits below:

When I arrived at the State Department in early 2009, I already had a Blackberry with a personal email account that I'd used in the Senate and during my Presidential campaign. At the time, ~~continuing to using~~ a personal account seemed convenient. ~~I had to immediately get to work rebuilding America's tarnished global reputation and take on pressing challenges in nearly every region of the world—email systems were the last thing on my mind.~~ Previous Secretaries of State had used personal email accounts with no problems.

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From: [Huma Abedin](#)

Sent: Saturday, August 8, 2015 11:38 AM

To: [Dan Schwerin](#)

Cc: [Heather Samuelson](#) , [Nick Merrill](#) , [Kendall, David](#) , [Jennifer Palmieri](#) , [Cheryl Mills](#) , [Robby Mook](#) , [Brian Fallon](#) , [Kristina Schake](#) , [Jake Sullivan](#) , [Katherine Turner](#) , [John Podesta](#)

i think this is good

i would take out the line about email systems were the last thing on her mind.

On Sat, Aug 8, 2015 at 11:35 AM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
Any comments on the text of the letter? Hoping to get to her by noon, if possible.

On Sat, Aug 8, 2015 at 10:58 AM, Heather Samuelson <[hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com](mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com)> wrote:  
Thanks Dan -- I'll review factsheet now -- it needs some updating.

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**From:** [Dan Schwerin](#)

**Sent:** Saturday, August 8, 2015 10:48 AM

**To:** [Nick Merrill](#) , [Kendall, David](#) , [Jennifer Palmieri](#) , [Cheryl Mills](#) , [Robby Mook](#) , [Heather Samuelson](#) , [Brian Fallon](#) , [Kristina Schake](#) , [Jake Sullivan](#) , [Huma Abedin](#) , [Katherine Turner](#) , [John Podesta](#)

Here is a revised open letter attached to the current version of the fact sheet from the website. This is shorter, more direct, and more even-handed. Not defiant but not particularly contrite either. See what you think. (Will leave it to Nick, Heather, Brian, etc to review fact sheet and make any updates as needed.)  
Dan

<2015-08-08 open letter - 12pm.docx>

From: [imATHLETE <support@imathlete.com>](mailto:support@imathlete.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/29/2015 1:45:16 AM

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From: "Jim Messina, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 9/10/2012 7:48:11 AM

Subject: I'll be damned



John --

Huge news:

**We finally closed the gap. We outraised Mitt Romney and the Republicans \$114 million to \$111 million in August.**

Unbelievable. After three straight months of getting beat -- and not by a small margin -- more than 1,170,000 supporters made a donation to close the gap.

We can't let up for one second. These August numbers don't reflect outside group fundraising or spending -- and in that category we're still getting thrashed.

Right before the conventions, we were being outspent by super PACs alone in Colorado, Florida, Iowa, North Carolina, Virginia, and Wisconsin. That margin was more than 2 to 1 in Florida, Iowa, and North Carolina.

Already, more than 3 million grassroots donors have stepped up to make sure they can't drown us out. According to our records, you weren't among them. Are you going to let this campaign go by without joining in?

**[Stand up and be counted -- donate \\$5 or more today to help build on this momentum.](#)**

We recently learned Karl Rove is rounding up the most powerful Republican donors to give all they've got to beat Barack Obama.

And it's clear the Romney campaign has been building up a cash advantage that would allow them to blanket the airwaves with negative ads even if we did close the gap. Last week a Romney-Ryan official compared their latest ad campaign to the "daisy cutter" bombs used in the Iraq War. Another adviser to the campaign said their goal from now to Election Day is to "carpet bomb" President Obama and Vice President Biden.

After all our hard work over the past 17 months, I'll be damned if the Romney campaign, Karl Rove, the Koch brothers, and a handful of anonymous billionaires "carpet bomb" the President and end up deciding this election for millions of Americans in the last 57 days.

We just proved we can go head to head with Romney and the Republicans and win. That can't stop now.

**This will be a tight race to the end. Donate \$5 or more today:**

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Together we're proving that ordinary Americans -- not special interests or super PACs -- will decide this election. I'm proud to be a part of this campaign, and even more determined to make sure our hard work translates into a win for President Obama in November. I hope you feel the same way.

Thanks for all you're doing.

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Jim Messina  
Campaign Manager  
Obama for America

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This email was sent to: **john.podesta@gmail.com**.

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Obama for America, P.O. Box 803638, Chicago, IL, 60680

From: ["Kristina Schake" <kristinakschake@gmail.com>](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)

To: ["Mandy Grunwald" <gruncom@aol.com>](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)

Date: 3/8/2015 4:28:38 PM

Subject: Re: Draft Statement for HRC for tomorrow

Here is the plan for tomorrow with call assignments. There are some names on the Broader WJC/HRC World and Progressive Helpers lists without an assigned caller and we are looking for volunteers from this group. Please write me with any changes to this and names you will take on. Thanks.

#### **Tactical Press Plan**

10:30 am - HRC gives statement at No Ceilings event

1 pm - Call to Julie Pace, AP for embargoed story

1 pm - Call with Kiki and Finney to ask for help managing surrogates

1 pm – WH calls: Cheryl call Denis, Philippe call Eric Schultz

2 pm - Statement, Q & A released to press

2 pm - Statement, Q & A, talking points released to surrogates. AP story on GOP emails to trusted allies.

2 pm - Surrogate call with former Clinton staff to review plan, talking points and ask for outreach

2 pm - Surrogate call with TV talkers

2 pm - Political & outreach calls begin (list below)

Post release - monitoring surrogates, talkers, electeds for additional outreach

#### **Clinton staff call (Nick intros Kristina and Josh)**

Joe Lockhart

- Dee Dee Myers
- Mike McCurry
- Jonathan Prince
- Jim Kennedy
- Mike Feldman
- Kiki
- Finney
- Jake Siewert
- Joel Johnson

#### **TV Talkers Call (Nick and Kristina):**

- Stephanie Cutter
- Anita Dunn
- Hilary Rosen
- Jay Carney
- Kiki



- Finney
- Donna Brazile
- Maria Cardona

**Talkers calls:**

Democratic Woman Consultant/Pundit/Leaders (Kiki managing group)

Mary Kay Henry

Randi Weingarten

Ilyse Hogue

Ann Lewis

Ellen Malcolm

Stephanie Schriock

Ellie Smeal

Cecile Richards - Lily

Neera Tanden

Kelly Ward - Jesse

Obama Surrogates

Gibbs – Joel/Jim

Axelrod – Joel/Jim

Plouffe - Joel/Jim

Carney – Joel/Jim

Pfeiffer – Jen/Joel

Jarrett – Joel/Jen

LaBolt – Joel/Jim

Bill Burton - Josh

Broader WJC/HRC World

Minyon Moore (Huma)

Lanny Davis

Capricia Marshall

James Carville

Guy Cecil

Doug Hattaway

Tom Nides – Cheryl

Steve Rattner

Anne-Marie – Nick/PIR

Progressive Helpers

Bradley Beychock - Josh

Mo Elleithee - Josh

Judd Legum

Tom Lopach

### Political Calls

Bill de Blasio –Huma

Michael Nutter - Huma

### Federal Calls:

- Senator Chuck Schumer (Podesta)
- Senator Barbara Boxer (Huma)
- Senator Harry Reid (Jim Margolis)
- Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi (Huma)
- Congressman Steve Israel (Josh)
- Senator Diane Feinstein (Huma)
- Congressman Adam Schiff (Josh)
- Congresswoman Nita Lowey (Huma)
- Senator Kirsten Gillibrand (Huma)

### IA Calls: All made by Matt Paul

- Congressman Dave Loebsack
- Ruth Harkin and Former US Senator Tom Harkin
- Attorney General Tom Miller
- Former Attorney General Bonnie Campbell
- State Senator Mike Gronstal
- Crawford
- Roxanne Conlin (need to touch base first)
- Former Governor Chet Culver
- Former US Representative Leonard Boswell
- Former US Representative Bruce Braley
- House Minority Leader Mark Smith
- Marcia Nichols
- Dr. Andy McGuire
- Treasurer Mike Fitzgerald
- DNC Members: Sandy Opstvedt, Linda Langston, Jan Bauer
- Sally Pederson

### NH Calls: All made by Mike Vlachich

- State Senator Donna Soucy
- Executive Councilor Colin Van Osten

- Bill Shaheen
- Chairman Ray Buckley
- DNC Councilwoman Kathy Sullivan
- Terry Shumaker
- Jim Demers
- Former Speaker Terie Norelli
- Pam Walsh
- Maura Keefe
- Senator Lou D'Allesandro
- Karen Hicks

On Sun, Mar 8, 2015 at 7:57 PM, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

Joel, Jim and I have drafted the following for HRC to say tomorrow:

thx

Mandy

Before we get started, I'd like to take a minute to talk about the topic...of emails.

I think there has been some confusion out there about my emails as Secretary of State, so I want to talk about it directly.

When I was in the Senate, I used a Blackberry for both work and personal emails. When I got to work as Secretary, I wanted to do the same thing. So I opted to use my personal email account - which was permitted by the department - because I thought it would be easier to carry just one device for my work and for my personal emails, instead of two.

A lot of you know, I'm not exactly a technological whiz.

Looking back, it would have been better if I had simply used a second email account and carried a second phone, but at the time, this certainly didn't seem like an issue.

I sent my work emails to government employees at their government addresses, which meant they were immediately preserved on the system at the State Department.

After I left office, when the Department asked for all emails from former secretaries of state sent from their personal accounts, I responded right away and we have turned over all of my work related emails, which total roughly 55,000 printed pages.

I have also asked that the State Department make all of these emails public so everyone can see them for themselves.

**Mandy Grunwald**  
**Grunwald Communications**  
**202 973-9400**

-----Original Message-----

From: Heather Samuelson <[hsamuelson@cdmillsGroup.com](mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsGroup.com)>

To: Kristina Schake <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)>

Cc: john.podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>; Robby Mook <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>; Jennifer Palmier I <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>; Huma Abedin <[huma@hrcoffice.com](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)>; Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>; Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>; Cheryl Mills <[cmills@cdmillsGroup.com](mailto:cmills@cdmillsGroup.com)>; jbenenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)>; jim.margolis@gmmb.com <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)>; gruncom <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>; john <[john@algpolling.com](mailto:john@algpolling.com)>; Turner, Katherine <[KTurner@wc.com](mailto:KTurner@wc.com)>; Kendall, David <[DKendall@wc.com](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)>

Sent: Sun, Mar 8, 2015 3:30 pm

Subject: Revised Q&A and Statement

Revised Q&A and statement are attached, incorporating edits/comments from this morning. Thx

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**From:** [Kristina Schake](#)

**Sent:** Sunday, March 8, 2015 3:24 PM

**To:** [Heather Samuelson](#)

**Cc:** [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) , [Robby Mook](#) , [Jennifer Palmieri](#) , [Huma Abedin](#) , [Philippe Reines](#) , [Nick Merrill](#) , [Cheryl Mills](#) , [jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com) , [jim.margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:jim.margolis@gmmb.com) , [gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com) , [john@algpolling.com](mailto:john@algpolling.com) , [Turner, Katherine](#), [Kendall, David](#)

Attached is Jen's press and surrogate plan.

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
To: "Eryn Sepp" <[Eryn\\_M\\_Sepp@who.eop.gov](mailto:Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov)>  
Date: 3/19/2014 4:13:01 PM  
Subject: Fwd: Cline wine

Can you get malia to ck on arrival

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

Begin forwarded message:

From: Megan Rouse <[megan.rouse@yahoo.com](mailto:megan.rouse@yahoo.com)>  
Date: March 17, 2014 at 7:25:36 PM EDT  
To: Mary Podesta <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)>, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Subject: Cline wine  
Reply-To: Megan Rouse <[megan.rouse@yahoo.com](mailto:megan.rouse@yahoo.com)>

Looks like Cline wine club still goes to CAP. Can they receive this shipment - it's already on its way? Also, shall I change the address to Brandywine? Thanks.

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/27/2008 8:57:04 AM  
Subject: Personnel

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Hi John - It looks like I'll be really rolling up my sleeves on the talent search front, and I'd like to make sure we're fully aligned and supportive with the administration in terms of our Talent Bank project. Is Froman the person I should talk to? Can you connect us?

Thanks,  
Steve

From: "Denise Cardinal" <denise@progressnow.org>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 7/1/2013 2:00:50 AM

Subject: Marriage Equality and Abortion Rights

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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Progress Now and our 21 state affiliates have been busy this past week! From the SCOTUS decisions on DOMA and Prop 8, to Texas Senator Wendy Davis's 11 hour filibuster on an anti-abortion bill, and President Obama's announcement about the Keystone XL, we have been working hard to keep voters informed. These are just 3 of our 21 states doing what we do every day – make progress happen, and happen NOW.

As always, let me know what you think, or even better, [contribute to us here](#) .

Best,  
Denise Cardinal  
Executive Director  
ProgressNow  
ProgressNow Education

Courage Campaign Celebrates the Defeat of Prop 8 and DOMA!

 Marriage Equality

"Today the nation took another historic step towards creating a more perfect union...Love should not be legislated or litigated. We hope today's rulings settle this issue once and for all as we celebrate loving couples marrying in California and across the country in the coming weeks, months and years."

This **statement** by Rick Jacobs, Executive Director of Courage Campaign, highlights the historic decisions around marriage equality made by the Supreme Court on Wednesday June 26. The Courage Campaign has been fighting against Proposition 8 since March 2009 and kept citizens informed of the courts decisions through live updates online at [equalityontrial.com](#) . On Wednesday their work was validated when the Supreme Court ruled that the ballot proponents of Prop 8 did not have standing to defend the law in Court. This means that the case is sent back to the Ninth Circuit to dismiss the appeal for lack of standing. In short same sex couples in California now have the right to marry!

Californians will now join the 12 other states and the District of Columbia in fully accepting same sex marriage as a legal form of marriage. But that's not all! Since the Supreme Court struck down DOMA as unconstitutional these couples will have every federal right they deserve! While this is a huge win for the LGBT equality movement, government bureaucracy tends to slow down the implementation process. We want to make sure that this does not happen. By **donating today** , you can help ensure that all 1,138 federal rights are granted as fast as possible. We will be able to monitor implementation and push our federal bureaucracy to speed up the process!



Progress Texas Applauds Senator Davis’s 11-Hour Filibuster

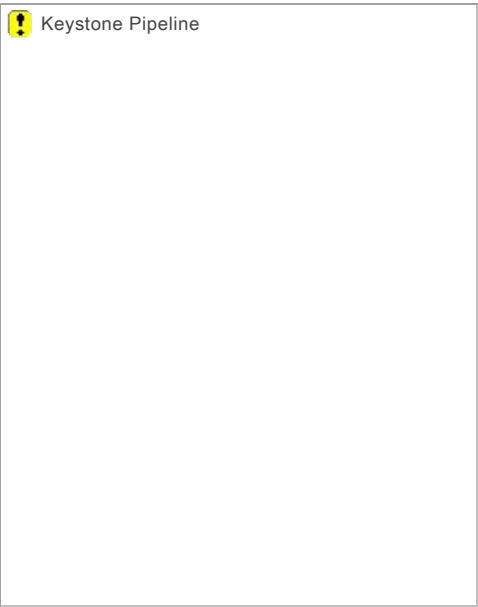
At 3:01 am on Wednesday June 26, Texan Lt. Governor Dewhurst **announced** , “Senate Bill 5 cannot be signed because it passed after midnight.” This came after an 11-hour filibuster of the bill by Senator Wendy Davis. If passed the legislation would have prohibited abortions after 20 weeks of pregnancy and reduce the number of abortion clinics in the state from 42 to 5! Without food, water, or even the ability to lean on her desk, Senator Davis spoke for 11 hours and ultimately was successful. Her actions spurred **national attention** evident in the fact that over 200,000 people watched the live feed online and President Obama even showed his **support** .

When the Davis’s filibuster was finally stopped after three violations ruled against her, more than 400 protesters halted the proceedings 15 minutes before the roll call could be completed. The commotion inside the chamber continued until the midnight deadline had passed, making the vote irrelevant. The actions of Senator Davis and the citizens who made their voice heard, helped protect women’s reproductive rights in Texas and send a message nationwide. These are the types of actions that Progress Texas stand behind. They fight for issues that are shared by a growing majority of Texans, but not always represented by a majority of our public officials, and will continue to do so with your support.

Bold Nebraska Joins President Obama’s Call to Climate Action

On Tuesday June 25, President Obama laid out his administration’s Climate Action Plan to cut carbon pollution while making the switch to clean energy. In the speech, the President said that he would not approve Keystone XL if it contributes to climate pollution. As the **Congressional Research Service** has already made clear, the Keystone XL would in fact increase U.S. greenhouse gas emission by 3 million to 21 million metric tons. The President has made a huge step towards rejecting Keystone XL, and Bold Nebraska is working to make sure that he will follow through with action.

That is why Bold Nebraska is collaborating with the Sierra Club, 350.org, and Nebraska Farmers Union to organize the **Build Our Energy** project. Together they are working to build a wind turbine and solar-powered barn directly inside the Keystone XL pipeline route in Nebraska. By doing so, they are sending the message that they embrace clean, local, renewable energy, and that they are serious about protecting their precious water and land for future generations by opposing this risky tarsands pipeline. By donating to the Build Our Energy, you can help **make this project a reality** and create the clean energy future we all need.



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Date: 9/11/2015 10:46:21 AM  
Subject: Crime Alert

The Law Center Campus Community,

We want to make you aware of a security incident that occurred at UNION STATION. At @ 1 pm today, security officers shot a man inside the Food Court at Union Station after the assailant had pulled a knife. Union station was evacuated. DC Metropolitan Police officials report that there is "NO active shooter" at the station. The assailant was apprehended and transported to the hospital and an investigation is underway. Union Station has been reopened.

There is no immediate threat to our campus community. Please be alert and exercise situational awareness when you are in the neighborhood. If there is an emergency or you need public safety assistance, don't hesitate to call Public Safety at 202-662-9325.

Regards,

Jose S. Burgos, Deputy Director  
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From: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/24/2015 1:36:01 PM

Subject: Fwd: Sandy

You saw this, right? Sending it in case you didn't. Sad.

Mary

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From: "Ron Rosenblith" <[ronrosenblith@hotmail.com](mailto:ronrosenblith@hotmail.com)>

Date: May 23, 2015 10:11 AM

Subject: Sandy

To: "Mary Podesta" <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)>, "John Podesta" <[jpodesta@americanprogress.org](mailto:jpodesta@americanprogress.org)>

Cc:

Just a note to tell you that Sandy is in the end stages of her battle with cancer. She is resting fairly comfortably at this point and my mother and I are with her. Page, Gillet and Charlton are on a flight up to Boston to join us at the Massachusetts General Hospital. Justin has been a frequent visitor as well, so she is well surrounded by family. Hope all is well with your gang.

From: "Jack Quinn" <[jquinn@quinnngillespie.com](mailto:jquinn@quinnngillespie.com)>

To: "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

Date: 10/5/2014 7:45:56 PM

Subject: Re: Great news re Post endorsement of Karl Racine for Attorney General of DC

Ok! Looking forward to it. Best, Jack

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 5, 2014, at 10:24 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

Karl is running for AG of washington, DC -- the first time there has been an election for this role  
thought you would want to know he received the endorsement of the Wash Post

And that I will be reaching out to those of you to see if you would like to contribute to his campaign.

More to come.

best.

cdm

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From: Racine, Karl A. <[KARacine@venable.com](mailto:KARacine@venable.com)>

Date: Sun, Oct 5, 2014 at 10:16 PM

Subject: FW: Great news re Post endorsement. Great work!

To: Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

We received the Washington Post Endorsement!!!

Thx for your unwavering support.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosenthal, Seth A.

Sent: Sunday, October 05, 2014 09:27 PM Eastern Standard Time

To: Racine, Karl A.; Bailey, Claude E.

Subject: Great news re Post endorsement. Great work!

**Seth A. Rosenthal | Venable LLP**

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To:  
Date: 3/4/2008 4:48:36 AM  
Subject: RELEASE: Clinton Calls On Budget Committee To Make Funding For Green Collar Jobs Initiative A Priority In Budget Resolution

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Senator Hillary Rodham Clinton

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**CLINTON CALLS ON BUDGET COMMITTEE TO MAKE FUNDING FOR GREEN COLLAR JOBS INITIATIVE A PRIORITY IN BUDGET RESOLUTION**

**Full Funding of Green Collar Jobs Programs Authorized In 2007 Energy Bill Is Vital To Ensuring America's Economic Growth and Global Competitiveness**

**Washington, DC** – Senator Hillary Rodham Clinton joined several of her colleagues in calling on the Senate Budget Committee to show their commitment to the future of energy independence and new job growth by fully funding a Green Collar Jobs Initiative in the upcoming budget resolution. In a letter to the Chairman and Ranking Member of the Budget Committee, the senators stressed that a strong Green Collar Jobs Initiative to fund priority energy policies would be a catalyst for creating new, good paying jobs, a cleaner environment, and would be a key step in asserting our nation's energy independence. With these goals in mind, the lawmakers are requesting that a full \$7.5 billion in the budget be provided to fund priority alternative and renewable energy policies from the Energy Bill.

"Growing green collar jobs doesn't just move America towards the benefits of energy independence, and a cleaner environment; it opens a whole new growth sector of the economy that will produce new, higher paying jobs that are positioned to be the careers of the future," said Senator Clinton. "By providing full funding for this initiative in the Energy Bill, we are opening the door to new economic opportunities and a host of new possibilities that will help ensure that our nation remains a global leader in this promising industry."

Last year, Senator Clinton and Senator Bernie Sanders (I-VT) secured Senate approval of their green job training proposal, which would authorize new programs to train workers for "green collar jobs" that involve the design, manufacturing, installation, operation, and maintenance of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies. [The Sanders-Clinton initiative, which is highlighted in the letter to the Senate Budget Committee, would establish an Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Workforce Training Program](#) to be administered by the Department of Labor in coordination with the Department of Energy.

The recently enacted Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 provides Congress with opportunities for a Green Collar Jobs Initiative that will help move the country towards energy independence and will build a new and growing sector of the economy. Providing full funding at a level of \$7.5 billion is critical in ensuring that we can create green jobs at home, in a growing sector that produces clean and efficient homes, appliances, vehicles, fuels, and energy.

A copy of the letter to the Chairman and Ranking Member is attached -

The Honorable Kent Conrad  
Chairman  
Senate Budget Committee  
624 Dirksen Building  
Washington, DC 20510

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The Honorable Judd Gregg  
Ranking Member  
Senate Budget Committee  
624 Dirksen Building  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Conrad and Ranking Member Gregg:

The recently enacted Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 provides this Congress with a great opportunity for a Green Collar Jobs Initiative to fund priority energy policies. It is time for Congress to turn its attentions to the vital policies within that can move this country towards energy independence and create new green collar jobs. With this in mind, we are writing to request that the budget provide full funding—\$7.5 billion—for a Green Collar Jobs Initiative which will fund priority alternative and renewable energy policies from the Energy Bill.

Funding a Green Collar Jobs Initiative will not only move us towards energy independence and provide a cleaner environment, but it can also bring about another important benefit: new, good-paying jobs. Investing in new green job opportunities will result in more energy efficient buildings, solar panels, wind turbines, advanced technology vehicles with advanced electric batteries, and renewable biofuels and energy.

The United States has the opportunity to improve our economy and global competitiveness by creating green jobs at home, in a growing sector that produces clean and efficient homes, appliances, vehicles, fuels, and energy. Investing domestically now will ensure we do not have to import renewable energy technologies such as solar, wind, and advanced biofuels. Moreover, with the right incentives we will have American workers and manufactures building the next generation of automobiles and advanced technology batteries. Overall, with all these new green industries, green job training can help many unemployed/underemployed workers find new and better-paying jobs.

While there are many programs in the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007, fully funding these priority areas will make a Green Collar Jobs Initiative a reality for 2009:

- Weatherization, Commercial Building Initiatives & Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grants
- Incentives for Advanced Battery Production and Storage Capability (vehicles, solar, wave and wind)
- Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Worker Training Program
- Loans for retooling factories for the production of advanced technology vehicles (i.e. hybrids, plug-ins hybrids and fuel cells)
- Advanced Biofuels Production and Infrastructure)

We sincerely appreciate your consideration of this request in addition to existing research and deployment initiatives. We look forward to working with you to provide a real commitment to energy independence and a clean environment, as well as, to spur the green jobs that will benefit our great nation.

Sincerely,

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| Date:    | 11/16/2008 8:17:09 AM                                                                              |
| Subject: | Call me asap                                                                                       |

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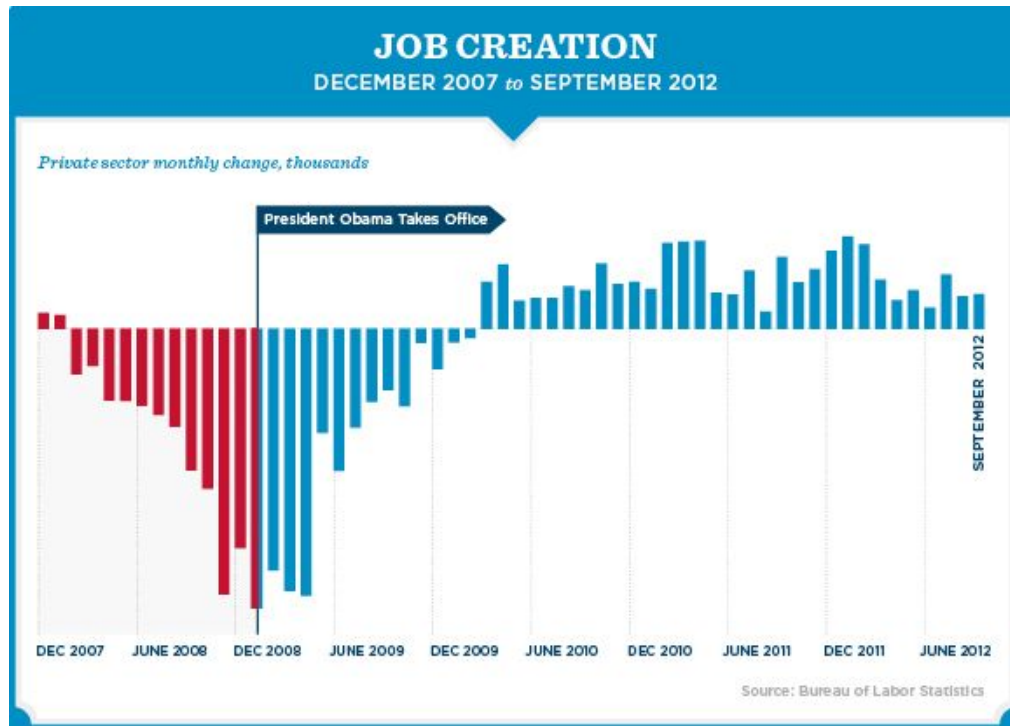
From: "Obama for America" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/27/2012 1:48:05 PM

Subject: Forward this →

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Every day from now until Election Day, we'll send you something that makes the case for voting for Barack Obama.

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If you like it, we ask that you share it with any friends, family members, and neighbors you know who are still making up their mind about who to vote for (and everyone knows some). All you have to do is pass it on -- forward it, share on Facebook, or on Twitter.

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With 10 days to go in this election, and millions of voters still making up their minds, it's the job of everyone who supports

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[richard\\_leon@dcd.uscourts.gov](mailto:richard_leon@dcd.uscourts.gov)

Date: 6/20/2014 9:52:44 AM

Subject: Congressional Investigations Final Paper

Attachments: Bryan Wood - Final Paper (6-20-14).docx

Judge Leon and Professor Podesta,

Attached is my final paper for the 6/20 deadline for non-graduating students. Please let me know if you need any additional resources from me.

Thank you for a great semester and have a good weekend.

Best Regards,

Bryan

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Mary S. Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/7/2015 1:09:19 PM  
Subject: Fwd: I'm darning socks tonight

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I lent Tamara my mittens

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From: "Tamara Fucile" <[fucilet@yahoo.com](mailto:fucilet@yahoo.com)>  
Date: Oct 7, 2015 8:06 PM  
Subject: I'm darning socks tonight  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Cc:

Hope Mary gets to your mittens soon.

Thanks again for a fabulous weekend. Despite getting horribly lost, I had a wonderful experience. Without question, one of my favorite races yet.

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Tom Matzzie" <tmatzzie@gmail.com>](mailto:tmatzzie@gmail.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/29/2007 10:19:38 AM

Subject: memo and follow-up (confidential)

John,

I read the memo. Good analysis. Here is my confidential--for your eyes only--review of the memo. It is negative on some things. So, please keep this as eyes only.

Overall, as I'm sure you are thinking I'd push more on building a campaign strategy. For example, should we continue to invest in big GOTV efforts in Pennsylvania? Or Oregon? Winning or losing will ride on that sort of analysis more than good tactical execution.

This is going to sound like I'm dwelling on the negative side but I just want to give you my straight due diligence. Here it is. There are a couple of small factual errors and assumptions about different groups that worry me. For example, I think we're over-selling the capacity of some of the America Votes groups. This is, in some ways, the big challenge we face. Where is the real capacity in expertise for the voter contact work? Figuring this out and getting it done in 2008 is our biggest challenge as a movement right now.

One overstatement worries me--USAction. They don't have a voter contact program, a political director, a voter file manager or the ability to run a program. I was really surprised to see them listed as a voter contact delivery vehicle. They certainly could, but they don't have that expertise right now. I've directed hundreds of thousands of dollars to them for advocacy work in the field. They are a good partner for advocacy.

I also think that Working America was significantly undersold and that the Labor movement's political issues are getting in the way. Having Working America funded at their capacity is probably the single most important voter contact investment that can be made in my view. This might explain the USAction issues. Anna is a long-time supporter of USAction. She might be trying to build their own thing through USAction as a rival to Working America. I think that would be a huge mistake. I was at the AFL-CIO for the birth and growing pains of Working America. It wasn't always pretty but after 8-9 months it was a thing of beauty. This is not something we should ask another group to figure out in the middle of the 2008 election. But let me be clear, if they can do it they should be funded. I just think there are other projects to fund first--like Working America.

I also think the memo was very uneven in how it treated the AFL-CIO. The work they did in 2006 was critical. SEIU also over-states their 2006 program. They barely showed up and when they did it was very late. I don't want to deride anybody's work. I'm just surfacing for you the labor politics I'm seeing develop here. This worries me if it diverts resources from important efforts. However if everybody has the resources they need, I know that the staff-level folks across all these organizations will work well together. But if we short-change the best people in the business, that would be a mistake.

Another small error, I appreciate the enthusiasm of First Tuesday Media but they didn't do any big work for VoteVets last year. I know because I supervised the production and ad buys for VoteVets last year. Their ads were shot by the MoveOn ad firm. First Tuesday fixed an edit for VoteVets on one ad. In full disclosure, I screwed up a business deal with First Tuesday earlier in the year when the second round of financing from Soros didn't come through. That is a relationship I need to fix. I handled that badly. I want to figure out a way to work with them. Maybe we can just bring all of these efforts together. I was enthusiastic to work with them until I didn't get another check from George.

On the good side of the memo. I think that Catalist and Atlas are well-run projects doing good work. Catalist is, finally, an important part of the progressive political architecture. There are some folks grumbling about it because of the costs. For example, ACORN is a little annoyed about costs. Donors need to start adding an "overhead charge" to help these groups use catalist.

Atlas is exciting because we'll have better vote goals and plans for how to pull them off than in the past. But, again, I worry about who will do the voter contact work.

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We badly need to find somebody to lead the Latino voter piece ASAP. That is so critical for 2008 and the long-term.

I'm also glad that you are driving the argument that we need the messaging capacity. If we can put the GOP candidate on defensive right out of the gate and then again mid-Summer it is a huge advantage.

So, that's my feedback on the memo. Considering it was 16 pages these are minor quibbles. But I wanted to call out the red flags. Because I am intimately familiar with all of these groups I can help do due diligence as needed. I've seen all their work up close and personal.

Next I will turn to the start-up plan and strategic memo for the messaging campaign. I will try to merge all of the projects mentioned together. My impression is that Rob McKay will work with whomever. He was in discussions with Wes and I. The key is that the entrepreneurs--you, me, Susan--need to make the jump.

Talk to you soon.

-Tom

From: ["Carlos Martinez MDPA" <crjmsomd@gmail.com>](mailto:crjmsomd@gmail.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 8/24/2015 12:39:40 PM

Subject: Las Vegas energy conference

Dear Mr. Podesta,

It was a pleasure meeting you at the Mandalay Bay convention center where President Obama just spoke. Thanks for allowing me to get a picture with you as well and listening patiently to President Obama's fairy god mother.

I have not been successful in meeting President Obama and getting a photo with him though. He forgot his fairy godmother, although, he recognized me today after 34 years as he smiled and waived after the speech. I still cannot believe I saw him for the first time after 34 years.

I am writing a book on this brief but life changing meeting for President Obama, his mom and his family and friends. I wanted to include his picture. I have just not been lucky enough to get a photo with him.

Can you please suggest which agent I should approach and how I can meet President Obama.

I wish you all the best with Mrs. Hillary Clinton's campaign. I'll pray for your success.

Take care and God bless.

Ranjana Regina Martinez

210-643-0792

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Cheryl Mills" <cmills@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <John.Podesta@ptt.gov>

"Sara Latham" <Sara.Latham@ptt.gov>

cheryl.mills@gmail.com

Date: 11/20/2008 12:19:02 PM

Subject: RE:

k – we'll figure it out

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Hillary Clinton for President

4420 North Fairfax Drive

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**From:** John Podesta [mailto:John.Podesta@ptt.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, November 20, 2008 7:17 PM

**To:** Cheryl Mills; Sara Latham; cheryl.mills@gmail.com

**Cc:** John Podesta; Maggie Williams

**Subject:** RE:

We can't live without something like that for 10 days and you can't either. Soften it up some but it makes no sense to delete.

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**From:** Cheryl Mills [mailto:cmills@hillaryclinton.com]

**Sent:** Thursday, November 20, 2008 7:11 PM

**To:** Sara Latham; cheryl.mills@gmail.com

**Cc:** John Podesta; williamsbarrett@aol.com

**Subject:** RE:

John –

our initial reaction is as follows below (but we will discuss with you at 8:30pm)

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**From:** Sara Latham [mailto:Sara.Latham@ptt.gov]

**Sent:** Thursday, November 20, 2008 6:51 PM

**To:** 'cheryl.mills@gmail.com'

**Cc:** John Podesta

**Subject:**

1. financial disclosure issues have been worked out [fine]
2. PE and HRC are in good substantive conversations [fine]
3. it's all but a done deal [DELETE/TAKE OUT]
4. there will be no formal announcement before thanksgiving [fine]
5. the full national security team is still being worked out [fine]

HRC to stick to - we are in good substantive conversations,  
any conversations I'm having are private, and I'm not going to comment any further

Philippe R to refer any inquiries to Stephanie Cutter / Dan Pfeiffer



From: "[Laura Benton](mailto:lbenton@pesyn.org)" <[lbenton@pesyn.org](mailto:lbenton@pesyn.org)>  
To: "[John Podesta](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 11/2/2015 6:12:17 AM  
Subject: Phone call

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Dear Mr. Podesta,  
Rabbi Schneier would like to schedule a phone call with you in the next couple of days. I would appreciate it if you would let me know when you may be available and I will put the call in the Rabbi's schedule.  
Thank you.

*Laura Benton*

Executive Assistant to Rabbi Arthur Schneier

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
[jgendelman@americanprogress.org](mailto:jgendelman@americanprogress.org)

Date: 10/31/2008 1:02:16 AM

Subject: Are you in today?

Would like to touch base about Jim's paper. Will be in at around 10 after outside meeting.

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## Election 2012: Sex, lies and videotape

By [Susan Brooks Thistlethwaite](#)



A man fills out paper work to participate in the final day of early voting at the Lancaster Board of Elections on Nov. 5, 2012 in Lancaster, Ohio. (AFP/GETTY IMAGES) President Obama's Christian faith, or the Mormon faith of Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney, did not become important issues after the primaries of election year 2012. Even the fact that Romney is a significant leader in the [Mormon Church](#) did not really emerge as noteworthy after he was selected as the GOP nominee.

There was, of course, faith activism all over the political and faith landscape. But the real "religious" questions of 2012 were theological. To me, the most important theological questions were: Are women fully human or not? Does lying matter and why? Is there one nation, or are there 47 percent of Americans who don't matter?

All of these questions were highly politically contested and religious interpretations figured prominently in those ideological struggles.

### Sex: War on Women

In 1949, French philosopher Simone de Beauvoir analyzed the persistence of women's inequality, calling women "[The Second Sex](#)." In the 2012 election year, this is better termed the "[War on Women](#)." The "War on Women" is a political designation for a host of Republican initiatives at the local, state and federal level to restrict women's rights, especially but not exclusively women's reproductive rights, that took central stage in 2012.

The "[War on Women](#)," however, is also a theological issue. The underlying presumption of those who would pursue policies that limit women's reproductive choices, or allow it to be legal for women to be paid less than men who do the same job, is that women are not of equal dignity and worth. They also presume that women do not have "freedom of conscience" and can exercise it equally well as men.

The important visual for the idea that 2012 was a year when the GOP was conducting a "War on Women" was the photo of [an all-male panel](#) on contraception conducted in House of Representatives. Sandra Fluke, a Georgetown University Law School Student, was excluded from the panel because, it was said, "the hearing wasn't about 'birth control,' it was about 'freedom of religion and conscience.'"

So, for me, as a Christian, that became a core theological question: Don't women have consciences? Don't women have religious freedom too?

The "War on Women" is, at its base, an attack on women's freedom and dignity. It had, however, so many manifestations in the 2012 election year, it is difficult to name them all. From Romney's [promises to defund Planned Parenthood](#), to the huge struggle in Virginia over an [internal ultrasound procedure](#), the "trans-vaginal probe," being required for women seeking an abortion, to how rape is "defined" as in the infamous comments by Rep. Todd Akin that "[legitimate rape](#)" rarely causes pregnancy that became such an issue in that Missouri Senate race, and beyond, there were numerous examples.

Theological polarization ran in parallel to political polarization and this was well illustrated per Akin and his views. [Progressive and moderate Christians contested](#) Akin's "legitimate rape" comments and the [religious right](#) supported him. The religious right is credited as the force that kept Akin in the race.

But the "War on Women" is not confined to reproductive rights issues. Workplace discrimination, and equal pay for equal work as now required in the [Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act](#) signed by President Obama, is another collection of political issues that are also theological issues. Are women human? Are they equal in theological dignity and worth?

At the end of the day, the host of issues dubbed "The War on Women" are theological issues having to do with, as in the Christian tradition, "male and female" being created in the image of God (Genesis 1:27). Theologically speaking, then, I believe women are equally and fully human in dignity and worth, women do have consciences, and they can act on their religious consciences and make informed moral choices about their reproductive lives.

### Lies: The "Post-truth" election

It is scarcely unusual for politicians to frame events and policies so that they can be claimed to support their views. [Thomas Jefferson](#), for example, in part interpreted prohibiting "establishment" of religion as a tax issue and got it included in the Constitution. Politicians have been widely known to state opinion as "fact" and ignore facts not of their liking. Yes, politicians have

even lied to get themselves elected. No one is shocked to hear this.

Election 2012, however, was the year of “post-truth.” For the first time, the idea emerged that political lying simply didn’t matter. This is a profound theological issue.

One political party, the Republican Party, put out statements and ads that were lies, that is, proven to be factually incorrect, and simply said it didn’t matter. And they did it over and over again, while denigrating “fact-checking.” The Romney campaign declined, as one surrogate said, to let their campaign “[be dictated by fact-checkers](#)”.

A false equivalence emerged, where [media outlets](#) often chose not to pursue the policy of repeated, systematic and deliberate lying by the Romney campaign and chose instead to focus on ‘they both do it.’

Politicians lie. It’s the case. But that’s not the story of the 2012 election. The story is the complete contempt Republicans showed for being caught in lies, and instead of issuing “corrections,” merely repeated the lie. An example of this kind of lying is the canard that after being elected, President Obama went on an “apology tour.” This lie was repeated over and over again, with relative impunity from the press. President Obama himself called out this lie as a “[whopper](#)” in the last presidential debate with Mitt Romney.

It’s not just hamburgers and fries that are supersized in America these days. The lies have been supersized as well. But it is not the size of the lie that is the deeply troubling theological issue. The issue is a spreading contempt for the idea that truth versus falsehood even matters.

In my view, this is the first “[post-truth](#)” election, and if it is allowed to continue, “Be warned: ‘post-truthfulness’ will inevitably bleed into all areas of our lives as a result, from intimate relations to our social and work lives. It is the essence of the amoral, where individuals or whole nations are unable to perceive or are indifferent to questions of right or wrong.”

Political lying as deliberate strategy, one can argue, was first crafted by Richard Nixon. Nixon developed the art of political lying throughout his campaign and his presidency, and continued to tell lies despite corrections. Richard Nixon began this as a candidate and pursued it through his deeply destructive presidency. According to Rick Perlstein, in “[Nixonland: The Rise of a President and the Fracturing of America](#),” lying was Nixon’s default, as “Nixon would lie about anything.”

“Post-truth,” defined as ‘lying doesn’t matter,’ needs to be called out and explicitly rejected as Republican policy. This needs to be done without false equivalence. Now, of course, any politician or party who deliberately lies should be called out and forced to issue a correction.

The future of “post-truth,” however, is not in the hands of politicians of either party. It is in the hands of the electorate and each voter needs to examine her or his conscience on this development.

Ask yourself this: don’t I, at some level, want my preferred version of reality to be true, even if it’s not? “Post-truth” works because people desire their own version of reality, and in the age of the Internet, you can get it if you want it.

Moral reasoning should lead you to reject that temptation.

### **Videotape: the 47 percent**

Election 2012 was the year Americans stopped being one people. Occupy Wall Street, the protest movement begun in the fall of 2011, contributed the language of the 1 percent, the American mega-rich, versus the rest of America, called the 99 percent. This language has entered the American lexicon and is the greatest success of Occupy.

The “47 percent” burst upon the 2012 political scene with the now [infamous videotape](#) of candidate Mitt Romney telling attendees at a “\$50,000-a-plate dinner that 47 percent of Americans—those who back President Obama—are ‘victims’ who are ‘dependent upon government’ and ‘pay no income tax.’ He noted: ‘My job is not to worry about those people. I’ll never convince them they should take personal responsibility and care for their lives.’” The [video went viral](#) and added the language of the 47 percent to the election lexicon.

This videotape summed up the deep, deep polarizations of the American political landscape today, a polarization that is, in fact, approximately 50-50.

Now, of course, the idea that Americans have always been ‘one people’ and suddenly we stopped is a myth, in fact itself a big lie. For nearly the first century of the democracy, we were legally a slave society and after that a nation of racial discrimination codified in laws called “Jim Crow,” as documented in an excellent PBS series, “[The Rise and Fall of Jim Crow](#)”.

In the 2012 election, a host of [voter disenfranchisement legislation](#) enacted at the state level in the 2012 election season is

bringing back the era of “Jim Crow.” It is an effort to deliberately create barriers for racial ethnic minorities and younger voters to able to legally vote.

Women were not part of “one people” until the passage of the 19th amendment in 1919 gave them the [right to vote](#) . The “[Equal Rights Amendment](#)” that would have prohibited unequal treatment under the law “on account of sex,” was not ratified, so it can be argued that women are still not fully part of one people. Lesbian, gay, bi-sexual and transgender Americans are legally discriminated against today despite the language of the 14th Amendment that guarantees “[equal protection under the law](#) .” Equal unless you are gay, that is.

The language of the 47 percent captures some of this broader American fragmentation in a better way than the 1 percent versus the 99 percent.

But beyond these specific divisions, a broader gulf is opening. It is the “makers versus the takers” ideology that reveals a morally untenable split in the nation.

In this emerging view, there can be no “war on poverty” argument where the idea is taking hold that those who are in need, who are elderly or very young, who are disabled, out-of-work or underemployed, or who are discriminated against deserve their unequal treatment. These “victims” deserve their victimization and unless help is denied to them they will not “take personal responsibility and care for their lives.”

In this perverse view, “helping the poor” will only harm them.

In my Christian faith, however, Jesus teaches that in caring for the hungry, the thirsty, the stranger, the sick and the prisoner you “did it to me,” that is, to Jesus himself. (Matthew 25:41) And when you fail to care for these, the poor, the sick, the suffering, you will be judged and condemned. (Matthew 25: 45-46)

It is a perversion of the Christian faith to argue that the “poor” deserve their fate and helping them is immoral. That is deeply, even profoundly, morally perverse.

### **Theology Matters:**

[Ada Maria Isasi-Diaz](#) , a significant Hispanic woman theologian, would frequently say, “La vida es la lucha.” Life is struggle.

This is the basis of the theological interpretation I bring to Election 2012. My Christian faith teaches me that history is a struggle between good and bad, between selfishness and generosity, between cruelty and compassion, and thus between right and wrong. I think an uncritical equivalence, whether political or theological, hides this struggle.

You have to choose.

By [Susan Brooks Thistlethwaite](#) | 06:19 PM ET, 11/05/2012

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Hi Linda.

Attached is an Evaluation agreement for a company called Thinking Phone Networks (TPN) which is a competitor to Star2Star in the VoIP over broadband space and at this point is looking like the more likely vendor to win the ABCR local market POTS line business based on product, pricing and ease of doing business. Along with the evaluation agreement is an order form which TPN also refers to as a Customer Service agreement (CSA). Please have these reviewed from a legal prospective. The Order form / CSA needs to be better tied into the Evaluation agreement. The following language from the Order Form signature page needs to be improved upon. I would definitely appreciate it if you could prioritize this request. With the potential savings opportunity, the voice operations team is anxious to start the pilot.

Thanks... Vinny

This sets forth the terms of the Customer Service Agreement ("Agreement") made this 29th day of June , 2015 , (the "Effective Date") by and between Thinking Phone Networks, INC ("THINKING PHONE NETWORKS"), and Avis Budget Car Rental, LLC ("Customer"). The term of this Agreement is per the Evaluation Agreement.

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John,

It's been clear from the very beginning of this race that power brokers in Washington are trying to rig the debate schedule and deny voters a chance to hear directly from the candidates.

Not only did they decree that we would have only four debates before the Iowa caucus, but also that these debates would be hidden on weekends and during the holiday season to discourage people from watching.

This morning, the situation got even worse. We learned that NBC is trying to further rig the rules and change standards for the last debate before the Iowa Caucus. They want to let pollsters decide which candidates voters like you can hear from.

This is not how our democracy is supposed to work. This isn't *The Apprentice*. Media executives in New York shouldn't be able to fire candidates from the debate stage or rig the rules for no good reason.

We should choose our President in a caucus room or voting booth, not through shady, smoke-filled backroom deals by elites in Washington and New York.

Voters in Iowa, New Hampshire, South Carolina, and Nevada won't stand for it, and I won't either.

I call on all of you to raise your voices and not let special interests take your decision away from you. Elections are decided by voters, not pollsters, party bosses, or the media.

Tweet now to say you think NBC should not get to make your decision for you:



Our political system is broken, and it's leaving too many Americans behind. I will never quit fighting to fix it.

Let's take a stand together and say "no" to letting special interests deny your right to hear from every Presidential candidate.

Thanks,  
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On Apr 5, 2015, at 10:36 PM, Kristina Schake <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)> wrote:

Also, we know it is not possible to review this entire Q & A by 8 am. We will flag the most important answers on the call for discussion, collect your additional feedback during the day, and send it to her by 5 pm tomorrow.

On Sun, Apr 5, 2015 at 10:05 PM, Kristina Schake <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)> wrote:

Attached is the long version of the Q & A for your review. We will discuss on our 8 am, collect edits tomorrow, and send to her tomorrow night.

On Sun, Apr 5, 2015 at 8:05 PM, Oren Shur <[orencshur@gmail.com](mailto:orencshur@gmail.com)> wrote:

Team –

Just a reminder, tomorrow at 8AM we'll start our regular Mon-Wed-Fri morning strategy check-in calls. Our thinking, based on feedback from a few of you, is that this would help keep the consultant team abreast of day-to-day press/strategic communications items and give all of us a quick chance to discuss other items that may otherwise fall through the cracks.

We figure some of these calls will be 5 minutes, others will take the full 30, depending on what's going on that day.

Items to discuss on tomorrow's call:

1. News clips – new system going forward
2. HRC's WED briefing
3. May launch – locations?
4. Long version Q/A doc

Thanks,

Oren



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Dear John,

I have an urgent request.

There are two critical decisions the Obama administration will make in the coming weeks. These decisions have the potential to save consumers billions of dollars at the pump, reduce our dangerous dependence on oil, and save thousands of lives.

As a member of LCV's Environmental Majority Council, we need your help to ensure that the administration moves ahead with the most protective health standard for smog and the strongest new vehicle efficiency standards.

**Reducing Smog, Saving Lives:** The current smog standard, set by the Bush administration in 2008 falls far short of what level scientists agree is needed to protect public health and has been challenged in court by public health and environmental organizations. The EPA has been working to strengthen the smog standard for over a year and after delaying action several times has set a late July deadline to announce a strengthened smog standard. We believe that the EPA and the White House are making these key decisions in the next couple of weeks.

**Advancing Cleaner Cars, Reducing Dangerous Oil Dependence:** The administration is currently considering the next round of car fuel efficiency and global warming pollution standards (from 2017 to 2025). Last year the administration finalized historic fuel efficiency standards for cars sold through 2016, which will save over 1.8 billion barrels of oil. In March, the President set a goal of reducing our nation's oil dependence by one-third by 2025. The single biggest step the administration can take to reach that goal is to set strong car efficiency standards that achieve at least 60 mile-per-gallon by 2025. Facing pressure from the auto industry, we are concerned that the White House may opt for a lower standard that won't deliver the innovation in car technologies or oil savings that we need.

**Make your voice heard by calling the White House switchboard at 202-456-1414 today.** Below is a sample of what we are urging our supporters to make clear to senior White House officials:

**Sample Message:**

I am calling about two opportunities to protect public health and reduce oil dependence that are very important to me. The first issue is the updated smog standard. The White House should let EPA Administrator Lisa Jackson set a national smog standard that follows the science, the law, and protects public health. Jackson has rightly said the current smog standards are "not defensible" and I want to see her issue a standard that truly protects public health this summer.

The second issue concerns the next round of car fuel efficiency standards. I strongly support the President's goal of reducing our nation's dangerous dependence on oil and the single biggest step he could take to achieve this goal would be setting fuel efficiency standards of at least 60 miles per gallon by 2025.

Please let us know if you are willing to make your voice heard. **The White House switchboard number is 202-456-1414**, and the key officials to contact are:

Richard Daley, Chief of Staff

David Plouffe, Senior Advisor

Jon Carson, Director of Public Engagement

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If you have any questions on these issues, please contact a member of our legislative team, either Tiernan Sittenfeld at [Tiernan\\_Sittenfeld@lcv.org](mailto:Tiernan_Sittenfeld@lcv.org) or (202) 454-4582, or Sara Chieffo at [Sara\\_Chieffo@lcv.org](mailto:Sara_Chieffo@lcv.org) or (202) 454-4581.

Thank you for your leadership and for all you do to protect our environment.

Warmly,

Gene

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Date: 2/5/2016 10:16:33 PM

Subject: Re: Edgar Mitchell's Passing

Amen  
He will be missed

On Friday, 5 February 2016 6:22 PM, Rebecca Hardcastle Wright <[rhardcastlewright@gmail.com](mailto:rhardcastlewright@gmail.com)> wrote:

Dear Friends,

I join with you as we each cherish our memories of Edgar--how he touched our lives, our world.

He ushered in the space age, the consciousness age and the zero point energy age.

And all with a kind spirit of peace and non-violence.

I am filled with gratitude for my days with Edgar and Quantrek. For the wisdom and grace that he generously gave to this Earth life.

And for the chance to know you through Edgar.

May his spirit rest in peace.

Love,  
Rebecca  
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From: "Judd Legum" <jlegum@gmail.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
Date: 11/18/2015 9:42:09 AM  
Subject: Heads up on the mayor of Roanoke

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Not mentioned in our story but he's on Hillary's Virginia Leadership committee.

<http://thinkprogress.org/immigration/2015/11/18/3723737/david-bowers-japanese-internment-syrian-refugees/>

From: ["On behalf of Wendell Potter" <info@education.progressnowcolorado.org>](mailto:info@education.progressnowcolorado.org)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/17/2011 4:27:08 AM

Subject: Join me at Health Care Day of Action!

 2011 Health Care Day of Action

Dear Friend,

Join me, along with hundreds of Coloradans, as we advocate for health care at the State Capitol on the one-year anniversary of the Affordable Care Act on [Wednesday, March 23rd](#).

You might know me from appearances on MSNBC, CNN, CBS, ABC, Air America and NPR. I'm a whistleblower who has exposed the deceptive practices of insurance companies who boost profits at the cost of leaving many Americans uninsured. Having spent 20 years working at CIGNA as the head of corporate communications and as chief corporate spokesperson, I know all about the industry's heartless and deceptive practices. I have revealed these strategic efforts to U.S. Senate and House committees, briefed members of Congress and spoken at numerous public forums.

Almost a year ago, President Barack Obama signed the Affordable Care Act - comprehensive health reform - into law. Already the law has helped hundreds of thousands of uninsured and underinsured Americans-- including individuals who can no longer be dropped from policies due to an expensive diagnosis, seniors who have seen prescription drug cost relief and young adults who can continue to be covered by their families until age 26.

I'm coming to Colorado next week to stand up for protections for Coloradans and against policies that keep Americans from getting the care they deserve. We've worked hard to bring comprehensive national reform to law - and now, we must work together to *bring health care home*.

[Click Here to Register Now!](#)

I hope that you will join me in-person on Wednesday, March 23rd 2011 at 8 a.m. for The Colorado Consumer Health Initiative's 5th Annual Health Care Day of Action: *Bringing Health Care Home*. From small businesses, to young adults, to individuals with pre-existing conditions, let's come together to work for access to *quality, affordable health care for all Coloradans*.

Sincerely,



Wendell Potter

 2011 Health Care Day of Action:  
Wendell Potter

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P.S. - Please visit the Health Care Day of Action webpage at <http://cohealthinitiative.org/health-care-day-of-action> for information like directions, an agenda and contact information.

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Date: 5/31/2015 10:54:29 AM

Subject: Secretary's bridging for policy meeting

Attachments: 2015.05.31 Briefing Book - Policy.pdf

Hi John-

This went to the secretary in prep for the 9:45 policy meeting tomorrow. It contains an agenda and materials to be reviewed during the meeting tomorrow.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,  
Milia

From: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)  
To: ["Craig Minassian" <craig@minassianmedia.com>](mailto:craig@minassianmedia.com)  
Date: 2/26/2015 12:41:52 AM  
Subject: Re: Posting

Got it - but we should remember obligation was on foundation to pre-approve, so it does have foundation exigencies that should be considered.

Happy to do a call later today if desired. My point was a larger one - should we get in practice of a place where folks can get foundation perspective on issue after issue (a sort of fact check place if you will).

cdm

> On Feb 26, 2015, at 7:05 AM, Craig Minassian <craig@minassianmedia.com> wrote:

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> We've discussed and I'd be very open to it.

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> We should remember that original response worked for two reasons. 1. It was one story that other outlets weren't really pursuing so we didn't have new follows ups every day with different angles. 2. WJC was able to address the core charge of financial mismanagement (remember the headline was something like "Unease of finances at CF". This seems a bit different which is the allegations are of conflict of interest story for her.

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> We also had facts about the steps we undertook to fix the finances that we being put in place but we don't have something new to say - yet - about what happens if she runs.

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> I'm not buying the COI premise but I would welcome ideas about what he could say to shut it down.

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> We could give stats on what the money went to most of it went CHAI and we've been handcuffed by the Ira problem.

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Feb 26, 2015, at 6:25 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> Wouldn't it be good to put up a response with the data like we did for times summer piece or do you think article is fine?

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>> cdm

From: ["Daniella Gibbs Leger" <daniellagibbsleger@gmail.com>](mailto:daniellagibbsleger@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/8/2016 9:02:23 AM

Subject: Happy birthday!!!

Happy birthday John!

Xo

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Sent from my iPad



From: ["Erica Payne, AP Action" <erica@agendaproject.org>](mailto:erica@agendaproject.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 7/23/2015 9:30:39 AM

Subject: Jeb Bush vs. Granny



John,

Remember [Granny and her fight against Paul Ryan?](#) We successfully stopped Ryan and his Republican friends from destroying Medicare as we know it - but now they're at it again.

Last night Jeb Bush [said publicly](#) that he wants to "phase out" Medicare, a program that literally keeps old people from dying.

Wow.

At least he's being honest. At least now Americans – 50 million of whom are on Medicare - can know exactly what they are voting for when they vote for people like Jeb Bush. And by "people like Jeb Bush" I mean Republicans. Republicans hate Medicare, they have always hated Medicare and they will not stop until they end Medicare.

If you want your grandmother to die, vote Republican. If you want your grandfather to die, vote Republican. It is less expensive than hiring a hit man. And don't believe that "voucher" nonsense. [Vouchers won't keep up with medical costs.](#)

Instead of letting Jeb Bush and his Republican friends "phase-out" Medicare, we need to phase-out Jeb Bush.

[Click here to contribute](#) and help us bring Granny back so she can roll over Jeb Bush and the Republican plans to destroy Medicare as we know it.

Together we can stop them.

Thanks for all you do,

Erica Payne  
Founder, AP Action / Creator of "Granny"

P.S. - [Click here to watch Granny again and share the video with your friends.](#) And if you can, [click here to chip in what you can to make sure that Granny can fight the Republicans in 2016 and beyond.](#)

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Date: 10/8/2008 6:10:17 PM  
Subject: Fw: John -- a question on FTC and transition

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

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From: Peter Swire <[peter@peterswire.net](mailto:peter@peterswire.net)>  
Date: Wed, 8 Oct 2008 07:55:50 -0700  
To: John Podesta<[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Subject: John -- a question on FTC and transition  
Hi John:

As I discussed with you a while ago, a great deal of my work over the past couple of years has been on issues concerning the FTC. The privacy and data security obviously, and my work at CAP and elsewhere on the Internet and the future of consumer protection. I also teach antitrust law, and my writing on antitrust and privacy has been picked up by Commissioners and staff as the way to think about those issues. In addition, this fall my seminar at Ohio State is a policy conference on how the FTC should respond to the hot issue of online/behavioral advertising.

I would be very glad to play a role on transition work concerning the FTC. Could you help me become engaged in that?

One specific reason for acting now is that I have been invited to speak on "The Future of the Bureau of Consumer Protection" on October 24. The FTC is holding a "FTC at 100: Toward Our Second Century" event. I think it would be good if my preparation for that talk could be integrated into whatever transition thinking would apply to the Bureau.

Much thanks for anything you can do here.

Best,

Peter

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To: "[John D. Podesta](#)" <[podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)>

Date: 3/7/2016 8:32:41 AM

Subject: TOMORROW, March 8th: Confirm your polling location



Dear John D.,

It's been incredible to watch Team Hillary set up shop in Michigan -- knocking on doors, making phone calls, and having real conversations about what's at stake in this election. She did a fantastic job in the debate last night, and I know she'll be just as strong in tonight's forum in Detroit.

Now it all comes down to primary day: Tomorrow — March 8th. **[If you're with Hillary, I need you to do this right now: Confirm your polling location.](#)**

Hillary's the only person in this race who we can trust to be ready to fight for us in the White House from day one, and we have to do our part to get her there.

**[Confirm your polling location now so you're ready to go on Tuesday.](#)**

Thanks,

Debbie Stabenow  
United States Senator

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Date: 12/13/2011 9:02:28 AM  
Subject: Re: You around for a call?

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give me a call if you can. 202-481-8128

On Wed, Dec 7, 2011 at 1:14 PM, Bruce Lindsey

<blindsey@clintonfoundation.org> wrote:

> Yes. 501-748-0424

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> On 12/7/11 11:59 AM, "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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From: "[Michele Flournoy](mailto:mflournoy@cnas.org)" <mflournoy@cnas.org>

To: "[John Podesta](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 8/13/2015 7:49:57 PM

Subject: Automatic reply: FW: USO 75th Anno Letter to President Clinton

I will be out of the office until August 31, 2015. If you need to reach my office before then, please contact my Special Assistant, Rebecca Edelston, at [redelston@cnas.org](mailto:redelston@cnas.org) . Thank you!

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/13/2014 1:33:41 PM

Subject: Re: Skype

Awesome. I did a 10 K today on humid 93 degree day. Dragging my ass

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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On Jul 13, 2014, at 1:42 AM, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I survived my nighttime 10k. We came in right around 8:00/miles. Turns out I was wrong about the temperature; it was still 100+ degrees when we set off at 830 pm. I woke up this morning pretty sore and dehydrated but glad to have done it (and on a supermoon night, no less). Hope you all had a great Saturday and enjoy a wonderful Sunday. Love and miss you.

On Sat, Jul 12, 2014 at 10:55 PM, Mary Podesta <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

Same. Same.

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**From:** Gabe Podesta [mailto:[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)]

**Sent:** Saturday, July 12, 2014 11:41 AM

**To:** Mary Podesta; John Podesta

**Subject:** Re: Skype

I'm glad our Skype date worked out. Have a great weekend and give Megan a big hug for me!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 12, 2014, at 2:49 PM, "Mary Podesta" <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

How about 9:30 our time?

**From:** Gabe Podesta [mailto:[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)]

**Sent:** Saturday, July 12, 2014 3:19 AM

**To:** Mary Podesta; [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

**Subject:** Skype

I'll be around your morning if you all are free. I am leaving the office around 2 pm my time (7 am for you guys). So mostly any time after that is good. Hope to catch you all! Gabe

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Gabe Podesta



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Gabe Podesta

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**Date:** 10/16/2015 4:15:00 AM

**Subject:** RE: Weekly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting

**Attachments:** Weekly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting 10.16.docx  
senior staff line block as of 101615.docx

Materials attached for our 11:30am meeting. New Hampshire conference room for those in HQ.

Thanks

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**Subject:** Weekly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting

**When:** Friday, October 16, 2015 11:30 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

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Date: 10/2/2015 9:54:18 AM  
Subject: Re: biden

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Adding Marlon. We should make those calls to Obama alums.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 4:53 PM, Margolis, Jim <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)> wrote:

Heard a few rumblings that Paul Tewes would manage a biden race.  
Not sure how reliable. Not sure whether it is "IF he runs" or "WHEN he runs".  
So don't put much weight on this.

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/20/2015 11:45:50 AM  
Subject: Quick favor



Dear John –

My father issued an important challenge: 1,000 donations to drive forward the Clinton Foundation's mission for a better world.

We're just a handful of gifts from reaching his goal. We are counting on you to be a part of this important moment.

As Vice Chair of the Clinton Foundation, this work is so important because I recognize the power of one voice, one force for change, to make an impact in the life of someone else – and for that impact to ripple outward, often far beyond what anyone initially imagined.

Will you give now to help us reach 1,000 donations and show you still support our vision for changing and saving lives through the Foundation?

[Click here to stand with the Clinton Foundation by making your tax-deductible gift to support our life-changing work.](#)



Through the global work of the Clinton Foundation, we try every day to change someone's life.

Your gift is an investment in proven solutions for the people who need them the most. Will you step up now to help us meet our goal and reach as many people in as many places as possible?

I hope you will support our life-changing work.

Thank you,

Chelsea

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Date: 1/17/2016 3:13:59 AM  
Subject: Re: Crossroads ad

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Yes. On it

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 17, 2016, at 10:07 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> can you figure out whether the ad comes from their 527 and if so can we find some donors from Wall Street who are contributors to Crossroads

From: ["Ronald Lester" <ronlester711@aol.com>](mailto:ronlester711@aol.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/18/2015 4:26:45 AM

Subject: Thank for coming and listening

The meeting served an important purpose and the Members feel better.

Some of the Members just want to vent because they are getting pressured by their people to get involved in the campaign. They mean well.

They just want to be more involved and that's great but it's very difficult to explain that Iowa, New Hampshire, SC and Nevada are the campaign's top priorities now and you have to run these Presidential campaigns state by state and not jump too far ahead.

Congressman Cleaver is a leader and former CBC Chair and he wants to be helpful in facilitating communication with the Caucus in a quiet way.

I spoke with him after the meeting and we are going to have lunch next week.

Coming from Kansas City he is only a few hours away from Iowa by car.

He has been there before for us and is looking forward to going back again.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["John Anzalone" <john@algpolling.com>](mailto:john@algpolling.com)

Date: 2/16/2015 4:11:23 AM

Subject: Re: First Draft of Policy Poll

A few additional thoughts post call:

Q7 picking up on Binder, should we use some formulation like climate change and the environment.

Q14 investment point I made on the call--apples and oranges in the Q

Q15n cutting taxes for two income families seems weird, maybe supporting families by cutting taxes for households with two earners.

Q23 education bank is pretty standard fare. This is probably more a policy than a polling question, but we should probably do something more innovative maybe around technology access there.

Q28 I don't get the first half of the [question.is](#) that pie in the sky or are you testing a specific policy?

Q30f should we straightforwardly test whether all income should be taxed at the same rate whether earned or capital gains?

Q30m cant imagine people will know what high frequency traders are so this will just be testing that sort of sounds evil (which it is) but I don't think the answer tells us much.

Q32/33 climate questions without clean air and reducing asthma likely don't test intensity of the way this will play out in campaign. Recent Nyt polling amongst Latinos interesting on that point.

Q40 on free trade, my own view is this is sort of a dog, but should we try to test the proposition that trade deals are bad unless they have high standards on labor and the environment.

Sorry to run on.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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On Feb 13, 2015, at 7:17 PM, John Anzalone [john@algpolling.com](mailto:john@algpolling.com) > wrote:

Team HRC

Attached you will find the first draft of the Policy Poll. There is a lot going on in this poll and a lot that we all want to know but naturally there are time limitations on what we can do in one instrument. We will have future policy polls that will build on this one and dive deeper into specific issue areas.

We are attempting to do several things in this poll:

- 1: Measure the importance voters put on different issues
- 2: Measure isolated support or opposition of policy proposals
- 3: Determine the prescriptions that voters have when policy proposals are stacked against each other
- 4: And on some issues, see if proposal stand up to opposition arguments.

We have also focused on the following issue areas — almost all economic related:

- 1: General Issue salience (most important issue that leaders should focus on)
- 2: Importance of new investments in a variety of areas that could help families and the economy
- 3: The importance of different policy proposals to improve the economy and incomes
- 4: Dissecting the needs of small businesses and what is needed to help them succeed and grow
- 5: Proposals that would improve public education (K-12) and college debt
- 6: Tax reform and tax policy options (OK, tax increases)
- 7: Climate changed focused mostly on the Pollution Tax (carbon tax), including opposition arguments
- 8 Paid Family Leave including opposition arguments



9: Baseline measure on trade

10: Proposals for retirement security

That is a lot for one poll and it is certainly too long but we wanted people to be able to get the full flavor or issues we have discussed on past policy calls and strategy meetings. This will allow us to put issues side by side and then make decisions on priorities and what we might be able to wait for future polls.

As you review think to yourself what might not be needed in this round of research. If you feel strongly that there are items missing that should be included please be ready to let us know what you would cut to fit it in the poll.

I also want to give a shout out to the Policy Team. Their memos, calls and endless emails we sent to Jake, Dan and Ethan have been invaluable and we could not have put this draft together without your effort. Thank you.

We have a call on Monday which gives everyone the weekend to kick the tires (Happy Valentines). Feel free as you review and ponder to shoot me, Jeff Liszt, and Matt Hogan, an email on your comments and suggestions (and questions) and then we can attempt to put a second draft together before the call. That would make the call more efficient.

Thanks for everyone's time and effort.

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Date: 9/21/2008 9:54:54 AM

Subject:

John –

A couple of updates:

1. The team had call this morning to discuss our work in light of recent market developments. Bill will also be coordinating with Jason.
2. On October 2<sup>nd</sup>, we are having a “dress rehearsal” for our October 17<sup>th</sup> Review Board meeting.
3. For the October 17<sup>th</sup> meeting, we’ve confirmed Reich, Rubin, Mulcahy, Ferguson, Tyson. Summers and Volker have been invited and are trying to work our schedules.
4. We think it would be helpful to have a dialogue with the team working on cap and trade. Jack Lew will coordinate from our end. Could you please let us know with whom he should work on the energy side?

Thanks,

Josh

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Subject: Confirmed -- Meeting with HRC on Thursday April 23rd

Meeting with HRC to discuss Paid Media & Strategy

Thursday, April 23rd

3:00pm-4:00pm

HRC Personal Office

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Please let me know if you have any questions, thank you.

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**Date:** 10/30/2015 11:41:42 AM  
**Subject:** FW: Personal/Hillary Rodham Clinton  
**Attachments:** A\_Dream\_Come\_True.pdf

Dear John and Huma,

Great human interest story from Dr. Ed Salmon who supported Hillary and our event Tuesday evening. Hillary was deeply moved..Best' John.

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**Subject:** Personal/Hillary Rodham Clinton

Thought you would appreciate an update on our attendance at the Birthday Party for Hillary at the residence of Phil and Barbara Sellinger in Morristown, New Jersey on Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. We have worked with and for the Clintons since 1992.

My wife Marilyn, our granddaughter Erica and I had a wonderful evening, an opportunity to talk with Hillary and photos of our granddaughter Erica with Hillary.

This was a very special and joyful time for our granddaughter. Erica and her three sisters were adopted from an orphanage in Acuna, Mexico by our daughter and son-in-law. Without the help of Secretary of State Hillary Clinton, the adoption of these four orphan sisters would not have happened. We will always be eternally grateful to her.

Having been adopted at the age of 6 from an orphanage in York, Pennsylvania, I know the importance of having a family who loves and supports you. Their three year journey in Faith is an amazing story of Christian Love, never giving up and overcoming the impossible. Attached please find the details.

Hillary's remarks that evening were sensational. She is so much better prepared to be President than she was in 2008. Her performance in the first debate, her performance in the congressional hearing and her performance at the birthday party were all Presidential!

Kindest regards,

Ed

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Date: 5/18/2015 11:55:22 PM  
Subject: You'd think...

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After 31 years and knowing that they sell out as fast as a Beyonce concert, that the Army 10 miler would have proper web capacity at this point. But registration is slowly chugging along on my phone (computer keeps getting website down errors), so should be done shortly.

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Date: 6/12/2015 9:50:35 AM  
Subject: Iraqi-Kurdish refugee intro at Marguerite Thompson's house

Dear John,

It was beyond a pleasure to meet you and speak with you last week at Marguerite's house. It is so inspiring to be part of this movement to get Hillary elected, something I've been dreaming of since my family and I were evacuated to the US by President Clinton after my father was assassinated by Saddam's regime in front of our eyes. She's the inspiration that made me realize public health is the way to take responsibility for my part of the world, and not take this American Dream for granted. And I literally used to watch her speeches on my computer as prep, when I was with PEPFAR and later USAID, after coming back from WHO & UNDP in Iraq.

I meant to write immediately last weekend, but unfortunately had a shoulder injury just the next day, and I'm just recovering from it (and the anti-inflammatory medicines). But I did make it to the event with Robby last night, and I was glad to be part of that support platform, and also meet Amanda in person, with whom I'm following up to work on Virginia diaspora relations for the campaign. I'm currently working on a few startups and new NGOs, one of them on countering extremism through youth engagement, entrepreneurship, and economic growth in Iraq, and the other two across global LGBT civil society capacity building, and HIV vaccine.

I know you're quite busy and I'm just happy to have met you after so many years of professionally stalking your work in service of our country and also CAP--a place I would love to be a part of some day--but I do hope to keep in touch and see you and talk more about how I can help now with fundraising, comms, and operations and later with Middle East, global health, and inclusive economic growth.

Sincerely,

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Date: 10/2/2015 10:22:26 AM  
Subject: Media Inquiry

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Eric:

President Obama stated today at his news conference that Democratic voters who support gun control should vote against Democratic Senators and Members of Congress who oppose gun control, acting as one-issue voters as the president put it, for a few election cycles.

My question for an upcoming column is:

Is the president aware that his plan will lead to the election of more Republicans to the Senate and House after the next election, and does the president therefore believe that the election of more Republicans to the House and Senate after the 2016 elections would be a desirable outcome?

Thx in advance for your response. Brent

Sent from my iPad

From: "Alan Franklin, ProgressNow Colorado" <info@progressnowcolorado.org>

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Date: 8/24/2013 4:30:13 AM

Subject: Disgraceful

! ProgressNow Colorado

Dear Neighbor,

The right wing is going off the rails in Colorado.  
[Are you ready to fight back?](#)

Earlier this week, Republican Sen. Vicki Marble of Fort Collins shocked the entire room in a poverty reduction hearing, launching into a rambling speech about "problems in the black race" with diet and health, even though "everybody loves" chicken and barbeque "down south." She then discussed how "Mexicans in Mexico" are "much thinner down there than they are up here." As of this writing, Sen. Marble has refused to apologize despite growing nationwide outrage over her blatantly racist remarks--telling a reporter "I went there because somebody had to start the dialogue." [1]

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And here's the real shocker: the same people who brought you Sen. Vicki Marble are promoting the radical, wasteful recalls of two Colorado Senators--whose only offense was doing their jobs.

In 2012, Sen. Marble defeated a moderate Republican in a bitter primary with help from the Rocky Mountain Gun Owners--the same extremist pro-gun group running TV ads against Senate President John Morse today in the recall elections. [2] In recent years, the influence of groups like RMGO has pulled the Colorado Republican Party farther and farther to the right, and Sen. Vicki Marble is a perfect example of the consequences.

Enough is enough. [Sign our pledge, hosted by our partners at MoveOn.org, to reject the influence of RMGO and the radical right in Colorado](#)--from Sen. Vicki Marble's racist babble to the radical, wasteful recalls in Colorado Springs and Pueblo.

In only two and a half weeks, Colorado faces a test: are we a state that elects disgraces like Vicki Marble while recalling good public servants and community leaders, or are we better than that?

[Sign our pledge: show everyone that Sen. Marble and the extremists pushing these recalls do not speak for Colorado.](#) We'll be in touch with more ways to take action in the critical weeks ahead.

Thank you,

Alan Franklin



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FINAL signed, and you have the original

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**From:** Katie Johnson  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 16, 2008 12:20 PM  
**To:** Sara Latham; Valerie Jarrett  
**Cc:** Katherine Branch  
**Subject:** RE: Final MOU - Signed by BRL -- Seeking VJ signature [REVISED SIGNED COPY - USE THIS ONE]

Here is a final signed copy.

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**From:** Sara Latham  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 16, 2008 8:31 AM  
**To:** Valerie Jarrett  
**Cc:** Katie Johnson; Katherine Branch  
**Subject:** FW: Final MOU - Signed by BRL -- Seeking VJ signature [REVISED SIGNED COPY - USE THIS ONE]

Valerie, I think John emailed you about this yesterday, but apologies if you are seeing this for the first time.

Attached is the MOU for the Clinton foundation which needs your signature, it would be great if you could sign this and pdf it back to us this morning.

At the request of the Chairman and Ranking of the Senate Foreign Relations Comm., we plan to deliver a confidential copy of the MOU this afternoon and have a briefing on it tomorrow morning with Kerry and Lugar staff. So we'd like to have the signed copy to go to the Hill.

thanks,  
Sara

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**From:** Todd Stern  
**Sent:** Friday, December 12, 2008 2:24 PM  
**To:** John Podesta  
**Cc:** Tom Perelli; Sara Latham  
**Subject:** FW: Final MOU - Signed by BRL -- Seeking VJ signature [REVISED SIGNED COPY - USE THIS ONE]

This is the Foundation agreement (not the WJC business letter to State) that requires Valerie's signature. Tom and I both reviewed and signed off on it.

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**From:** Cheryl Mills [<mailto:cmills@hillaryclinton.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, December 12, 2008 2:01 PM  
**To:** Cheryl Mills; Todd Stern  
**Cc:** Bruce Lindsey; Doug Band1; Tom Perelli; John Podesta; Jake Sullivan  
**Subject:** RE: Final MOU - Signed by BRL -- Seeking VJ signature [REVISED SIGNED COPY - USE THIS ONE]

Revised – signed by BRL (corrected two typos: 18 USC 208 instead of 5 USC 208; deleted extra comma after its in Alliance for a Healthier Generation.

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**From:** Cheryl Mills  
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**To:** Todd Stern  
**Cc:** 'Bruce Lindsey'; Doug Band1; Tom Perelli; John Podesta; Jake Sullivan1  
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Todd

Attached is the final version with Bruce's signature – can you get Valerie to sign today and send me back a PDF version?

We will then coordinate on when we have to send it to the Hill so you all know when it goes with her other material.

thanks so much.

cdm

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Date: 8/29/2014 8:10:45 AM

Subject: sick of it

John:

I'm sick of John Boehner and the Tea Party.

They're tossing common sense out the window and playing politics with our country. Boehner is wasting OUR money suing the president! In fact the Tea Party - led by non-other than Sarah Palin - is calling for Obama's impeachment!

We need more Democrats in the House to stop this crazy talk once and for all. My friends at House Majority PAC - the only super PAC dedicated to electing more Democrats to Congress - are going to be the ones who make sure we can kick Boehner out of the speaker's chair and the rest of the Tea Party out of Congress.

**[The FEC filing deadline is just 48 hours away. They asked me to send you a note to see if you would give your support. So, John, can you click here and donate to House Majority PAC today?](#)**

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There's so much we could do if President Obama had a Democratic majority - but we can't move the ball forward if House Majority PAC can't fight back against the onslaught of the Koch brothers' Tea Party money.

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- Jim

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Send me a link if that's easiest.

On Monday, August 3, 2015, Eryn Sepp <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)> wrote:

+ Milia for awareness, in case I spontaneously combust. They're available online. I can pull them for you today if you like.

I have an 11 am - 12 pm call with Equitable Growth but can do after that.

On Mon, Aug 3, 2015 at 10:34 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

can you check with ASG about whether they are sending the working papers out in advance and whether I can get an electronic copy. Thanks.

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Date: 8/12/2015 1:22:31 AM

Subject: Senior Staff Meeting - Policy Presentation

Attachments: Policy Outreach Discussion with HFA Senior Staff\_8.12.15.pptx

Dear all,

Please see the attached slides, which the policy department will present during this morning's 9AM Senior Staff meeting, detailing the HFA policy outreach strategy.

Many thanks!  
Kate

From: ["Brian Fallon" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 8/24/2015 2:23:35 AM  
Subject: Re: Ruth Marcus

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That is a very good point.

On Monday, August 24, 2015, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

For whatever it's worth, I feel like there's a decent chance that citing Ruth Marcus to her will be counterproductive. She could easily seize on that to say we're captive to Beltway groupthink (I hope that's not true!) DMR is better as a proof point and if Anzo's comment about voters is backed up by data, I imagine that would be helpful as well.

From: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/7/2015 5:56:03 AM

Subject: Monroe

Hi John

Since we're moving forward on the Keystone decision, I think it would be helpful to have Mike on the 4:30pm policy call today. Not that we can script how Wednesday goes, but I think Mike can be helpful as we prep for the audience with this announcement.

Any objection to including him now? I just want to make sure you're ok.

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Nikki Budzinski  
Labor Outreach Director  
Hillary for America  
646-854-1442 (direct)

From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

To: [H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:H_hdr29@hrcoffice.com)  
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/20/2015 2:48:57 PM

Subject: Analytics Communications Nightly Report 2015 07 20.pdf

Attachments: .txt  
Analytics Communications Nightly Report 2015 07 20.pdf

Nightly report attached.

From: ["Ann Kirkpatrick" <info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com>](mailto:info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/21/2014 1:13:36 PM

Subject: re: out of options

john, this is critical. see below:

-Ann

----- Original Message -----

**[We need your urgent support. Here's why:](#)**

- Boehner's dumped a shocking \$3,000,000.00 on the Arizona airwaves to attack Ann
- a right-wing outside group just piled on \$1 MILLION more
- our race against Andy Tobin remains TIED

**We're out of options:** there's just 44 days left and we're running out of time to break the tie.

We can get back on track -- and hand Boehner an agonizing defeat -- but only if every person reading this email steps up for Ann before tomorrow's critical ad buy deadline.

John, are you in?

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Thanks,

Arizonans for Ann

Paid for by Kirkpatrick for Arizona

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10/18/2016



From: "Dylan Byers" <DByers@politico.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/14/2015 1:01:45 PM

Subject: Fw: Psychosis of the media

Hi John --

Just tracked down this gmail address, which I assume is the one you actually use... do you want to comment/clarify your remarks on the psychosis of the media, etc? (see below)

Dylan Byers  
Media Reporter, POLITICO  
cell: 571-269-1882  
email: dbyers@politico.com

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**From:** Dylan Byers  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 14, 2015 3:39 PM  
**To:** [jpodesta@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpodesta@hillaryclinton.com)  
**Subject:** Psychosis of the media

Hi John,

This is Dylan Byers at POLITICO -- I'm wondering if you'd like to comment on this report <http://conservativeblackchick.com/blog/2015/07/14/overheard-at-the-liquor-store-hillarys-worried-about-jeb/>, and specifically if you'd like to clarify your remarks about the "psychosis of the media"?

I'm at 571-269-1882 if phone is easier,

My best,  
Dylan

Dylan Byers  
Media Reporter, POLITICO  
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email: dbyers@politico.com



From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/6/2014 8:30:29 PM

Subject: Re: New Republic Exodus: Dozens Of Editors Resign Over Management Changes

I agree. I was just venting. Probably for two reasons.

1 all that talent

2 the arrogance and naïveté of the new owner and pals. He was a roommate of Zuckerberg-ergo a genius.

Sent from my iPad

> On Dec 6, 2014, at 5:45 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Not sure this makes sense. More emotional than strategic.

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> JP

> --Sent from my iPad--

> john.podesta@gmail.com

> For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

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>> On Dec 6, 2014, at 3:13 PM, "Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org> wrote:

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>> Does it make sense to bring the folks who resigned together and create a new "The New Republic". Probably could put together a group of funders.

>> Questions to answer include:

>> How much money would it take? To put it together and then to keep it going?

>> Did these magazines have any value in the past and, if they did, do they have value in the new digital world? If yes, what is the value added?

>> Is TNR any different than the American Prospect and does AP have any value?

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>> It appears that many of those who resigned are involved with The American Prospect and/or the New Yorker and/or The NY Review of Books.

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>> [http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2014/12/05/new-republic-resignations\\_n\\_6275810.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2014/12/05/new-republic-resignations_n_6275810.html)

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>> Sent from my iPad

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From: ["Marlon Marshall" <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 8/27/2015 7:25:53 AM

Subject: Re: REVISED DRAFT: DNC remarks tomorrow

Just add "and the territories" after 50 states

On Aug 27, 2015, at 2:23 PM, Robby Mook [re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com) > wrote:

Two things:

1. Shouldn't we broaden the sentence below to incorporate the numerous shootings that have happened in the last 48 hours?

"I want to talk about that for a minute, because after the terrible events of Wednesday, with two journalists killed on live television, we're reminded again of the terrible consequences."

2. Expanded the end a bit--you get the idea:

I need your help. In all 50 states. Because I'm not taking a single primary voter or caucus goer for granted. From Alabama to Wyoming and every state in between, we are organizing hundreds of thousands of volunteers nationwide for this primary, building an organization that can win races up and down the ticket. Not just in the blue states, but in the so-called red states. Because every office matters--and every state party matters--every one. When our state parties our strong, we win. It's that simple. And I hope you will join me -- because we're building something that will last, and keep winning races long after next November.

On Thu, Aug 27, 2015 at 1:24 PM, Megan Rooney [mrooney@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com) > wrote:

Hi all. Here's a revised draft of HRC's remarks for tomorrow. She asked me to basically go back to the Wing Ding draft near-verbatim, which I've done, minus the emails and Benghazi, plus more on gun violence and Democratic party building. I've already sent this to her, and she's responded positively, so that's good.

If you have any comments, could you please get them to me by 6pm?

Thanks!

Megan

From: ["Gabriel Guerra" <guerraassociates@yahoo.com>](mailto:guerraassociates@yahoo.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/10/2015 7:21:59 AM

Subject: Re: Guerra

Please call me 917 8221210 Gabriel

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 9, 2015, at 10:06 PM, Gabriel Guerra <guerraassociates@yahoo.com> wrote:

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> John please call me new and important issue. Sorry I missed you Monday night.

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> Sent from my iPhone

From: "Tony Carrk" <[tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com)>  
To: "Ron Klain" <[ron.klain@revolution.com](mailto:ron.klain@revolution.com)>  
"Karen Dunn" <[karen.l.dunn@gmail.com](mailto:karen.l.dunn@gmail.com)>  
"John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 1/16/2016 7:12:23 AM  
Subject: Fwd: CLIP | Gowdy Statement on Benghazi Movie

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Tyson Brody <[tbrody@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tbrody@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: January 16, 2016 at 2:06:40 PM EST  
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Subject: Fwd: CLIP | Gowdy Statement on Benghazi Movie

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From: Jeremy Massey <[jmassey@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jmassey@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: Sat, Jan 16, 2016 at 2:05 PM  
Subject: CLIP | Gowdy Statement on Benghazi Movie  
To: Research <[research@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:research@hillaryclinton.com)>

Posted to Facebook. He's continuing to hit on the stand down order

<https://www.facebook.com/RepTreyGowdy/posts/1054497231273593>

The movie "13 Hours: The Secret Soldiers of Benghazi" is now in theaters. I have not seen it, but the Select Committee on #Benghazi has interviewed a majority of the authors who wrote the book on which the movie is based. If anyone is entitled to tell the world what happened there on the night of September 11, 2012, it's the heroes who fought and bled to save American lives and the people who witnessed the terrorist attacks firsthand. That's why the Benghazi Committee has interviewed seven eyewitnesses to the attacks that had never before been interviewed by Congress.

There are witnesses who say there was a "stand down" order, and there are witnesses who say there was not. I respect everyone who serves our country, especially those who did so in one of the most dangerous places in the world. I wasn't there, so the best I can do is tell the American people what the witnesses say and then let you determine what to believe.

As soon as the Benghazi Committee receives the documents it has requested, and as soon as we have been able to interview everyone we think we need to hear from, we will release a report that explains all of the new information we have learned from our investigation. The facts matter, and we're going to get them.

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Research Department

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10/18/2016



From: ["Melanie Hart" <mhart@americanprogress.org>](mailto:melanie.hart@americanprogress.org)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/9/2015 6:54:40 PM

Subject: Ambassador Cui Requesting JDP Meeting

Hello John,

Ambassador Cui is requesting a meeting with you. Passing on the inquiry below from his team. Haven't bugged them for more detail about what he hopes to discuss, would be happy to do so if that's helpful. Copying Milia.

If you do take the meeting it would be great to mention how much we appreciated his embassy's assistance reaching out to Beijing offices for our CAP trips in March and June of this year.

Hope all is well on your other project.

Melanie

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Melanie M. Hart, Ph.D.  
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Center for American Progress  
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Cell: (202) 294-6118

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**From:** liangding <liangding@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, November 9, 2015 5:18 PM

**To:** Melanie Hart

**Subject:** Re: Re:Re: Re:CAP China Climate Delegation June 2015

Dear Melanie,

Ambassador Cui Tiankai would like to have a meeting with Mr. Podesta at his earliest convenience. We don't know if he has a scheduler now, so could you please help us convey this meeting request? Amb. Cui would like to talk about the China-U.S. relations and other issues of mutual interest.

Thank you and we look forward to your kind reply.

Best,

Liang

From: ["Benjamin Jones" <benjamin@hildebrandtewes.com>](mailto:benjamin@hildebrandtewes.com)

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["Ira Arlook" <ira@fenton.com>](mailto:ira@fenton.com)

["Trevor Fitzgibbon" <tfitzgibbon@fenton.com>](mailto:tfitzgibbon@fenton.com)

Date: 11/5/2008 9:03:03 AM

Subject: RE: Iraq escalation campaign

Great analysis. Thanks for sending Tom. Our firm was very happy to be involved in 07. Thanks

-----Original Message-----

From: [tmazzie@gmail.com](mailto:tmazzie@gmail.com) [<mailto:tmazzie@gmail.com>] On Behalf Of Tom Matzzie

Sent: Wednesday, November 05, 2008 3:09 PM

To: John Podesta; John Podesta; Anna Burger; Anna Greenberg; Wes Boyd; Eli Pariser; Nita Chaudhary; John Hennelly; Brian Katulis; Tara McGuinness; Brad Woodhouse; Jeff Blum; Jon Soltz; Moira Mack; Benjamin Jones; Cara Morris Stern; Stan Greenberg; Morton Halperin; Ira Arlook; Trevor Fitzgibbon  
Subject: Iraq escalation campaign

Friends,

I spent a little time today going through results from Senate and House races and comparing them to our Iraq work in 2007. (See lists below.) Of the 23 wins that the DCCC has so far, 19 of them were AAEL/Iraq Summer targets in 2007. This obviously constitutes the bulk of the House wins this year. Among these districts most of them had paid organizers in them, all of them had our calling program going into them, some of them had advertising in them. Most were Iraq Summer targets as well.

In the Senate, the Iraq Campaign in 2007 targeted seven senators in-cycle. Four of them were defeated. There were other Iraq Senate targets who were not in-cycle. And other competitive Senate races this year that were not Iraq campaign targets.

It is a record to be proud of.

While obviously the work we did was advocacy, the public did fulfill part of the promise of "political extinction."

With president-elect Obama we can now hope and pray for peace.

-Tom Matzzie

#### Nineteen of 2007's Iraq Campaign House Targets Retired or Were Defeated

CO-4: Marilyn Musgrave (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
CT-4: Chris Shays (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
FL-24: Tom Feeney (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
FL-8: Ric Keller (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
IL-11: Jerry Weller (retired, Democratic pickup)  
MI-7: Mark Walberg (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
MI-9: Joe Knollenberg (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
NC-8: Robin Hayes (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
NJ-3: Frank Lobiondo (retired, Democratic pickup)  
NM-1: Heather Wilson (retired, Democratic pickup)  
NM-2: Steve Pearce (retired, Democratic pickup)  
NV-3: Jon Porter (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
NY-25: Jim Walsh (retired, Democratic pickup)  
NY-29: Randy Kuhl (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
OH-1: Steve Chabot (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
OH-16: Ralph Regula (retired, Democratic pickup)  
PA-3: Phil English (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
VA-11: Tom Davis (retired, Democratic pickup)  
VA-2: Thelma Drake (defeated, Democratic pickup)

Senate--4 of 7 in-cycle senators were replaced with a Democrat

NC-Sen: Elizabeth Dole (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
NH-Sen: John Sununu (defeated, Democratic pickup)  
VA-Sen: John Warner (retired, Democratic pickup)  
NM-Sen: Pete Domenici (retired, Democratic pickup)  
MN-Sen: Norm Coleman (too close to call)  
ME-Sen: Susan Collins (Did not defeat)  
KY-Sen: Mitch McConnell (Did not defeat)  
CO-Sen: Not targeted on Iraq  
OR-Sen: Not targeted on Iraq  
AK-Sen: Not targeted on Iraq  
GA-Sen: Not targeted on Iraq



From: ["Tom Perriello" <info@johndouglassforcongress.com>](mailto:info@johndouglassforcongress.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/27/2012 6:23:05 AM

Subject: remember when?

John --

How easy it is to forget that at this time four years ago, I was considered a long-shot at best, being out-pollled and out-spent by an incumbent and dismissed by the pundits. **But I remember when you came through for me.**

**Now, John Douglass – who has fought battles much tougher than my 2008 victory – has a real shot to defeat Congressman Robert Hurt and deliver a major blow to the corporate-controlled Congress that has disappointed and downright frightened 90% of the American people.**

Sunday night is the most important FEC deadline John's campaign will face. This is the time when my campaign turned the tide, and everyone knows John has the tenacity and commitment to economic fairness to do his part. But all eyes right now are on us – will we have his back and give him the resources to win this race. They are just \$7,450 away from their goal – and we have the power to get him over this line.

**[Can you chip in today? Even \\$5 can go a long way to showing our people-powered movement can trump the billionaire-backed Republican attack on Medicare, moms, and the middle class. Join the fight today for Virginia's 5th.](#)**

Thank you for standing with us!

Tom

Paid for by John Douglass for  
Congress

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Christina Goldfuss" <cgoldfuss@gmail.com>](mailto:cgoldfuss@gmail.com)

Date: 2/23/2015 2:10:50 AM

Subject: Re: what a week!

Murkowski is against kids in parks?

On Feb 22, 2015 8:36 PM, "Christina Goldfuss" <[cgoldfuss@gmail.com](mailto:cgoldfuss@gmail.com)> wrote:

I knew it was you! I didn't dare ask any questions for fear someone would change his/her mind. Just so you know, my mother is an emotional Italian from Florence. She started crying when the operator placed my call from the plane. I hadn't heard her that choked up, since I told her I was getting married. As an FYI, Murkowski's staff is already pressing NPS on the costs associated with Every Kid. The fun never stops! Thank you!

On Sun, Feb 22, 2015 at 6:02 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I'm glad you got to ride on the big plane. That was my goodbye gift. It all seemed to go well and I'm glad my home town finally has a National Park. Local Hawaii press looked great. Colorado seemed fine save for the pissy Congressman. Lots more to do and I'm glad you are there to make up big difference. Don't hesitate to call.

JP

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

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> On Feb 22, 2015, at 1:54 PM, Christina Goldfuss <[cgoldfuss@gmail.com](mailto:cgoldfuss@gmail.com)> wrote:

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> Hi John,

> Chicago received its first unit of the national park system. POTUS announced Every Kid in a Park, and I got to ride on AF1! It was an amazing week, and I sure missed having you there to share in the win. I even heard that Jimmy Fallon talked about Every Kid in his monologue. Your ideas and motivation continue in your absence.

> Thank you again,

> Christy Goldfuss

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Molly McUsic" <mcusic@wyssfoundation.org>](mailto:mcusic@wyssfoundation.org)  
Date: 10/20/2015 8:33:37 AM  
Subject: Re: The meeting

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Planning to come. I think that's best, but if it gets too crazy we can call an audible.

On Oct 20, 2015 2:03 PM, "Molly McUsic" <[mcusic@wyssfoundation.org](mailto:mcusic@wyssfoundation.org)> wrote:

Hi john

I just heard for sure that you can't come until tomorrow morning. I really appreciate how hard you are trying to come but would you prefer to just be on the phone? It is a long way to go for basically an hour and a half. Just let me know. We are good either way. Very interesting meeting today at CAP.

Molly McUsic | President

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| From:        | "Michael Carey" <carey.mjd@gmail.com>                                                          |
| To:          | john.podesta@gmail.com                                                                         |
| Date:        | 1/24/2016 1:57:25 PM                                                                           |
| Subject:     | Accepted: DeLonge/Podesta Meeting @ Mon Jan 25, 2016 12:30pm - 1:30pm (john.podesta@gmail.com) |
| Attachments: | invite.ics                                                                                     |

Michael Carey has accepted this invitation.

DeLonge/Podesta Meeting

When Mon Jan 25, 2016 12:30pm – 1:30pm Eastern Time

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 Date: 12/21/2015 12:30:17 PM  
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"DNC Headquarters" <democraticparty@democrats.org>

To:

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date:

3/27/2014 7:48:09 AM

Subject:

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/14/2015 7:14:54 AM

Subject: Re: Plane cancelled.

I just heard - so sorry about that  
I'll make sure to mention it appropriately

On May 14, 2015, at 2:13 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

You probably have heard I won't make the event. I feel like it's a bad look not to be there. If there's a discreet way to note my absence because of travel snafus I'd appreciate it.

From: ["Amanda Renteria" <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/23/2015 1:31:22 AM

Subject: Re: Creating "Japanese American for Hillary"

Yes. He's on the list to be vetted for it.

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 23, 2015, at 6:15 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

See below re RFH. I think it would be good to add Glen to AAPI leadership council..

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "Glen S. Fukushima" <[gsf1280@gmail.com](mailto:gsf1280@gmail.com)>

Date: Nov 23, 2015 12:50 AM

Subject: Creating "Japanese American for Hillary"

To: <[lisa@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:lisa@hillaryclinton.com)>

Cc: <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)>

Dear Lisa,

Following up on our conversation in NYC last month, I've discussed with several friends the idea of creating a "Japanese Americans for Hillary" group to increase the contributions to Hillary's campaign.

Sheridan Tatsuno, a Silicon Valley entrepreneur based in San Jose who is a good friend from our student days at Harvard in the 1970s, has agreed to serve as Vice President of the organization, and I would serve as its President.

We'd like to launch it with a kick-off party in the San Francisco Bay Area in December. It will start small, but I think the group would have the potential of getting Japanese Americans who may otherwise not be interested to contribute to the campaign.

Keith Kamisugi has volunteered his time to create a website we can use to advertise, promote, and expand the organization and to solicit contributions.

I assume there are two ways to proceed: (1) create the organization as a stand-alone group independent of Hillary for America and (2) create the organization within the existing Ready for Hillary organization. Which do you prefer?

Glen

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Harwood, \(NBCUniversal\)" <John.Harwood@nbcuni.com>](mailto:John.Harwood@nbcuni.com)  
Date: 3/10/2015 2:49:21 PM  
Subject: Re: What did you think of HRC presser today?

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Needed and solid. Won't stop the taxpayer funded oppo research operation a.k.a. the Benghazi Committee or your tribe from sticking with the story, but our people are in a better place.

On Mar 10, 2015 5:37 PM, "Harwood, John (NBCUniversal)" <[John.Harwood@nbcuni.com](mailto:John.Harwood@nbcuni.com)> wrote:

John Harwood  
CNBC/NYT  
[202 669 0751](tel:2026690751)

From: ["Amitabh Desai" <adesai@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)  
To: ["Bruce Lindsey" <blindsey@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:blindsey@clintonfoundation.org)  
[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 1/24/2012 10:35:38 AM  
Subject: FW: Island energy budget

FYI below - CCI folks estimate the islands program (as envisioned/discussed on Friday) would cost us \$1 million or less, and they believe UNDP would cover it.

This doesn't really answer our other question about what would happen to the CCI staff currently working on "clean energy". I'm checking on that.

I also can't tell the extent to which Ira has signed off on this, vs. to what extent this is being driven by CCI staff (Darien) without Ira's blessing.

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**From:** Darien Sturges  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 24, 2012 4:45 PM  
**To:** Amitabh Desai  
**Subject:** Island energy budget

Hi Ami,

As discussed, a few thoughts on a potential budget for an island energy program. These are very preliminary estimates, while the exact collaboration between the Clinton Foundation and UNDP is still being defined. I would be very happy to discuss further.

Cheers,

Darien

A few notes:

The first phase of a Clinton Foundation/UNDP island program (or competition) is expected to encompass three islands; one in the Caribbean, one in the Pacific Rim and one in the Indian Ocean/Africa region.

The bulk of the work will begin in June once the three initial islands are selected.

For illustrative purposes, names are attached below of CCI staff with significant expertise and longstanding private sector relationships in the relevant area. The assumption is the program will require 25% of their time, and they have all indicated a strong desire to participate -- if it can be arranged with C40. If it is instead necessary to hire new people, the salary component of the budget may increase as much as 2x.

The UNDP has indicated they are willing to cover Clinton Foundation costs of this magnitude (e.g. \$500K-1mn) via existing technical assistance budgets. However, they have also indicated that they could support a much larger scope, as well as sign off faster, if the Clinton Foundation can contribute matching funds.

From: "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 6/8/2015 4:31:19 AM

Subject: \*ICYMI (Greenville News): Hillary Clinton: Invest in Women Who Work Hard\*

Friends-

I hope all of you had a great weekend.

'Wanted to make sure you had a chance to read the op-ed Hillary Clinton authored that ran in today's Greenville News, highlighting South Carolina small business owners and the importance of investing and empowering women.

Thanks!

AE

## Op-Ed: Hillary Clinton: Invest in women who work hard

Greenville News  
By Hillary Clinton  
June 8, 2015

<http://www.greenvilleonline.com/story/opinion/contributors/2015/06/06/hillary-clinton-invest-women-work-hard/28569643/>

Ask anyone who owns a small business (or grew up around one) and they'll tell you there are two things you need to succeed: determination to see your business through tough times, and faith that if you keep at it, your efforts will pay off. On my last trip to South Carolina, I was fortunate to sit down with women business owners who have both. They accomplish incredible feats in the span of a single day, from running their business to running their child to band practice.

They're pulling their weight and then some — and they deserve a champion in their corner. I'm running for president because I want to be that champion. Helping women and families succeed isn't a side issue; it's fundamental to our country's economic future.

Take Kiki, who opened Kiki's Chicken and Waffles with her husband a few years ago. They got off to a slow start, but Kiki kept the faith and stuck with it. Thanks to word of mouth, social media and the red velvet waffles, things started to pick up. These days, business is going strong.

Then there's a mother-and-daughter team, Dana and Miss Rosa, who started a bakery with money from their 401(k) accounts. After years of hard work, the leap of faith they took to open their business is paying off. Their recipes are a secret handed down from generation to generation, but their coconut-pineapple cake is the talk of the town.

It's not enough to talk about economic growth and opportunity; we need to invest in women and families who work hard every day to make those words mean something. We need smart solutions that take into account how the economy has changed for women —and how women have changed the economy.

Take the issue of equal pay. Today, women are business owners and community leaders and heads of household. Forty percent of mothers with young children are now the sole or primary breadwinners in their family. It's no secret that too many women still earn less than men on the job, and for women of color, it's even worse. And there are things we can do right now to address the wage gap head-on in South Carolina and across the country.

We need to pass the Paycheck Fairness Act, which gives women the legal tools to fight discrimination at work.

We need to promote pay transparency to ensure women have the information they need to negotiate fairly. You can't stand up for equal pay if you don't know whether you're paid equally.

We need to raise wages for the lowest paid jobs in America and implement workplace policies like paid leave and flexible scheduling for parents. South Carolina is the second worst state in the country, including the District of Columbia, for working mothers; dead last for professional opportunities for women, measured by the number of female executives; and 47th in childcare quality. We should be making it easier for women to take care of their families and succeed at work.

And finally, with nearly 120,000 women-owned businesses in South Carolina, we need to make sure that women have the support they need to

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start and grow their businesses. That means cutting unnecessary red tape, increasing access to capital, simplifying tax filing, and expanding access to new markets.

Every person I meet on the campaign trail restores my own faith and determination that together, we can and must meet the challenges we face. I carry with me the stories of people like DayzJohna, a young woman I met who was celebrating her high school graduation. She joined the JROTC, and is now planning to serve our country in the military. I want DayzJohna to have every option open for her future — not just to be invited to the table, but to earn her place at the head.

This is the 21st century, and no one's potential should be limited by problems that are within our ability to solve.

*Hillary Clinton is seeking the Democratic nomination for president. She has been the U.S. Secretary of State, a U.S. senator and the country's first lady.*

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Adrienne K. Elrod  
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To: "Podesta John" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
"Mook Robby" <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)>  
Date: 7/1/2015 2:55:53 AM  
Subject: Fwd: Thank you

A shame their is no place for her at present . She is talented, smart, bilingual, and committed to Hillary.

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Vanessa Valdivia <[vvaldiv@gmail.com](mailto:vvaldiv@gmail.com)>  
Date: June 29, 2015 at 9:31:54 AM PDT  
To: "Spahn, Andy" <[spahn@gonringspahn.com](mailto:spahn@gonringspahn.com)>  
Subject: Fwd: Thank you

Got a response, see below. I'm not sure how to read this...is he saying hold until Thanksgiving?  
Advice on how to respond here?

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From: Nathaniel Koloc <[nkoloc@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nkoloc@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: Mon, Jun 29, 2015 at 6:11 AM  
Subject: Re: Thank you  
To: Vanessa Valdivia <[vvaldiv@gmail.com](mailto:vvaldiv@gmail.com)>

Thanks Vanessa -

Research is done hiring for now - digital has a few more roles open (but will have another set open up at the end of summer). The vast majority of hires right now are technical - software engineers and data scientists, so the difficulty here is that there just aren't that many non-technical / generalist roles at the moment.

The best bet is to wait for potential advance assignment to start building relationship with that team, and also for you and I to take a look at field placements once we start ramping in the States - but that doesn't take place until around the winter holiday season. So for that we should check in around Thanksgiving, especially if there are particular states that you would be open to going to.

Thank you for your patience!

On Mon, Jun 22, 2015 at 3:34 PM, Vanessa Valdivia <[vvaldiv@gmail.com](mailto:vvaldiv@gmail.com)> wrote:  
Nathaniel -

Thanks so much for being in touch. I haven't heard yet from the advance team, but I look forward to connecting with them. If there's something I can do from my end on either the digital or research fronts, just let me know.

And I know Andy had mentioned this already to Huma, but I want to reiterate that I am willing to work in any capacity, so please keep me in mind as different positions/teams come together.

Best,  
Vanessa

On Sun, Jun 21, 2015 at 7:58 AM, Nathaniel Koloc <[nkoloc@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nkoloc@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

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Thanks Vanessa -

Has the advance team been in touch? We just finished a major hiring round and have been focusing mostly on our tech/data teams. I will check in with digital again to see where you stand in their queue.

On Tue, Jun 16, 2015 at 10:24 AM, Vanessa Valdivia <[vvaldiv@gmail.com](mailto:vvaldiv@gmail.com)> wrote:

Hi Nathaniel -

Hope this email finds you well. I wanted to follow up on our conversation a few weeks ago. I have not yet heard from anyone from either the research or the digital teams. I don't want to trouble you, but just wanted to be mindful of the timelines you mentioned when we spoke. Appreciate any insight you might have here.

All best,  
Vanessa

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From: ["Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/11/2015 4:58:17 AM

Subject: Also -- NYC

Something to think about today if you've read the scheduling memo: how are you leaning on NYC?

I peeked at Amtrak, and Northeast Regional trains that get you there for the 12 pm - 4 pm are:

8:10am - 11:30am is \$104

7:17am - 10:35am is \$73 (if you want to try for super early since we no longer trust amtrak

Getting you back, the options aren't great because it's a Friday:

4:42pm - 8:05pm is \$143.65

5:39pm - 9:08pm is \$180!

Acelas are all still open if you want to go that route, now that we're able to get reimbursements for sure, right?

From: "Obama for America" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/25/2012 11:25:14 AM

Subject: Can you make some calls for President Obama?

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[Sign up to make calls using our online call tool this weekend.](#)

You don't have to wait -- if you're ready, go ahead and start making calls right now:

<http://my.barackobama.com/Start-Calling-Now>

Thanks,

Obama for America

P.S. -- While you're making calls for him, President Obama is crisscrossing the country on his America Forward! tour, hitting 8 states in 48 hours. [Check out all the action here.](#)

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From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/3/2015 11:57:27 AM  
Subject: ROUNDUP: Tomorrow calls // VMs

Calls tomorrow:

Just wanted to send this as an FYI since we didn't have a chance to go over tomorrow's schedule. Right now it's pretty clear besides these two calls, although we expect an HRC prep call to land in the AM before Andrea Mitchell. Would be great to also do a quick scheduling mtg to go over the updated calendar.

Fred Krupp: 11-11:30am

*Do you need docs on our climate proposal for this?*

Rabbi Arthur Schneier: 12-12:30pm

*Just wanted to catch up, couldn't get his assistant to say if he had any agenda-- think you need anything for this call?*

Reached out to Joel about drinks & will let you know what I hear!

VMs:

Tina Flournoy: Hey, give me a call.

Today at 1:47pm

Call back (212)348-2507

Tim Shriver: Sorry he missed you. In Chicago and headed back to DC-- will be available for the next four days and will try to pick up if he sees you're calling.

Today at 4:26pm

Call back (202) 215-2553

Michael Polsky: "Just picked up your message, thanks for the call. Was unfortunate but I understand. You can give me a call and we can talk more."

Today at 6:11pm

Call back (312) 593-1406

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From: ["Edward J. George" <ejg75@georgetown.edu>](mailto:ejg75@georgetown.edu)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 8/26/2015 9:34:08 AM

Subject: Re: Research Assistant

No problem, if anything changes, please keep me in mind!

Best,  
Edward

On Aug 26, 2015, at 16:00, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Don't think so. Thanks for the inquiry.

On Aug 26, 2015 1:18 PM, "Edward J. George" <[ejg75@georgetown.edu](mailto:ejg75@georgetown.edu)> wrote:

Hi Professor Podesta,

Given the academic year is closely approaching, I am following up on an email I sent to you on August 7 to see if you are in need of a research assistant for the Fall and/or Spring semester.

Kind regards,  
Edward George

From: "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
"Sara Latham" <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 9/22/2015 9:35:46 AM  
Subject: Fwd: She just took a KXL question at her event

Keystone just landed.

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From: Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: Tue, Sep 22, 2015 at 4:31 PM  
Subject: Re: She just took a KXL question at her event  
To: Kristina Costa <[kcosta@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kcosta@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Cc: Trevor Houser <[tghouser.hrc@gmail.com](mailto:tghouser.hrc@gmail.com)>, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>, Pete Ogden <[progden@gmail.com](mailto:progden@gmail.com)>, Ben Kobren <[benkobren@gmail.com](mailto:benkobren@gmail.com)>

Kristina

Can you recirculate the latest talking points to get out? Thanks!

On Tue, Sep 22, 2015 at 4:30 PM, Kristina Costa <[kcosta@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kcosta@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She stuck the landing on the answer so folks should do their notifies

Still trying to get clearance on the oped, will keep you guys posted about when it will post tonight but based on her answer no reason not to stick to the plan of having it go in the evening

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

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"Andrea Purse" <andrea.purse@gmail.com>  
"Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

Date: 6/2/2015 1:15:31 PM

Subject: Skippy in Brooklyn

Another fun night at HRC's HQ.



From: ["John Graham" <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com>](mailto:jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com)

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["Teresa Ruiz?? \ \(mtruiz1@aol.com\)" <mtruiz1@aol.com>](mailto:mtruiz1@aol.com)

Date: 9/18/2015 1:05:16 PM

Subject: Why is Hillary Clinton Support so Strong Among NJ Dems? | New Jersey News, Politics, Opinion, and Analysis

<http://politickernj.com/2015/09/why-is-hillary-clinton-support-so-strong-among-nj-dems/>  
the movement behind the movement! Strong women leadership as evidenced today in New Hampshire. We will all be a part of history in shattering the glass ceiling!

From: "[Adrienne Elrod](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)" <[aelrod@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "[Adrienne Elrod](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)" <[aelrod@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: 8/11/2015 12:56:23 PM

Subject: \*\*TONIGHT/9PM EST: Please Join HFA's Jennifer Palmieri for a Surrogate Briefing Call\*\*

All -

You're invited to join Hillary for America Communications Director Jennifer Palmieri for a surrogate briefing call **tonight, at 9pm EST.**

To RSVP and receive a call in number, please click on the following link (and please let Varun know if you have any technical difficulties w/ the link):

<http://myaccount.maestroconference.com/conference/register/2IVPNGJRP0FDBJGU>

Thanks!

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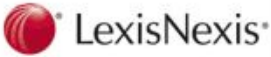
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Date: 1/25/2014 7:21:12 PM  
Subject: Friday's NewsHour

There are two interesting segments which I recommend that you watch

The more important one deals with the recent Chetty/Saez work on mobility. Raj is interviewed. He's very good- no surprise.

The other deals with uncertainty of certain children to get food and discussion of the impact of that and stress, etc

Sent from my iPad

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To: [brucerlindsey@aol.com](mailto:brucerlindsey@aol.com)

Date: 11/7/2011 5:27:30 AM

Subject: Re: nyc

Bob told me that you are going to try to get on the phone for the CGI review meeting. That's great. let me know if I can support anything you want to get out of that meeting.

On Sun, Nov 6, 2011 at 9:23 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:  
> will do.

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> On Sun, Nov 6, 2011 at 5:14 PM, <brucerlindsey@aol.com> wrote:

>> Thanks. Basic reassurance is great.

>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: John Podesta

>> To: Bruce Lindsey-LR

>> Subject: nyc

>> Sent: Nov 6, 2011 5:00 PM

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>> Headed to New york tomorrow. I am car-less so couldn't get by to see you.

>> Let me know if there is anything you want me to communicate other than

>> basic reassurance. Happy to talk by phone if you are up to that. Hope

>> recovery is going well.

>> John

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To: "Podesta John" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 4/23/2013 12:54:02 AM

Subject: hi

no way have u fallen off any of my lists :) !! ever.  
i've fallen down on the job of emailing out invites. my bad.  
would love it if u could come to faiz' reception this eve.  
see u tonight, or soon ?  
susan

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Date: 5/8/2014 4:10:18 PM

Subject: Final Congressional Investigations Paper

Attachments: Congressional Investigations Final Paper.docx

Good evening -

Please find my final paper attached to this message. Thank you for an engaging semester.

Best,

Adaku Onyeka

From: "Nikki Budzinski" <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)>  
To: "Robby Mook" <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 5/22/2015 1:40:04 PM  
Subject: Re: Good to C U!

In that case, I would be concerned about those sensitivities.

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On May 22, 2015, at 8:29 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

That's my worry...I'm not sure how open I want to be to other requests.

On Fri, May 22, 2015 at 8:27 PM, Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

My quick two cents, I think there will be sensitivities on this, but as long as we stay open to other requests I think it'll be ok.

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On May 22, 2015, at 8:04 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I really like the idea of joining by video because it's SO easy and will get so many brownie points. What worries me is that other unions will ask why we haven't done their stuff. But maybe this won't be regarded as "their" event.

On Fri, May 22, 2015 at 8:01 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

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From: "Peter Colavito" <[peter.colavito@seiu.org](mailto:peter.colavito@seiu.org)>  
Date: May 22, 2015 5:46 PM  
Subject: Re: Good to C U!  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Cc: "Mary Kay Henry" <[marykay.henry@seiu.org](mailto:marykay.henry@seiu.org)>

It won't be branded as SEIU but we are driving it. There will be partners there too - will try to get you more.

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On May 22, 2015, at 4:44 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Testing to see if possible. Is this an SEIU event or are there other sponsors as well?

On May 22, 2015 11:56 AM, "Mary Kay Henry" <[marykay.henry@seiu.org](mailto:marykay.henry@seiu.org)> wrote:

I wanted to drop a quick note on 2 possible options for HRC with Fast Food worker leadership convention.  
I so appreciate your effort to help make this connection happen.

Sunday June 7th 9:00a- 4:30p  
(Lunch break 1-2p- we can change)  
#1 - live Feed - video conference - or technology that allows the leadership to see her - since its most powerful

#2 - phone call - that will be the

"Voice of Secretary" in the convention hall

Sunday

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Subject: L&E Colloquium for Fri., 11/6: Leah Brooks

Greetings, colleagues. If you've shopped for a house in northeast dc lately, you may have noticed that things have gotten pricey near H street. This seems a strange effect for one little trolley line, especially when the trolleys can't seem to stop hitting parked cars. Our speaker this week, Leah Brooks of the George Washington Univ. Trachtenberg School of Public Policy, will explain the economics of zoning, public transit, and related matters. It should be fun. And maybe we'll sneak aboard the test cars for a Trolly-riding field trip afterwards?

Prof. Brooks will present at noon on Friday, Nov. 6 at noon. (My thanks to the many correspondents who chipped in to buy me a new calendar). Her paper is too large to attach, but you can download it via the events calendar, <https://schedule.law.georgetown.edu/MasterCalendar/EventDetails.aspx?data=hHr80o3M7J7AxHan1zhrzYYPQKacJqBFEI53NPBbs0mg%2fTuKlrIgQsCiIyoKYMMyg>

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Law firm leaders need to make bold, proactive changes in how legal services are delivered if firms are to thrive in the rapidly changing legal marketplace. That is among the findings of the "2016 Report on the State of the Legal Market" just issued by the Center for the Study of the Legal Profession at Georgetown University Law Center and Thomson Reuters Peer Monitor.

A full release is available here: <http://www.law.georgetown.edu/news/2016-report-on-state-legal-market.cfm>

The "2016 Report on the State of the Legal Market" can be downloaded at [http://www.law.georgetown.edu/news/upload/2016\\_PM\\_GT\\_Final-Report.pdf](http://www.law.georgetown.edu/news/upload/2016_PM_GT_Final-Report.pdf)

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 Date: 3/11/2010 10:23:34 AM  
 Subject: [big campaign] SHOCK: Former CO Lt. Gov. Jane Norton Calls Social Security "a Ponzi scheme"



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## SHOCK: Former Colorado Lt. Governor Jane Norton Calls Social Security "a Ponzi scheme"

### Americans United for Change: "What Specifically Would Norton Change About a System That Has Successfully Kept America's Seniors from Poverty for Nearly 75 Years?"

**Washington DC** – Americans United for Change – the group formerly known as Americans United to Protect Social Security that led the national campaign to beat back President Bush's effort to privatize Social Security in 2005 – called on Former Colorado Lt. Governor Jane Norton to elaborate on her shocking remarks this week that: ["With regard to Social Security, it has turned into a Ponzi scheme."](#)

**Tom McMahon, Acting Executive Director, Americans United for Change:** "Former Colorado Lt. Governor Norton may or may not be aware that Social Security has operated successfully as the same pay-as-you-go system it always has since FDR signed it into law nearly 75 years ago. If Norton believes Social Security, which has been credited with pulling millions of seniors, survivors and disabled Americans out of poverty, is a "Ponzi scheme," she owes the people of Colorado a straight answer on what specifically she would change about the system or replace it with.

"For example, where does the Former Colorado Lt. Governor stand on proposals to privatize Social Security? There is currently a very serious [alternative budget proposal](#) circulating the halls of Congress – authored by US Representative Paul Ryan of Wisconsin, the ranking Republican on the House budget committee – that calls for replacing Social Security with risky private accounts on Wall Street and handing retirees' hard earned money over to the same greedy, reckless CEOs responsible for crashing our economy. It is essentially the same privatization proposal President Bush failed miserably to sell to the American people five years ago – a "scheme" if there ever was one. Former Lt. Governor Norton clearly has very extreme opinions on Social Security – so what is her opinion of Ryan's proposal?"

- **Nobel Prize Winning Economist Paul Krugman:** "In particular, Mr. Ryan offers a plan for Social Security privatization that is basically identical to the Bush proposals of five years ago. [[New York Times, 2/11/10](#) ]
- **WashingtonPost.com's Ezra Klein:** "[U.S. Rep. Paul] Ryan's budget proposes reforms that are nothing short of violent. Medicare is privatized. Seniors get a voucher to buy private insurance, and the voucher's growth is far slower than the expected growth of health-care costs...And beyond health care, Social Security gets guaranteed, private accounts that CBO says will actually cost more than the present arrangement." [[WashingtonPost.com, 2/1/09](#) ]

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Attachments: Oct15 schedule final.pdf

Good morning,

The materials for the October 2015 Board meeting have been posted on the Trustee Web site: [https://my.knox.edu/ICS/Knox\\_Board/](https://my.knox.edu/ICS/Knox_Board/) .

Your user name and password are required to access the site. Please let me know if you have forgotten or misplaced this information.

For your convenience, I am attaching a copy of the Board meeting schedule.  
Please let me know if you have any questions.

Have a good weekend,  
Denise

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Thanks for today. Stan

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Subject: Re: Doing well

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I have good feeling in the little finger under the bandage. I'll let you know if I have questions or concerns.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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On Jun 5, 2014, at 6:50 AM, Mustafa Haque <[mustafahaque@gmail.com](mailto:mustafahaque@gmail.com)> wrote:

Thanks for the update. Glad you are well. If you can feel the small finger tip touching the gauze around it when you move it a bit, it should be fine. I'm fine with your pulling aside some gauze to look at it if you want visual confirmation, but it was pink yesterday. Feel free to call me at 301-787-1040 with any questions or concerns.

Take care, Mustafa

On Thu, Jun 5, 2014 at 5:30 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Can't see the little finger, but others are pink. Hand is a little tingly, but pain isn't too bad. Thanks again for another successful trip to the rodeo.

JP

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Date: 2/16/2015 4:20:07 AM

Subject: Re: 2.16.15 HRC Clips

Worth everyone digesting the Ron Friedman CNN piece.

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**For Hillary Clinton, John Podesta Is a Right Hand With a Punch (NYT)**

By Peter Baker

February 16, 2015

**The New York Times**

WASHINGTON -- Not that he's competitive or anything, but one Friday evening, John D. Podesta, a top adviser to President Obama, announced at a White House meeting that he would finish a 10-mile race that weekend in so many minutes. Needling Denis McDonough, the president's chief of staff, Mr. Podesta added: "I don't know what Denis is going to run."

Sure enough, Mr. Podesta finished in an hour and 26 minutes, beating Mr. McDonough, 21 years his junior, by six minutes. So as Mr. Podesta, 66, packed up his West Wing office last week, he jokingly blamed his departure on a subsequent loss. "I knew it was time to look at leaving the White House when Denis McDonough beat me in 12K Jingle Bell race," he said on Twitter.

Wiry, ascetic, profane and relentless, John Podesta has become the Democratic Party's marathon man in more ways than one. He helped save Bill Clinton's presidency from the fires of scandal and impeachment. He spent the last year trying to salvage Barack Obama's presidency from gridlock and malaise. And now he has handed in his White House pass to try to create a Hillary Rodham Clinton presidency from the ashes of her last failed campaign.

Perhaps no other unelected Democrat has shaped his party as much over the last two decades. As Mr. Clinton's chief of staff, as founder of the left-leaning Center for American Progress and most recently as Mr. Obama's counselor, Mr. Podesta has pushed his party toward a more aggressive approach to both policy and politics. "He's a competitive cat," Mr. McDonough said.

Mr. Podesta will need that competitive streak if he becomes chairman of Mrs. Clinton's presidential campaign, as expected. It will fall to him to impose discipline on the sprawling and fractious Clinton universe, including the candidate and her famously undisciplined husband. And it will fall to Mr. Podesta to manage relations between a president focusing on his legacy and his would-be successor focusing on the next election.

"He believes in and uses power in a way that many Democrats are too pusillanimous to do," said Paul Begala, a former Clinton White House aide and longtime friend. "He's not afraid to use power, and ruthlessly if necessary. I think he's as good a political guy as I've ever seen. He's the real thing."

To many Democrats, last week's blowup over fund-raising practices in the Clinton orbit emphasized the need for adult supervision, recalling the internal strife that helped doom Mrs. Clinton's primary bid against Mr. Obama seven years ago. Her 2008 campaign was riven by clashing rivals more intent on fighting each other than opposing candidates. For months, no single aide was truly in charge.

In recruiting Mr. Podesta, Mrs. Clinton is signaling that she will impose a more orderly structure this time. "When John speaks, both longtime Clinton supporters like me and people new to the circle will know that he's speaking for her," said Harold Ickes, a top adviser to both Clintons for years. "That's very important. That didn't happen in 2008, with some of the resulting consequences."

No one doubts Mr. Podesta's toughness. During his previous White House stint, colleagues joked that he was sometimes replaced by his evil twin "Skippy." And as someone who met Mr. Clinton during Joseph D. Duffey's unsuccessful Senate campaign in Connecticut in 1970, he is one of the few people with the longevity and stature to talk bluntly with the Clintons when they mess up. "The fact that he's saying it would carry an enormous amount of weight," Mr. Ickes said. "Both of them consider him a very straight shooter."

Republican operatives view Mr. Podesta as a liberal who will tug Mrs. Clinton away from the political center and make it harder for her to argue that she represents a fresh start after Mr. Obama's administration.

"You've got to admire someone willing to move from one sinking ship to another that's taking on water before it's even left port," said Michael Short, a spokesman for the Republican National Committee. "Voters overwhelmingly don't want a third term for President Obama's liberal agenda, but it's clear that's what Hillary Clinton and John Podesta intend to give them."

Mr. Podesta, who declined to be interviewed because he is "superstitious" about profiles, was born in Chicago to an Italian-American father and Greek-American mother. His father never finished high school and worked in factories, pushing his children to go to college. While Mr. Podesta is a practicing Catholic like his father, he embraces his mother's side as well, displaying Greek Orthodox icons in his White House office and adopting her love of cooking.

He has attributed his drive and temper to an ethnic upbringing during which yelling at the dinner table over politics was acceptable. He came of age in the tumult of the 1960s. While studying at Knox College in Illinois, he and other students

“debated, ranted, chanted, protested,” as he put it in a 1998 commencement address, and he campaigned for Eugene McCarthy, the antiwar presidential candidate, in 1968.

Mr. Podesta earned a law degree from Georgetown University, where he still teaches on the side, and went to work for figures like Senators Patrick J. Leahy of Vermont and Tom Daschle of South Dakota. With his brother, Tony Podesta, he founded the Podesta Group, which has become a powerhouse lobbying firm with extensive corporate ties.

After going to work for Mr. Clinton, he rose to chief of staff, presiding over a White House rocked by revelations about the president’s sexual adventures with Monica Lewinsky. To keep the staff focused on business, he threatened to fire anyone caught talking about the scandal. But he understood before colleagues did that they would lose a House vote on impeachment despite popular support for Mr. Clinton, and he oversaw a strategy emphasizing the partisanship of the process to delegitimize the House vote and win a largely party-line acquittal in the Senate.

After leaving the White House, Mr. Podesta founded the Center for American Progress, an organization that married policy and politics. “He’s a policy wonk’s policy wonk,” said Sarah Rosen Wartell, a co-founder who added he was also “very much a doer.” Enlisting wealthy donors like George Soros and Herb and Marion Sandler, Mr. Podesta made the center and himself power players in liberal politics.

In 2008, Mr. Obama tapped Mr. Podesta to run his transition, to the chagrin of the loyalists who had helped beat Mrs. Clinton for the nomination. Mr. Obama tried to recruit him to join the administration, an entreaty he resisted until early 2014 when the presidency was flailing and he agreed to come on board for a year to help turn it around.

Mr. Podesta came with a strategy he and Ms. Wartell had outlined in a 2010 report about how a president could use his executive authority more aggressively without waiting for Congress. He also took on select projects, notably climate change and privacy in a big-data world.

For Mr. McDonough, the chief of staff now occupying the corner office with the patio and the fireplace that once belonged to Mr. Podesta, having a predecessor around, “a guy who’s seen it all,” proved a benefit. “John is always thinking a couple steps ahead,” Mr. McDonough said.

Passionate about environmental issues, Mr. Podesta used his perch to help advance new regulations on power plants, negotiate a carbon reduction agreement with China, create the world’s largest marine refuge in the Pacific Ocean and protect stretches of Alaskan waters and wildlife refuge from drilling.

“It’s not clear to me he slept,” said Carol M. Browner, formerly Mr. Obama’s top environmental adviser.

In a series of Twitter posts on Friday listing his 10 favorite memories in the Obama White House, he devoted half to environmental issues. A longtime aficionado of extraterrestrial lore -- he kept a little shrine to “The X-Files” in his Clinton White House office -- he also wrote that “my biggest failure of 2014: Once again not securing the #disclosure of the UFO files. #thetruthisstilloutthere.”

If he cannot find proof of alien life, then he will test the maxim that a two-term president and his party’s next nominee always end up at odds. Al Gore did not want Mr. Clinton campaigning for him in 2000, just as Senator John McCain did not want George W. Bush campaigning for him in 2008.

Mr. Podesta may serve as a bridge between Mr. Obama and Mrs. Clinton, hoping to ease the natural frictions that arise as a candidate tries to distinguish herself from a president with improving but still mediocre poll numbers. He has played the role before. He negotiated on Mr. Obama’s behalf an agreement with Mr. Clinton to limit his international activities while Mrs. Clinton served as secretary of state. And later, when Mr. Clinton went to North Korea to free two Americans, the White House sent Mr. Podesta along to keep tabs.

For the next two years, as he races another marathon as Mrs. Clinton’s top adviser, Mr. Podesta will have the advantage of the relationship he forged with Mr. McDonough, Mr. Obama’s top adviser.

“He’s a great runner,” Mr. McDonough said. “The guy’s made me much better at everything I do in this job. And he’s made me a better runner, too.”

**Jim Webb weighing White House run ‘under right circumstances’ (Washington Times)**

By Seth McLaughlin, THE WASHINGTON TIMES

February 16, 2015

**The Washington Times**

Former Virginia Sen. Jim Webb said Sunday that he will run for president in 2016 if he can be convinced that he can compete financially without selling out on the core issues he wants to push on the campaign trail.

The decorated Vietnam veteran and former Navy secretary, who has flirted with a White House run since November, said Sunday on C-SPAN’s “Washington Journal” that he is still trying to figure out if he could launch a viable bid.

“We’re listening, talking to people, about the issues, but also having to make a judgment about whether you can actually put together the type of funding to compete and still be independent,” Mr. Webb said, adding that he would enter the race “under the right circumstances.”

Mr. Webb, 69, is considered a long-shot for the Democratic nomination, with polls showing former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton well ahead of potential rivals, including Vice President Joe Biden and Sen. Elizabeth Warren of Massachusetts.

“It’s impossible to overstate how difficult it will be for a non-Hillary Clinton candidate to gain traction, donor money and endorsements the later we get in the cycle and the more her nomination feels like a fait accompli,” said Democratic strategist Christy Setzer. “But to the extent there’s room in the Democratic primary, it’s to the left of Clinton — not a space Webb naturally occupies.”

“And the rationale he’s identified for his candidacy — the need for the Democratic Party to fix its problem with white working class people — isn’t as much of an issue with Clinton or Elizabeth Warren, who tend to resonate with those audiences, much more so than Obama ever did,” Ms. Setzer said. “If Webb can gain any traction, he’ll need to carve out space on an issue Clinton’s not talking about or can’t talk about.”

Mr. Webb shook up Washington in 2006 when he came from behind in Virginia’s U.S. Senate race to topple Republican Sen. George Allen, helping Democrats regain control of the Senate.

Sporting his son’s combat boots on the campaign trail, Mr. Webb, a Republican-turned-Democrat who opposed the 2003 U.S.-led invasion of Iraq, called for a more clearly articulated foreign policy and for more economic fairness.

In the Senate, Mr. Webb muscled through a new GI Bill and led efforts on criminal justice reform. He also voted for the Wall Street bailout, known as TARP, as well as Obamacare.

“I believe we did need to move forward,” Mr. Webb said Sunday about his Obamacare vote. “The benefits in the bill were better then voting it down.”

Mr. Webb chose not to run for re-election in 2012, and last year released a book — his ninth — titled “I Heard My Country Calling.”

Mr. Webb said Sunday that the nation needs leadership, and warned the nation’s approach to international affairs and the use of military focus has “become extremely vague.”

“This notion of ‘responsibility to protect’ or ‘humanitarian intervention’ — it is not clear. The president could do that on Ireland tomorrow for all we know. it is a very loose doctrine and it is not healthy for the country,” the former senator said.

Mr. Webb said elected leaders must strengthen the nation’s immigration system by stemming the flow of illegal immigrants into the country and providing a path to citizenship for those who have been in the country 10 to 15 years and meet a certain set of criteria, such as learning English.

In addition, Mr. Webb said wealthy donors have an outsized influence on the political process.

“The power of the people who have made enormous wealth in the country to control the political process is obvious. It’s obvious,” he said. “And what happens to the average American who wants to vote for someone who wants to bring about change?”

Democratic strategist Jim Manley said he is a “big fan” of Mr. Webb, adding that it would be interesting to see how willing the combat veteran is to embrace the retail side of presidential politics.

“By all accounts, he really wasn’t having a lot of fun in the Senate,” Mr. Manley said. “So I am not sure how much fun he is going to have on the campaign trail.”

“Based on what I have seen over the years, he would be one of the more unorthodox candidates we have seen in many years,” the strategist said. “He marches to the beat of his own drummer, and I don’t expect that to change.”

**Hillary pens begging notes for campaign (The Times)**

Will Pavia

February 16, 2015

**The Times**

The emails come several times a day, filling the inboxes of Democrat supporters, warning that this could be their “last chance” to donate to a presidential candidate who is yet to declare whether or not she intends to run. Seldom, if ever, in the history of American politics, has so much money been sought for a campaign that does not yet exist. Sent by a variety of pro-Hillary Clinton political groups that sometimes seem to be competing with one another, the fundraising efforts seek to lay the groundwork for the former secretary of state.

Handwritten notes from Mrs Clinton herself have reportedly been sent to more prominent donors and activists in the key states of Iowa and New Hampshire asking for support.

The demands for an undeclared candidate has aggrieved some potential supporters and left some of Mrs Clinton’s backers struggling to meet their fundraising targets and match the formidable efforts being made on behalf of the Republican Jeb Bush, who has announced that he is “exploring” a run for the presidency.

Mr Bush, who is said to be amassing a war chest of tens of millions of dollars, has given speeches and hosted a series of gala dinners. At one such event, held last week for 25 donors at the home of the private equity tycoon Henry Kravis, guests paid \$100,000 each merely to attend, according to the Washington Post. He has won the support of a highly influential voice in American politics. At a charity event on Friday evening, Barbara Bush, the former first lady and mother of President George W Bush, who once declared that there had been “enough Bushes” in the White House, told her son, via Skype, that she would support him. “I changed my mind,” she said.

For her part, Mrs Clinton is not expected to declare her candidacy until the summer. “It has long been understood in Democrat activist circles that Hillary Clinton is going to run for president in 2016,” said Mary Tetreau, a writer and Democrat activist in New Hampshire, the second state in the season of primary contests in which candidates will seek the Democrat nomination. Activists in the state are used to wielding extraordinary influence, she said. In 2001, John Kerry wrote her a poem. In 2008, she met Mrs Clinton and Barack Obama.

She feels, however, that activists and donors would be happier this time to be supporting a candidate who was declared to be in the running.

“It’s a most unusual situation,” she said. Mrs Clinton’s Twitter account offers occasional enigmatic hints: a post noting that Philadelphia had won the right to host the Democratic Convention of 2016 on Saturday; and the letters “TBD” at the end of her personal biography — suggesting that her next role was “to be decided”.



**Bumpy learning curve for likely candidates in 2016 race (AP)**

By Nancy Benac

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**Associated Press**

WASHINGTON (AP) — If you're an aspiring presidential candidate, says professional crisis manager Eric Dezenhall, right now is "a great time to take a pratfall because it's so far away from anything major."

That's a good thing because so many of the candidates' feet have been sliding out from under them.

The first six weeks of 2015 have featured mangled messages, snappishness, a bad hire and other flubs from the Republicans who would be president.

It's pretty much to be expected in the earliest stages of a campaign with just short of a gazillion potential candidates who haven't done this before.

In recent days:

—Former Florida Gov. Jeb Bush cut loose a new hire with a history of inappropriate comments about women, gays and blacks.

—New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie and Kentucky Sen. Rand Paul struggled to strike the right tone on whether parents should have to vaccinate their children.

—Wisconsin Gov. Scott Walker caught flak for ducking questions and picking a fight with the revered University of Wisconsin.

Candidates-in-waiting got peevisish. They gave underwhelming speeches. They tried to disavow their own words. And so on.

Do these responses sound like guys who are ready to be president?

Do you believe in evolution, Gov. Walker? "I'm going to punt on that one."

What about the Islamic State group, Gov. Christie? "Is there something you don't understand about, 'No questions?'"

It's part of the long and brutal learning curve for a presidential race, where even seasoned politicians find the scrutiny more intense than for lesser offices.

Dezenhall calls this the season of "gaffe congestion" for would-be candidates and says 20 months out from Election Day 2016 is a good time to get them over with.

In an earlier time, even eight years ago or 12, none of this recent drama would have been much more than a paragraph in the saga that is a presidential race.

"Now, thanks to Twitter and the immediacy of political commentary, mistakes are much more painful," says Ari Fleischer, a communications consultant who was President George W. Bush's press secretary.

Still, he says, the best candidates will learn from their early stumbles and quickly regain their stride.

Jeb Bush's team probably will check out future job applicants more carefully. A less bombastic Christie was back working in Iowa not long after snapping at reporters in London. Walker turned to Twitter to at least explain, somewhat, his thinking on evolution after his refusal to answer a question on the subject during his own trip to London became a distraction.

"Much of what's happening right now won't be remembered a year from now or in a general election," says Stephanie Cutter, a veteran of Democratic presidential campaigns for Barack Obama and John Kerry. She said part of the problem may be that potential candidates don't yet have a full complement of campaign staff.

But she also said that some of the recent commotion, such as the vaccine flap, could signal a dynamic that will carry forward in the race as GOP candidates try to cater to primary voters without tacking so far to the right that it causes them trouble in the general election.

It's also clear that even if regular voters aren't tuned in yet, the potential candidates are being sized up by donors, activists and potential staff who will be crucial to helping them run an effective campaign.

Mo Elleithee, communications director for the Democratic National Committee, predicts that some of the recent GOP missteps could turn out to be particularly telling for voters in the long run.

Christie and Paul, with their bluster and argumentative interaction with the press, are “letting people see who they really are,” he said.

For now, Democrats can largely sit back and enjoy the GOP clatter because expected candidate Hillary Rodham Clinton has the experience of the 2008 Democratic primaries on her resume and is expected to face little primary opposition this time.

But Fleischer said even Clinton will have an adjustment to make if she jumps back into the presidential mosh pit after eight years of “the paid speaker’s life, which is scrutiny-free, and the charmed life of a secretary of state, where you’re not covered in the same way you are in political campaigns.”

Dezenhall said one skill that candidates on both sides will need to learn early on is damage control — both how to respond and what safely can be ignored — because errors are inevitable.

“Politics used to be about where you stood,” he said. “Now, it’s about what you stepped in.”

**Hillary Clinton's talent problem (CNN)**

By Ron Friedman

February 16, 2015

**CNN**

(CNN) Last week, in an unusually public display of campaign discord, a clash between Hillary Clinton political operatives erupted in full view when David Brock, a liberal activist and staunch Clinton supporter, announced his resignation from the board of Priorities USA, a pro-Clinton super PAC.

Brock was not going quietly. His resignation letter contained a bold claim -- that leaders at Priorities USA were feeding newsgroups devastating stories about his fundraiser, undermining his ability to raise money. By Brock's account, his colleagues within Team Hillary were orchestrating his demise.

Setting aside a debate on the accuracy of Brock's assertion, there's an interesting psychological perspective to be raised about why campaign squabbles like this are already cropping up for the Clinton campaign and why we can expect more of them.

Unlike her competitors on the Republican side, Clinton is the clear frontrunner for Democrats. And while intuitively we might expect that fewer primary contenders would allow Clinton to snatch up her party's most talented consultants, enabling her to form a stronger, more disciplined campaign team, research suggests that too much talent in a group can actually undermine performance.

We often assume that adding more talented players to a team will lead to better outcomes. But a close look at the data reveals a different story.

Last year, a research team led by Roderick Swaab, professor of organizational behavior at INSEAD, released a paper looking at the relationship between the percentage of stars on an NBA team and the team's win-loss record. The results were striking. A greater concentration of stars did predict more wins, but only up to a point.

As it turned out, the teams with the most stars performed dramatically worse than those with considerably less talent. (Think 2004 Los Angeles Lakers, whose roster included likely hall-of-famers Shaquille O'Neil, Kobe Bryant, Karl Malone and Gary Payton, being nearly swept in the finals by the Detroit Pistons -- a team whose best-known player was Ben Wallace.)

And it's not just basketball. When Swaab and his colleagues turned their attention to World Cup soccer teams, they found results that were eerily comparable. Once again, too much talent predicted fewer wins.

Researchers at Harvard Business School discovered a similar pattern among Wall Street analysts. When star performers are grouped together, they produce reports that clients find less impressive than teams with a more diverse pool of analysts.

All of which raises an obvious question: Why are so many talent-heavy teams falling short?

The reason is simple. Top performers are accustomed to status, and status is a limited resource. When stars are pooled together, they tend to compete with one another for status, and that competition is distracting. It gets in the way of effective teamwork.

Hillary Clinton's unparalleled political clout has cleared the field among Democrats, giving her the opportunity to build a political all-star team. But paradoxically, having unrestricted access to top-notch operatives might be a significant weakness.

There's a tipping point for talent. And Team Hillary may be on the wrong side of it.

So what can you do when you have a talent-heavy team and need to ensure collaboration? Recent studies on the psychology of teamwork offer insights that can help any group collaborate more effectively. Here are a few that may help the Clinton's team establish a more cohesive unit.

The first tip: Establish a very clear hierarchy. Clinton has resisted officially declaring her candidacy, which is sound strategy considering that she's the favorite. However, given the high-powered makeup of her team, a lack of formal hierarchy early on can be problematic in the long term. When structure is wanting and power is up for grabs, competition and status conflicts arise more easily.

A related insight: Provide differentiated roles to team members, right at the start. We work better with others when our job is unique and doesn't overlap with others' responsibilities. Too much similarity between jobs leads to competition, which can hinder collaboration.

The Washington Post recently reported that some senior staff members are signing on without salary, start date or job

descriptions. Presidential campaigns are short and intense, and no one expects a formal HR orientation process. Yet bringing people on without specifying their roles neglects getting their buy-in and makes it more likely they'll reach beyond their prescribed function later on.

Finally, when working with a talent-rich team, instead of simply rewarding individual performance, it's wise to establish group goals that can only be achieved when teammates band together. Group goals force people to view their success as a function of their team's performance, which is critical.

As Swaab, lead author of the "too much talent effect" research puts it, when dealing with a team of all-stars, "the bottom line is you have to create a more cooperative mindset."

There's little question that Clinton's campaign team will be among the most experienced and talent-rich in the history of politics. And like any high-achieving group, its members stand to benefit from leveraging the science of top performance.

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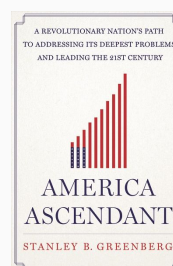
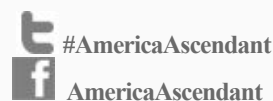
## Why 2016 could be shattering for Republicans

**By Stanley B. Greenberg**, author of the new book "[America Ascendant](#)."

Election Day 2016 will produce a shattering crash larger than anything the pundits anticipate because the revolutionary economic and social changes occurring in the United States have now pushed both the burgeoning new majority and the conservative Republicans' counterrevolution beyond their tipping points.

The United States is being transformed by revolutions remaking the country at an accelerating and surprising pace. Witness the revolutions in technology, the Internet, big data and energy, though just as important are the tremendous changes taking place in immigration, racial and

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ethnic diversity, the family, religious observance and gender roles. These are reaching their apexes in the booming metropolitan centers and among millennials.

As the revolutions interact, they are accelerating the emergence of a new America. Consider that nearly [40 percent](#) of New York City's residents are foreign-born, with Chinese the second-largest group behind Dominicans. The foreign-born make up nearly [40 percent](#) of Los Angeles's residents and [58 percent](#) of Miami's. A majority of U.S. households are headed by [unmarried people](#), and, in cities, 40 percent of households include only a single person. Church attendance is in decline, and non-religious seculars [now outnumber](#) mainline Protestants. [Three-quarters of working-age women](#) are in the labor force, and [two-thirds of women](#) are the breadwinners or co-breadwinners of their households. The proportion of racial minorities is [approaching 40 percent](#), but blowing up all projections are the [15 percent](#) of new marriages that are interracial. People are moving from the suburbs to the cities. And in the past five years, [two-thirds](#) of millennial college graduates have settled in the 50 largest cities, transforming them.

Shifting attitudes were underscored in this year's [Gallup Poll](#) when 60 to 70 percent of the country said gay and lesbian relations, having a baby outside of marriage, sex between an unmarried man and woman, and divorce are all “morally acceptable.”

The United States is emerging out of its revolutions as racially blended, immigrant, multinational and multilingual — and diversity is becoming more central to our multicultural identity.

Further, these revolutionary transformations have accelerated the growth of a new majority coalition of racial minorities, single women, millennials and seculars. Together, these groups formed 51 percent of the electorate in 2012, but our analysis of census survey data and exit poll projections indicates that they will comprise fully 63 percent in 2016. With these growing groups each supporting Hillary Clinton by more than 2 to 1 in today's polls, it is fair to say that the United States has reached an electoral tipping point.

The Republican Party's battle to defeat this new majority has reached a tipping point, too. The brand of the Republican Party today has probably not been as tarnished

since the Watergate era.

Republicans have joined a ferocious and intensifying decade-long counterrevolution in an attempt to stop this new majority from governing successfully. In 2004, George W. Bush campaign strategist Karl Rove launched the battle for American values when he gave up on the so-called swing voter and worked to engage millions more evangelicals. That has required pouring ever more fuel on the fire — including warning of Armageddon if the liberal Democrats were to govern.

This battle has left the Republicans with mostly married voters, as well as the oldest, most rural and most religiously observant voters in the country. That creates formidable odds against its winning an electoral college majority.

It has also left a Republican Party where three-quarters of its base voters are tea party supporters, evangelicals or religiously observant. That in turn has catapulted to the top of the Republican presidential race candidates who promise to challenge this new America before it's too late.

That this counterrevolution has reached its own tipping point is evident in the shrinking proportion of people who think of themselves as conservative. When



Republicans challenged President Obama in the off-year elections of 2010, [46 percent](#) of the country was conservative at the high point. That figure is now 37 percent.

For Republicans, 2016 will prove to be no normal election, because it will confirm that the new America is here and that the counterrevolution has lost. That is why I expect the result to be shattering for the Republican Party as we know it.

But it may not prove to be so shattering for the Republican Party that emerges afterward, or for the republic.

For the GOP, 2016 may look like 1984 did for the Democratic Party. It emerged divided out of a bitter primary, and the Democrats' mainstream candidate, Walter Mondale, lost in a landslide. Afterward, the modernizers got the upper hand. They might well have elected Gary Hart in 1988 and did elect Bill Clinton in 1992.

It is easy to imagine, then, that after the coming shattering election, some Republican leaders will repudiate this campaign's anti-immigrant and anti-Muslim appeals and actively embrace the United States as an immigrant nation. Other leaders might accept the sexual

revolution and the new gender roles and work to help the modern working family. Others might embrace again the need for national investment in education and modern infrastructure.

That would allow a different kind of debate within the Republican Party and, perhaps, a different kind of politics in the country.

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I'm writing to ask if you have any thoughts or suggestions for possible candidates for the position of the Executive Director of the National Capital Area ACLU. Johnny Barnes, the long time ED of the ACLU-NCA, is retiring and a good friend of mine, Debby Carliner, is chair of the search committee.

I've attached the job description. I thought with your broad knowledge of the civil rights community you might have some ideas. I'll be happy to pass on any suggestions.

Thanks for the help.

Sincerely,  
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We are also cancelling tomorrow's nightly recap because of the debate - thanks all!

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See you soon  
Having fun?

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We're in BIG trouble if "Midterm Democrats" don't show up to the polls – we've lost BIG that way before (remember 2010?)

I'm fired up, and I know *you* are, but to get our fellow Democrats' attention before Election Day rolls around, we need to get a strong ground game going – that means knocks on doors, envelopes in mailers and ads on the air. But we can't do any of it without the help of donors who CARE.

[Donate \\$250 to our Democratic Turnout Fund before midnight so we have the \\$8,000 we need to overcome this devastating enthusiasm gap. get Democrats to the polls and win.](#)

Thanks – I know I can always count on strong supporters like you.

Sean

Contribute

This email was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com.

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To: [jp66@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jp66@hillaryclinton.com)  
"John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 9/23/2015 6:33:42 AM

Subject: message memo

Attachments: 2015-09-23 - Fighting For You memo - 130PM.docx

John,

Attached is the most recent version of the updated message memo. (Dan, I went ahead and made some of the edits you suggested that we've emailed back-forth about).

Please let us know your thoughts.

Thanks.

Oren

From: ["Phillip Caplan" <pcaplan@renovacapitalpartners.com>](mailto:pcaplan@renovacapitalpartners.com)

To: ["John and Mary Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/3/2016 12:59:27 PM

Subject: Re: Happy New Year

John, Happy New Year to you and Mary. It was good to see you here in Denver — hope to see you again soon. Feeling good about HRC.

On Jan 3, 2016, at 12:01 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Wishing you a happy New Year. 2015 was challenging, but we ended in a good place thanks to your help and support. Look forward to working with you to elect the first woman President of the United States.

Have a great New Year.

-John

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To: ["Ann O'Leary" <aoleary@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)  
["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 3/5/2016 6:30:40 PM  
Subject: RE: Latest draft for tonight

Heads up: second round of edits coming from WJC...

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**From:** Ann O'Leary [aoleary@hillaryclinton.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 5, 2016 8:25 PM  
**To:** Dan Schwerin  
**Cc:** Speech Book; Speech Drafts; Tina Flournoy; Jon Davidson; John Zimmerebner  
**Subject:** Re: Latest draft for tonight

Research needs to check paragraph about funds for school upgrades in poor communities. We fought for that for years during Clinton Admin, but didn't ever pass it. So I don't believe we did give \$\$ to communities to do it unless smaller demo program passed. But check before she says it.

On Sat, Mar 5, 2016 at 5:11 PM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Here's latest draft for tonight with extensive edits from WJC.

Thanks

Dan

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Ann O'Leary  
Senior Policy Advisor  
Hillary for America  
Cell: 510-717-5518

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Tina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com)  
Date: 5/13/2015 5:49:57 AM  
Subject: Re: time for a call today? Thanks

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Hi Tina-

John's schedule today got a little messy with the Amtrak accident. He's just boarded a bus to Bethesda. He has calls and a meeting when he gets to DC but may be able to call you from the bus if the environment is conducive. If not, Eryn can try to facilitate tomorrow when John is in DC. +Eryn.

Thanks!  
Milia

On May 13, 2015, at 12:42 PM, Tina Flournoy <[Tina@presidentclinton.com](mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com)> wrote:

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Date: 9/16/2015 11:21:40 AM

Subject: Mellman pushback on polls

Talked to Mark. he's willing to do one of his Hill columns on bad polling.  
I told him Joel, anzo or one of the press team would be in touch to work it through and give him TPs.

Who can follow up w/him>?

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)  
Date: 3/23/2015 6:28:57 PM  
Subject: Toner Prize update

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Will let Nick and Dan give more color but it appears as though her speech was well-received by both guests and reporters in the room. They appreciated that she was funny and several people said they were impressed she addressed the elephant in the room and was self-deprecating. Andrea mitchell, laura meckler, jon allen, anne gearan, phil rucker, karen tumulty in unison agreed that she did the right thing and appreciated that she "acknowledged" that she has a problematic relationship with the press. Nick, hrc and I all had uncomfortable exchanges with Carolyn Ryan. Carl Hulse said some NYT staff was betting that she would cancel her appearance tonight. Also, we noted at least one young tracker. And she was audio taped the entire mix and mingle by amy chozick who may as well have been sitting in her lap....

From: "Varney, Christine A." <cvarney@hhlaw.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
"Froman, Michael B" <fromanm@citi.com>

Date: 11/5/2008 6:29:11 AM

Subject: Just heard from JJ office

Sarah Farnsworth asked me to let both of you know that JJ is leaving the country early Friday for a Quartet meeting in Sharm el Sheikh and will not be back until late Sunday. Sarah understanding is that the principals have spoken and our principal needs to make a decision and convey it to JJ. Our principal understands JJ's preference, but JJ has not said no to the other. We have given Sarah the forms, but not activated a deep dive as of yet.

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"EMF <HHLAW.COM>" made the following annotations. -----  
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To: ["Megan Rooney" <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 8/13/2015 12:23:45 PM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: Bullets for Iowa town hall with focus on students parents

Thanks!

On Thu, Aug 13, 2015 at 7:21 PM, Megan Rooney <[mrooney@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

| This is ready for the book. Thanks!

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: [H <hrod17@clintonemail.com>](mailto:H<hrod17@clintonemail.com>)

Date: 10/22/2014 11:44:24 PM

Subject: Re: China summit

Definitely on a list of a half dozen priorities. Kerry pushed with State Councillor Yang this weekend. I am there on climate next week in advance of the trip and will try to raise. Wouldn't hurt to put a call or a message into the President.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

> On Oct 22, 2014, at 4:48 PM, H <[hrod17@clintonemail.com](mailto:hrod17@clintonemail.com)> wrote:

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> I've heard that the NSC team (Evan, et al) is working to include wildlife protection in the agenda. Kurt Campbell has also been working the Chinese side and believes they will agree if US/POTUS side makes it a clear priority.

>

> Do you think this will happen? Can I help in any way?

From: ["Manatos and Manatos" <manatos@manatos.com>](mailto:manatos@manatos.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/25/2015 5:53:05 AM

Subject: Prince Philip to Accept 2015 Metropolitan Chrysostomos Award



WASHINGTON, DC, September 25, 2015 - **Prince Philip**, the Duke of Edinburgh and husband of **Queen Elizabeth**, will accept the ***Washington Oxi Day Foundation's 2015 Metropolitan Chrysostomos Award*** posthumously for his mother **Princess Alice**. This award presentation, part of the Foundation's celebration of courage in the fight for freedom and democracy, will take place in Washington, DC on October 28 -- the exact day 75 years ago that the Prime Minister of Greece answered the Axis Forces' demand for surrender with the famous single word "OXI" or "No".

The Washington Oxi Day Foundation is recognizing the extraordinary courage Princess Alice displayed as she risked certain death. Princess Alice shielded an entire Jewish family, the Cohens, across the street from Gestapo Headquarters in Nazi-occupied Greece during World War II. Periodically, the Nazis came to her home searching for Jewish people but she masterfully protected them each time she was questioned. Princess Alice is recognized in Israel at Yad Vashem as one of the "Righteous Among The Nations".

Princess Alice of Battenberg married Prince Andrew of Greece and Denmark and lived in Greece, where her son Prince Philip was born. After WWII, Princess Alice stayed in Greece and established the order of nuns called the Christian Sisterhood of Martha and Mary. She returned during the last two years of her life to Buckingham Palace and remained a Greek Orthodox Nun.

**Prince Philip** joins a highly esteemed list of world famous individuals who have accepted the Washington Oxi Day Foundations' *Metropolitan Chrysostomos Award*, which commemorates courageous defiance against Adolf Hitler's seemingly unstoppable Nazis. Other award recipients of international note include: former President of Israel **Shimon**

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For more information about our October 28 gala, please click here .

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To: ["Nicole Leeds" <nrleeds@gmail.com>](mailto:nrleeds@gmail.com)

Date: 9/29/2009 2:49:08 AM

Subject: John Podesta is going to Madrid for the weekend

Hi Nicole –

John Podesta is going to Madrid for the weekend. He has never had the opportunity to sightsee in Madrid. He'll have half a day to see the city –

What would you recommend he sees?

Any suggestions for one or 2 great meals?

*Love,*

*Dad*

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Date: 1/1/2009 9:07:36 AM

Subject: Fw: FRIDAY Schedule for President Elect Barack Obama

Attachments: January 2 - Friday.doc

From: Lizzie Nelson

To: Danielle Crutchfield; Alyssa Mastromonaco

Sent: Thu Jan 01 16:00:19 2009

Subject: FRIDAY Schedule for President Elect Barack Obama

**\*FINAL\***

**Schedule for President Elect Barack Obama**

**Friday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2009**

**Chicago, IL**

Scheduling contact: Elizabeth Nelson, 202-510-8729 cell

Emergency Scheduling contact: Alyssa Mastromonaco, 202-213-9845 cell

Friday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2009

Chicago, IL

2:00 - 2:25 pm

**EN ROUTE TRANSITION HEADQUARTERS**

Lead: NA

Limo: PE BO

Pool: Lillie

2:30 - 3:00 pm

**PDB**

Location: Transition Headquarters

Chicago, IL

Press: CLOSED

3:00 - 3:30 pm

**WEEKLY RADIO ADDRESS TAPING**

Location: Transition Headquarters

Chicago, IL

Room: Southwest Conference Room

Site: Grant Campbell

Set-up: Office set-up

Sound/Podium: lav mic

Remarks: Prepared

Teleprompter: Yes

Press: CLOSED

3:35 - 4:00 pm

**EN ROUTE RESIDENCE**

Lead: NA

Limo: PE BO

Pool: Lillie

4:00 - 9:15 pm

**NO SCHEDULE**

9:15 pm

**DAILY TEAM CALL**

RON

**CHICAGO**

From: ["Sean Sweeney" <sfxsweeney@msn.com>](mailto:sfxsweeney@msn.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Jim Messina" <jim@themessinagroup.com>](mailto:jim@themessinagroup.com)  
["Buffy Wicks" <buffyw@gmail.com>](mailto:buffyw@gmail.com)  
Date: 11/21/2013 12:04:51 PM  
Subject:

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Buzzfeed e-mailed Bill Burton to see if he could confirm Buffy Wicks joining Priorities.  
Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: ["Darren Walker" <DarrenWalker.President@fordfoundation.org>](mailto:DarrenWalker.President@fordfoundation.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 11/19/2015 11:58:53 AM

Subject: Reminder to RSVP: Holiday Party hosted by Darren Walker, Dec. 3

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**From:** "Molly McUsic" <mcusic@wyssfoundation.org>  
**To:** "John Podesta (john.podesta@gmail.com)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
**Date:** 9/25/2015 11:31:06 AM  
**Subject:** RE: possible email

Here is the new corrected proposed email. I apologize for not getting it right the first time. It was so noisy on the street that I could well have gotten half of this wrong.

Dear Hansjörg,

I'm sorry I missed your party last weekend. I heard it was a great event.

As I promised, I interviewed the person proposed to run the campaign communications hub we discussed at the last board meeting. After a long search and many discussions of what would work best to aid the campaigns the Foundation is funding, the staff selected Arkadi Gerney who has been running CAP Action. After the interview I am convinced he is an excellent choice. His skill set fits well with what I believe is needed to successfully run the campaign and communications "war room" with our grantees. Because there will be some growing pains as with all new ventures, I recommend we commit to three years (assuming no performance issues) to allow enough time to provide proof of concept. I recommend going forward and hiring him.

**Molly McUsic | President**  
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**From:** Molly McUsic  
**Sent:** Friday, September 25, 2015 12:35 PM  
**To:** John Podesta (john.podesta@gmail.com)  
**Cc:** 'Milia Fisher'  
**Subject:** possible email

Hi John,

Thank you for the call yesterday. I apologize if this proposed email is not what you are hoping for. I was standing on the street when you called and didn't have a pen so it is from a very bad memory. I also added some extraneous detail because I fear he won't remember the whole concept. I'm seeing him on October 6 so if you send this before then I should be able to lock it down. Possible email:

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Date: 10/7/2008 2:48:41 AM

Subject: Fw: NGA and Sen. Obama?

FYI ---

Brian runs the Governor's Washington, D.C. office.

----- Original Message -----

From: "Brian de Vallance" <bdevallance@az.gov>

To: "Noah Kroloff" <NKroloff@az.gov>; "Dennis Burke (E-mail)"  
<burke1262@cox.net>

Sent: Tuesday, October 07, 2008 9:09 AM

Subject: NGA and Sen. Obama???

FYI. Is this true???

Yesterday, at DGA policy meeting in Philly Governor Rendell during the discussion on Investing in America's Infrastructure, said that the governors (NGA) were planning on meeting with Obama for a 1/2 day session on the challenges facing the states.

From: [khgordon@gmail.com](mailto:khgordon@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 12/10/2015 1:30:41 PM  
Subject: Re: looking forward to seeing you in Berkeley next week!

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So inspiring! Thank you for rekindling my desire to do everything I can for the campaign. Speak to you next week on the policy call.

Sent from my phone: 510-501-7075

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**From:** John Podesta  
**Sent:** Friday, December 4, 2015 5:03 AM  
**To:** [khgordon@gmail.com](mailto:khgordon@gmail.com)  
**Subject:** Re: looking forward to seeing you in Berkeley next week!

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Great. Thx. You well?

On Friday, December 4, 2015, Kate Gordon <[khgordon@gmail.com](mailto:khgordon@gmail.com)> wrote:

Just got a ticket to the HRC event on 12/10; look forward to seeing you! Working to drum up other attendees as well. Lots of HRC supporters out here.

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From: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 9/25/2015 12:00:22 PM

Subject: Re: Copy of HRC Memo on Cadillac Tax

I will say it's important to say repeal, otherwise we lose a lot of the reasoning to address the issue.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 25, 2015, at 6:49 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Was a thinking of it wrong that we would not repeal, we would just exempt under 250k?

On Sep 25, 2015, at 4:04 PM, Amanda Renteria <[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

that's right. we are going with 250k, not 100k.

if we can get it there w them on message - awesome!

On Fri, Sep 25, 2015 at 3:58 PM, Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Very few if any rank and file will be touched by \$250K and above. I do think your point about them understanding its repeal is important...so if she says repeal, pauses and says I need some kind of pay for that still relieves this burden on the middle class and therefore folks making over \$250K will take the hit...maybe the way to do it?

Of course I understand she still has this decision to make.

On Fri, Sep 25, 2015 at 3:53 PM, Amanda Renteria <[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

do you think people will see this as repeal? My guess is that they have A LOT of members at 100-250k. right?

On Fri, Sep 25, 2015 at 3:49 PM, Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hello-

Just some thoughts before her decision. I think labor will be good with #2, I would just ask that she lead heavy with her position to repeal and keep the explanation of the \$250k short and direct. Since this is a political issue as much as policy, I just want to see us be able to maximize that political impact. Leading hard on the fact that she got to repeal, I think does that.

Last, if HRC does sign off on this I think a smart roll out will also help maximize. For example, if we know the timing of when she will make the announcement some private prep calls to some select Presidents by John Podesta (or other senior staff, Ann) could be helpful. I'm thinking Lee Saunders, Randi, Schaitberger, Lily and Sean McGarvey. Maximize the political bang.

Thank you for all of your work on this! Great memo.

Nikki

On Fri, Sep 25, 2015 at 2:52 PM, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+Amanda and Nikki who I meant to include on this email!

On Fri, Sep 25, 2015 at 9:27 AM, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

John -

Here is the memo we are sending in to HRC today on the Cadillac Tax. Jake, Neera and I

10/18/2016

are all in agreement that Option 2 is our recommendation: having her go back to her 2008 position and make clear that it should only apply to people above \$250K.

Let us know your thoughts or if you have questions.

Thanks,  
Ann

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From: "Michelle Obama" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 7/28/2008 11:20:50 PM

Subject: My backstage with Barack story

John --

Barack likes to tell a story about the two of us standing backstage before his speech at the 2004 Democratic Convention.

The way he tells it, he was too busy in the days before the convention to feel any pressure -- but about an hour before the speech, I could tell he was getting a little nervous.

To break the tension, right before he went out on stage I leaned in close and said, "Just don't screw it up, buddy."

We laughed. And then Barack brought the house down.

This year, the house is going to be a lot bigger. More than 75,000 people will be in Denver to be part of this important moment, and I want to tell you about an opportunity to join Barack backstage before his acceptance speech.

Ten supporters who make a donation in any amount by midnight this Thursday, July 31st, will be selected to fly to Denver, spend a couple of nights in a hotel, participate in the convention, and go Backstage with Barack. Each supporter who is selected will also get to bring a guest along to share the experience.

Make a contribution of \$5 or more today and you could have your own Backstage with Barack story to tell:

<https://donate.barackobama.com/backstage>

Barack's speech at the convention will be a culmination of the unlikely journey that has brought all of us so far over the past 17 months.

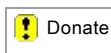
He will call on us to come together and work for change -- not just to win this election, but to make things better for all Americans.

Seeing it in person will be a once-in-a-lifetime experience. I'm excited about being there, and if you make a donation of \$5 or more before the deadline, you could join Barack backstage:

<https://donate.barackobama.com/backstage>

Thanks for everything you've done to get us here.

Michelle



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Date: 9/18/2014 8:53:36 AM

Subject: Union Station to Georgetown Transportation Improvements EA, October 2, 6 - 8 pm

This may be of particular interest to those members of the GULC community who are going (or better: get stuck while trying to go) to Georgetown's main campus frequently.

Katja

## Union Station to Georgetown Transportation Improvements Environmental Assessment

**(Washington, DC)** The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) invite you to attend a public meeting for the Union Station to Georgetown Transportation Improvements Environmental Assessment (EA).

**What:** Public Meeting for the Union Station to Georgetown Transportation EA and Section 106

**When:** Thursday, October 2, 2014

6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

**Where:** Carnegie Library at Mt. Vernon Square  
L'Enfant Map Room  
801 K Street NW

**Transit:** Mount Vernon Sq. 7<sup>th</sup> St. - Convention Center  
Metro Station (Green and Yellow Lines)

The purpose of this meeting is to afford the public an opportunity to discuss the project and provide their views regarding the multi-modal transportation alternatives being considered for all modes (for example, streetcar, vehicular, transit, bicycle and pedestrian) in the corridor. An EA is being prepared for the project per the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

For more information, please visit [unionstationtogeorgetown.com](http://unionstationtogeorgetown.com) or contact DDOT Project Manager Lezlie Rupert at [202-671-1595](tel:202-671-1595).

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*If you need special accommodations or language assistance services (translation or interpretation) please contact Lisa Gregory at [202-671-2628](tel:202-671-2628) or [Lisa.Gregory@dc.gov](mailto:Lisa.Gregory@dc.gov). These services will be provided free of charge.*

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Subject: ..not in a good place...

We're not in a good place here, John. We've been in the office since 6 am this morning working our tails off to make sure that we don't let Democrats down. But John, it looks like our best still isn't cutting it.

I just pulled the numbers and from what I can tell we still have about \$21,010 left to hit our goal.

**[John, if you don't step up, it could be bad. Can you click here and donate before it is too late?](#)**

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Thanks for all you do,

Jess

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Subject: Re: get together for coffee or a beer in Brooklyn on Thurs afternoon?

Brian thinks he's going to lobby you to get an interview with her, FYI.

On Mon, Jan 4, 2016 at 3:22 PM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Just us. Fine schedule-wise.

2016-01-04 15:15 GMT-05:00 Harwood, John (NBCUniversal) <[John.Harwood@nbcuni.com](mailto:John.Harwood@nbcuni.com)>:

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For Immediate Release

October 28, 2008

10/18/2016

# Ensuring A Smooth And Effective Presidential Transition

*The Administration's Preparations for the Transition are Unprecedented in Scope and Depth*

Today, the Transition Coordinating Council (TCC) will meet for the second time, continuing the Administration's comprehensive transition efforts. The peaceful transfer of power from one Presidential Administration to the next is a hallmark of American democracy. With our Nation at war, our homeland targeted by terrorist adversaries, and our economy facing serious challenges, the Administration is committed to establishing and executing a transition plan that minimizes disruption, maintains continuity, and addresses the major changes in government since the 2000 transition, including the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004, as well as the creation of the Department of Homeland Security, the Director of National Intelligence, and the Homeland Security Council.

- **The TCC will help ensure that the Administration's efforts are comprehensive and well coordinated.** The TCC membership includes the President's Chief of Staff and others with authority and expertise in areas that affect a Presidential transition, as well as senior officials in critical areas such as national security, homeland security, and our economy.
- **Executive Order 13476, which was signed by President Bush in October and created the TCC, contains a provision which allows the TCC to "obtain a wide range of facts and information on prior transitions and best practices" by seeking the expertise of outside individuals.** The experts attending today's meeting are from both parties and varying backgrounds. They include:
  - Andy Card, former Chief of Staff to President George W. Bush and Director of the 1992 Bush-Clinton Transition
  - Mack McLarty, former Chief of Staff to former President Clinton
  - Jennifer Dorn, National Academy of Public Administration
  - Norm Ornstein, American Enterprise Institute
  - Max Stier, Partnership for Public Service

## **This Administration's Transition Preparations Are Comprehensive**

**The President has directed his Cabinet and staff to be forward-leaning in all of their efforts to ensure a smooth and effective transition.** It has never been more critical that a transition from one Administration to the next be as seamless as possible. This Administration has gone to great lengths to prepare the Federal government for the transition to a new Administration and to help the major-party candidates prepare for a Presidential transition. For example:

- **Federal agencies and White House offices are preparing briefings for the President-elect's team on significant pending policy issues as well as the structure of those agencies and offices.**
- **Career executives within each agency who may assume added responsibilities before the arrival of new political appointees have been identified, briefed, and included in a wide range of preparatory activities.** Office of Management and Budget officials continue to meet with these key career officials to detail their responsibilities and to clarify the transition process.
- **Individual agencies are taking agency-specific steps:**
  - The Department of Defense's Transition Task Force is preparing to host transition teams of the President-elect.
  - The Department of Homeland Security is holding conferences and exercises designed to boost incident management capabilities and cross-departmental awareness.

On October 9-10, the Secretary of State held an offsite meeting with senior State Department and USAID leadership to discuss transition planning and foreign policy and management challenges facing the new Administration. The State Department is also preparing a list of pending political/economic commitments arranged by country.

## **The Administration Is Engaged In A Nonpartisan, Comprehensive, And Unprecedented Effort To Help The Two Major Party Candidates Prepare To Govern**

**The Administration has reached out and provided services to both campaigns.** Changes made in the 2004 Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act allow the Administration to work with the major-party candidates before the election. This Administration is doing more than has ever been done to help the major-party candidates prepare. The White House began working with transition representatives of both major-party candidates during the summer and has met regularly with them since then by phone and in person.

### **The Administration's efforts to prepare the major party candidates include:**

- The Office of the Director of National Intelligence has provided intelligence briefings to the candidates. These briefings are continuing and are being supported by the entire intelligence community.
- Senior Administration officials have remained in close contact with the major-party candidates in recent months regarding important issues of national security and our current financial crisis.

- The Office of Government Ethics has trained additional staff to prepare for an increase in financial disclosure filings and has held extensive meetings with both campaign transition teams to discuss financial disclosure rules.

**The Administration has also worked to facilitate a speedy security clearance process for key transition personnel.** Historically, one of the biggest challenges faced by incoming Administrations has been the time required to obtain security clearances for key officials. The 2004 Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act allows major-party candidates to request clearances for key transition personnel before the election so that those individuals will have the necessary clearances should their candidate win.

- **The White House worked with Department of Justice, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and the transition teams to create an orderly and efficient process.** To ensure a confidential process, the White House does not have access to the numbers and identities of cleared individuals. Nevertheless, the White House confirms regularly with the transition teams that the process meets the transition teams' needs.

**All interactions with the candidates and their transition teams have been equitable.** The cornerstone of the Administration's contact has been uniformity of access. Materials, meetings, and guidance given to one transition team are simultaneously offered to the other.

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Will do.

On Mon, Feb 8, 2016 at 1:05 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Thanks Eryn. Don't think we need anything tonight so you can call him off for this evening.

On Monday, February 8, 2016, Eryn Sepp <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)> wrote:

Hi Judge Leon and John--

I called GULC to make sure your classroom AV capabilities and set up will remain the same this semester, and that they won't make any changes to the set up without informing you. Your technician for Monday nights is:

Loren--[202-662-9232](tel:202-662-9232)

He's onsite every Monday night, so if there are any issues, please do call him for help. I'm around today if you need anything prior to class.

Best,  
Eryn

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Date: 4/12/2015 7:28:49 PM

Subject: Primary Calender

Attachments: 2015-04-10 2016 Primary and Caucus Calendar[1].PDF

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Attached is the first version of the 2016 primary/caucus calendar. We will update weekly as necessary.

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CBC Members Surrogate Activity Memo.docx  
CBC Coordination Legal Talking Points.docx  
JDP Af Am Leadership Stats.docx

John,

Attached are your full briefing materials for the CBC meeting at 8:15 AM tomorrow.

1. Event Briefing Memo w/ Talking Points
2. Af Am Paid Media Memo
3. CBC Surrogates Memo
4. Charlie's Coordination Legal Talking Points
5. Af Am Senior Staff Memo

Per item no. 5-- Sara's writes: *"I know you have the best sense (and are highly focused on) where we are on Af Am leadership, but I asked Beth to pull together some stats to help make the case that we are aware and addressing the concern of the CBC:*

*-The overall stat isn't great (8%)*

*-In our top two salary bands, the percentage of African Americans are 21.2% and 11.6%, respectively"*

The full Af Am leadership information from Beth is in the attachment.

Minyon, Karen, and Ladavia are aware of the time change to 8:15 AM and will meet you at 8:05 at the DNC. I made sure that all of their cell phone numbers ARE in your contacts.

Thanks!

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## NSN Daily Update: A Violent Weekend around the World 7/28/08

This weekend saw a spate of violence, with terrorist attacks in Iraq, Turkey and India. These attacks remind us of the terrible appeal of nationalism and extremism. American foreign policy should focus on containing and providing alternative outlets for these forces. Unfortunately, the Bush Administration's invasion of Iraq and its ill-conceived foreign policies have often done more to exacerbate the problem than address it.

**Separate bombings kill 43 in Baghdad and Kirkuk.** On Monday, bombs exploded during a Shi'a pilgrimage in Baghdad and a Kurdish rally in northern Iraq, killing at least 43 and wounding many more. In Baghdad, a roadside bomb and three suicide attackers exploded in quick succession among Shi'a pilgrims making their way to a shrine. According to police and hospital officials, the bombs killed at least 28 people and wounded 92. In a separate attack at a Kurdish rally in the northern city of Kirkuk, a bomb killed at least 15 people and wounded 170 others. The rally was held in protest of the draft provincial elections law because the Kurds were against the power-sharing formula in the oil-rich city of Kirkuk. The law was vetoed by the Iraq's Kurdish President, Jalal Talibani. [AP, [7/28/08](#) ]

**Bombings in Turkey leave 17 dead.** Two Sunday evening blasts in eastern Istanbul left 17 people dead and more than 150 wounded. No one has claimed responsibility for the bombings, the deadliest in the country since 2003. However, Turkish police are carefully looking at the separatist Kurdistan Workers Party (PKK) for any involvement in the attacks. [Reuters, [7/28/08](#) ]

**Two waves of attacks shook India this weekend.** A series of bombings killed 49 and wounded more than 200 in Bangalore and Ahmadabad in India Friday and Saturday. A group calling itself the Indian Mujahedeen claimed responsibility for the attacks. The attack on Ahmadabad, capital of the western province Gujarat, consisted of as many as 20 small coordinated explosions. The weekend attacks underscored the high level of violence in India. The National Counterterrorism Center in Washington concluded last year that from January 2004 to March 2007, 3,674 people had died in India from terrorist attacks, second only to Iraq during the same period. [The Economist, [7/28/08](#) ; NY Times, [7/28/08](#) ]

### Quick Hits

The [LA Times](#) examines the Bush administration policy shortcomings towards Pakistan and how the next administration will inherit a highly volatile situation there.

Turkey's ruling party, the AKP, a moderate, Muslim, Democratically elected party, may be [outlawed](#) by Turkey's highest judicial body, striking a major blow to Turkish democracy. The decision would also ban the AKP's leading figures, including the current Prime Minister and President, from government for five years. The ruling will carry enormous implications for Turkey's stability and global prospects for Islamic democracy.

The New York Times Magazine investigated Afghanistan's flourishing [opium trade](#) .

The Washington Post is running a series on energy security this week entitled "[Oil Shock](#) ." The New York Times also has a piece today on the effect of [energy subsidies](#) .

Congress approved a major [housing bill](#) on Saturday designed to help homeowners and mitigate fluctuation in the global markets, which shook last week following fears of a Freddie Mae or Fannie Mac collapse.

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We are planning to have prep call with HRC tomorrow to discuss the morning show interviews.

Sunday, February 7th

7:30am ET

[718-406-9705](tel:718-406-9705)

Passcode 14417

Please let us know if you have any questions -- thank you.

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 1/18/2016 4:05:05 PM  
Subject: Re: Chair Podesta- Hillary Lead Organizer in Houston Needs Your Help!

Art is someone we talk to all the time. He will send a similar email to any address he can find for anyone on the campaign however I will follow up specifically on this one. He has great intentions but can be very difficult

Adam J. Parkhomenko  
Director of Grassroots Engagement  
Hillary for America  
@AdamParkhomenko

On Jan 18, 2016, at 9:39 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Do you guys want to reach out/take care of this guy?

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Arthur Pronin <[a.pronin@meydems.org](mailto:a.pronin@meydems.org)>  
Date: Monday, January 18, 2016  
Subject: Chair Podesta- Hillary Lead Organizer in Houston Needs Your Help!  
To: ["john.podesta@gmail.com"](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Chair Podesta

I dont know if you get these! Im a friend of John West in Houston Tx-he met you in Chicago-a super volunteer!

In 08 I was hillary's lead organizer for Houston Tx. And she personally before the party here embraced me and honored me for all I did!

I 2 x this round submitted resumes to no avail-I have a large following here-large. Burns Strider and others have fought for me to have a role here. So far no avail. Surely a great mna like you can help make sure my name isnt forgotten?!

Hillary is in houston tmrw-it breaks my heart I cant be there-Im broke from all the hard work I do right now. She means so much to my career etc.. Hope you can help me somehow friend in these issues-Art Pronin, Pres Meyerland Area Democrats-largest in tx



From: "truthout" <messenger@truthout.org>

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/24/2014 10:04:52 AM

Subject: Naomi Klein on Cause of Climate Crisis: "Capitalism Is Stupid"



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### **Naomi Klein on Cause of Climate Crisis: "Capitalism Is Stupid"**

**Sarah Jaffe, Truthout:** In this exclusive interview, Naomi Klein talks about her new book, *This Changes Everything: Capitalism vs. the Climate*, extractivism, activism and the way to change hearts and minds around climate change.

[Read the Interview](#)

### **What the Movement Against Mass Incarceration Can Learn From the Struggle for Climate Justice**

**James Kilgore, Truthout:** Environmental justice activists' engagement with governments, global organizations and corporations holds many lessons in fighting for justice in the criminal legal system.

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## **BuzzFlash**

**Eric Holder Basically Tells Wall Street to Beware of Moles, Really Mark Karlin, BuzzFlash at Truthout:** Why isn't Holder held accountable for warning Wall Street of potential informers, and therefore, by implication, alerting financial firms to take more secure measures not to get caught?

[Read the BuzzFlash Commentary](#)

**"All Hands on Deck" Declares Ban Ki-moon at UN Climate Summit**

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**FBI Gags State and Local Police on Capabilities of Cellphone Spy Gear**

## Ten Business Lessons for Higher Education

**William Bradley and Christian Exoo, Truthout:** Neoliberal reformers suggest that universities need to act more like businesses, yet their suggestions undermine the purpose of higher education. Instead, what if universities learned the lessons of responsible businesses?

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## New Yorkers Call Lyme Disease the New Plague

**Jessica Bernstein, Truthout:** Celebrities like Howard Stern and Daryl Hall speak out, while Lyme patients crippled by the disease took to the streets in front of The New York Times building on September 17 to call for greater news coverage of the condition. More than 150 people including 30 wheelchair users lined the sidewalks.

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## Sixteen for '16 - Number 13: Let People Vote

**Salvatore Babones, Truthout:** Voter suppression has re-emerged as a strategy for winning elections and is so widespread in the United States that it criminally undermines the integrity of our democracy. We must let the people vote.

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## For-Profit Insanity Is Killing Americans

**The Daily Take Team, The Thom Hartmann Program:** Everywhere you look, there's good news to be found about health care reform. Even so, for-profit insurance companies and for-profit hospitals are still finding new ways to screw people over.

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## Global Drug Report: Don't Just Decriminalize, Demilitarize

**Cyril Mychalejko, teleSUR English:** A report released earlier this month by global political leaders made headlines across the world for calling the US drug war a failure and for its endorsement of the decriminalization of drugs. But the report's critique of the militarization of the drug war was largely neglected by the media.

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## From One North Carolina Prison, Reports of an Eight-Month Lockdown

**Lisa Dawson, Solitary Watch:** Across the country, even prisoners who have not been formally placed in solitary confinement or any form of "segregation" can be subjected to a "lockdown" in which they may be held in solitary-like conditions, confined to their cells nearly round-the-clock.

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## In a Warming World We Can't Keep Depending on the Same Few Crops

**Sayed Azam-Ali, The Conversation:** What should we do for agriculture in hotter, drier climates? A good start would be to explore the many hundreds of underutilized crops that have survived, yielded and fed people for millennia despite, not because of, agricultural science.

[Read the Article at The Washington Post](#)

## Syrians Say Civilians Killed in US Airstrikes

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## We Have Met the Existential Threat, and It Is Us

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## Reporters Say White House Sometimes Demands Changes to Press-Pool Reports

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## How a Giant US Economic Gimmick Has Wages and Jobs Hanging by a Thread

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## FEC Complaint Accuses Walmart of Breaking Campaign Finance Law

[Read the Article at Al Jazeera America](#)



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## Tens of Thousands of Wisconsin Students Face New Voting Hurdles

**Brendan Fischer, PR Watch:** Thanks to a last-minute reinstatement of Wisconsin voter ID restrictions, tens of thousands of students will have to go through additional hurdles before Election Day if they want to exercise their right to vote.

[Read the Article](#)

## Meet the Activist Group That's Making Student Loan Debt Disappear

**Jessica Ramos, Care2:** Activists with the Strike Debt Rolling Jubilee movement believe that we all deserve to see an end to student loans. So in a radical twist, these activists are doing what Wall Street and the government can't seem to figure out - they're canceling student loan debt.

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To: [John.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:John.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/10/2015 9:04:39 AM

Subject: JJN summit on wages informs G20 talks on inequality, growth

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**JUSTJOBS HOSTS GERMAN LABOR  
MINISTER, TOP ECONOMISTS FOR GLOBAL  
DIALOGUE ON WAGES**

In Ankara, Turkey last week, the JustJobs Network hosted its annual summit in collaboration with Prakash Loungani of the [International Monetary Fund's Jobs & Growth Group](#). The conference, "[Squaring Higher Wages and Competitiveness](#)," included a high-level luncheon with German Minister of Labour and Social Affairs Andrea Nahles.

Participants at the dialogue included Catherine L. Mann, Chief Economist for the OECD; Subir Gokarn, Director of Research for Brookings India and former Deputy Governor of the Reserve Bank of India; and Edward Gresser, Acting Assistant USTR for Economics & Policy at the U.S. Trade Representative.

Minister Nahles asserted that "there is both a moral and economic case for just jobs." She [spoke candidly](#) on Europe's responsibility to refugees and asylum seekers: "We are in a position to rise to the occasion. And here again just jobs come in. Because work is the key to integration and participation in society."

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## NEW JJN VOLUME: BOOSTING WAGES IS A SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC IMPERATIVE



Source: CIFOR

At its annual summit in Ankara, the JustJobs Network released a new volume – [Global Wage Debates: Politics or Economics?](#) – to guide policymakers grappling with the question of how to increase workers' earnings and balance competitiveness.

The report finds that boosting wages is a social and economic imperative, and that sustained wage growth is key to tackling inequality and promoting growth in a global economy plagued by weak aggregate demand. Its release [garnered attention](#) from Turkish and global media outlets.

The 10-chapter volume is co-authored by the member institutions of the

JustJobs Network, bringing together new insights on minimum wage setting, the nexus of wages and productivity, and the importance of compensation ladders in promoting economic mobility.

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Perkumpulan Prakarsa, an Indonesia-based member of the JJN, is shaping a critical debate unfolding in the Southeast Asian country. The Indonesian government's new universal employment insurance program is struggling to incorporate vast numbers of informal workers. Prakarsa is helping to inform government efforts to reach the informal economy, with Ah Maftuchan and Victoria Fanggidae recently publishing an [opinion piece](#) in the *Jakarta Post*.

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After the launch of JustJobs research on labor migration and countries of origin at a global conference in Jakarta last month, global news outlet Reuters published an [article-length feature](#) on the report – [Labor Migration and Inclusive Growth: Toward Creating Employment in Origin Communities](#). The JJN report finds that remittance-based economies often fail to create local employment opportunities, calling for a new policy framework aimed at just job creation in origin communities.

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Date: 3/15/2015 11:36:53 PM  
Subject: Re: When are you back?

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Weds am

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> On Mar 16, 2015, at 6:30 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:  
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From: ["Wagstaff, Jesica" <Jesica\\_E\\_Wagstaff@who.eop.gov>](#)

To:

Date: 2/18/2015 2:58:03 PM

Subject: RE: Invitation: Jess Maher's Farewell Reception (2/27)

Apologies. With Jess' correct personal email ([jessica\\_a\\_maher@yahoo.com](mailto:jessica_a_maher@yahoo.com) ).

**From:** Wagstaff, Jesica

**Sent:** Wednesday, February 18, 2015 4:48 PM

**Cc:** 'jessica.a.maher@yahoo.com'

**Subject:** Invitation: Jess Maher's Farewell Reception (2/27)

*"That bright blue ball rising over the moon's surface, containing everything we hold dear – the laughter of children, a quiet sunrise, all the hopes and dreams of posterity – that's what's at stake. That's what we're fighting for. And if we remember that, I'm absolutely sure we'll succeed."* - President Barack Obama, June 25, 2013

Please join us in celebrating Jess Maher's six years of service to the Administration and the Nation.  
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 12/1/2014 8:48:45 PM  
Subject: 11:30 tuesday?

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John

I'll be in the EEOB 10:30-11:30 with Rick Duke. Apologies for last second, but any chance to say hi for 15 minutes right after?

Best,  
Michael

Sent from my iPhone

From: "MileagePlus Partner" <MileagePlus\_Partner@news.united.com>

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Subject: Re:

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Based on one creepy Maureen Dowd column and Ricchetti spotted having breakfast with Lou Sussman.

On Sunday, August 2, 2015, Harwood, John (NBCUniversal) <[John.Harwood@nbcuni.com](mailto:John.Harwood@nbcuni.com)> wrote:  
cannot believe Biden story is leading the paper

correct me if I am wrong, since you would know better, but it strikes me that "Biden is actively exploring" is the new "criminal referral of Hillary Clinton" if you know what I mean

John Harwood  
CNBC/NYT  
202 669 0751

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To: [rbroz@politicaldgc.com](mailto:rbroz@politicaldgc.com)

Date: 9/18/2012 5:10:13 AM

Subject: Please Join me for Breakfast this Thursday

Attachments: Bustos Breakfast 9.20.12 final.pdf

Good morning,

I will be in Washington, D.C. for a breakfast fundraiser this Thursday at 9:00am. I hope you will be able to join us--the invitation is attached to this email and the information is below.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact Randy Broz or Sally Wilson at [rbroz@politicaldgc.com](mailto:rbroz@politicaldgc.com) or [\(202\) 479-2527](tel:2024792527).

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Kindest Personal Regards,

Cheri Bustos, Democratic Nominee IL-17

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Date: 12/21/2014 8:42:39 AM  
Subject: FW: Ready for Hillary

John, Happy Holidays, Marshall

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**From:** Marshall Matz  
**Sent:** Saturday, December 20, 2014 10:52 AM  
**To:** 'Cheryl Mills'; 'Robert Russo'; DAN SCHWERIN; 'Jim Messina'  
**Cc:** petermrouse@gmail.com; Dan Glickman (dan.glickman@aspeninstitute.org); Tom Daschle  
**Subject:** Ready for Hillary

I suspect you have a lot on your mind this Holiday Season and it does not include the rural vote. But please allow a thought for your consideration and discussion at a later date.

The key to maximizing the rural vote is to integrate agriculture into your larger economic message. A ten point plan for agriculture is no longer the way to go. Instead, the word "agriculture" should be integrated into your economic message, trade discussion, foreign policy and energy policy. A shout to agriculture must be a part of any announcement that may be forthcoming in the spring. Americans spend less than 10% of our disposable income on food, the lowest in the history or the world, which gives us the resources needed to drive our consumer economy. Rural Americans and farmers just want to know that HRC respects them and thinks they are still important to the future American economy. We need a vibrant farm economy from the large commercial farms that feed the world to the small farms that feed the community. And, as she said at State, we must support sound science and technology if we are going to meet the challenge of food security.

All the best in 2015, Marshall (Remember, Bruce Braley would be a Senator if he had lost the rural vote by only 20 %.)

From:

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Madame Secretary,

Quick update for you:

(1) Brian's video is great and it's being emailed tomorrow to launch the Briefing Room website.

(2) We met again today to brainstorm the speech outline with Dan and he is going to have a draft outline for the team by COB tonight. We will reconvene again tomorrow to give him feedback and our goal is to get a revised outline to you tomorrow COB. We will then do a call with you to discuss it and Dan will then create an initial draft with Lissa and Joel.

Kristina will also send an overview memo with our goals, objectives and plan for the launch overall.

Let me know if you have any questions!

Robby

|              |                                         |
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| To:          | "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> |
| Date:        | 2/3/2016 4:00:24 AM                     |
| Subject:     | Fwd: FW: 2016 Election                  |
| Attachments: | Task Force 9 24 15.docx                 |

Hey John,

Greg is a good friend of mine from college who is a legitimate big wig in the logistics of marketing to younger demographics all around the country, and he's interested in helping Hillary.

As you know, I don't make a habit of forwarding stuff like this to you. Greg is an extremely capable and hard working guy, and I think he really is in a position to make a significant impact for you guys. So if you're looking for marketing logistics support, especially for younger &/or minority demographics, I recommend that you talk to him.

<http://www.refuelagency.com/people/greg-anthony/>

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**From:** Greg Anthony [mailto:[GAnthony@refuelagency.com](mailto:GAnthony@refuelagency.com)] ]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 03, 2016 10:20 AM  
**To:** Rouse, Gordon  
**Subject:** FW: 2016 Election

Gordon,

See attached. A couple months back, after ten years of work, I was able to bring the African American publishers and Hispanic publishers together. There are 400 Hispanic publications and 300 African American publications covering every state.

The reason for my email is that neither organization has endorsed a candidate and I can help make that happen (what are friends for). I can also use publishers in every market for grass roots event and work.

If anyone is interested, have them yell at me.

## Greg Anthony

EVP, National Sales Manager



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From: ["Robert Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)  
To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)  
Date: 12/16/2014 11:45:21 AM  
Subject: Re: Memo re: Hiring of SuperPAC Employees

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So much for the WaPo leaker!

On Tue, Dec 16, 2014 at 6:34 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

FYSA

From: ["Megan Rouse" <megan.rouse@yahoo.com>](mailto:megan.rouse@yahoo.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/16/2014 1:36:28 AM

Subject: Re: Fwd:

Cool, thanks for the heads up. We will check it out. !

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**From:** John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

**To:** Gabe Podesta <gpodesta@gmail.com>

**Cc:** Mae Podesta <mpodesta@gmail.com>; Megan Rouse <megan.rouse@yahoo.com>; Mary Podesta <podesta.mary@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Friday, May 16, 2014 12:36 AM

**Subject:** Re: Fwd:

Airs this weekend. I didn't crush every question, but I think I did fairly well.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

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On May 15, 2014, at 11:14 PM, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

You were on Wait, Wait Don't Tell Me?!

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Lindy Singleton** <[mcsingleton@gmail.com](mailto:mcsingleton@gmail.com)> >

Date: Fri, May 16, 2014 at 7:18 AM

Subject:

To: Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> >

Guess who I happened to see tonight! I hope things are well with you!

- Lindy

Sent from my iPhone

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Gabe Podesta

<image.jpeg>

From: "Foot Locker" <Footlocker@e.footlocker.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/13/2015 5:35:23 PM

Subject: Releasing tomorrow: Jordan Retro 7 and adidas Originals



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From: [johnson\\_lo <johnson\\_lo@mail2000.com.tw>](mailto:johnson_lo@johnson_lo@mail2000.com.tw)

To:

Date: 12/12/2008 2:38:56 AM

Subject: (快訊)扁珍致靚惡行重大從重量刑

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## 〈快訊〉扁珍致靚惡行重大從重量刑

TVBSNews 2008/12/12 15:21

眾所矚目的扁家四大案，南港展覽館、龍潭購地、國務費及[洗錢](#)等四大案，首波偵結行動在今天下午塵埃落定，特偵組在下午在法務部召開記者會，由檢察總長陳聰明、陳雲南主持說明。

檢察總長陳聰明首先感謝各界的關心及各單位的合作，尤其是特偵組同仁的努力。

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From: "Shumway Marshall, Business Forward" <info@businessfwd.org>

To: "John Podesta" <John.Podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/14/2015 1:42:17 PM

Subject: REMINDER: Webinar on the Fed and Interest Rates

John—

[Don't forget to sign up for our webinar tomorrow on the Federal Reserve and interest rates.](#) As speculation grows about a potential increase to the Fed's benchmark interest rate this week, you'll hear from two economists about how various scenarios could affect your business, consumers, and the broader economy.

Here's the link to register: <http://myaccount.maestroconference.com/conference/register/LZX5W6MYPRZ2VV>.

I hope you can make it,

— Shumway

From: Shumway Marshall

Reply-To: Shumway Marshall

Date: Thursday, December 10, 2015 at 3:25 PM

Subject: INVITE: Webinar on the Fed and Interest Rates



John—

As economists speculate whether the Federal Reserve will raise its benchmark interest rate for the first time since 2006, learn how various scenarios could affect your business, consumers, and the broader economy.

[The day before the Fed's next regular meeting and interest rate announcement, please join Business Forward for a webinar with leading economists from PwC US and the National Association of Realtors®](#)

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Tuesday, December 15  
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I hope you can make it,

**Shumway Marshall**

Digital Director

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P.S. There is no cost to attend Business Forward's programming so please feel free to forward this invitation to your colleagues.



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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/23/2015 6:59:19 AM

Subject: RE: Saturday head's up

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OK that would work well. But need to leave DC by 5 AM or so. (8:30 at Funeral home and 9:30 at church).

**From:** John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2015 12:10 PM

**To:** podesta.mary@gmail.com

**Subject:** Re: Saturday head's up

I can probably go with you. Need to be in NYC by 4:00

On Wednesday, September 23, 2015, <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

Ed Gabrielski's funeral is Sat morning. I will try to make it, driving up very early Saturday.

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Date: 6/22/2014 7:03:39 PM

Subject: Bruce Riedel in Al-Monitor

Bruce Riedel new piece - Saudi king's short victory lap in Egypt - Al-Monitor: the Pulse of the Middle East

<http://www.al-monitor.com/pulse/originals/2014/06/saudi-arabia-egypt-king-abdullah.html>

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Brent Budowsky" <brentbbi@webtv.net>](mailto:brentbbi@webtv.net)

Date: 5/18/2015 7:48:14 AM

Subject: Re: John, be careful

Message heard, although I think caution will ultimately be measured by what she says and what she's for rather than how many press gaggles she does. And in that regard, I don't think she'll be cautious or imperial. But no sense working them into a lather.

On May 18, 2015 2:02 PM, "Brent Budowsky" <[brentbbi@webtv.net](mailto:brentbbi@webtv.net)> wrote:

I am not going to raise this publicly, but one of HRC's opponents will soon charge that she is running an "imperial campaign." If it is the right opponent, Democrat or Republican, the charge will resonate. Probably 90% of the total media coverage of HRC has a negative slant, from her paid speeches to foundation donations to not answering questions from the press. Her caution on policy has created a news vacuum that is filled by these other stories. And while I don't have the highest regard for most of the campaign press corps, they are getting dangerously unhappy about HRC refusing to answer questions.

If we look at a long curve of her numbers, there is reason for serious concern if trends continue and I see nothing today that will change them.

What I hear from many many Democrats is that there is something off-key about her campaign and the hope that Republican candidates are so bad she can win by playing cautious. That is a very dangerous way to run for president.

What I hear from "average voters" is basically a shrug, no enthusiasm, wait and see, with some real doubts.....

There is a missing element in her campaign and it is troubling. The "imperial campaign" charge will resonate when the right candidate figures it out....

Sent from my iPad

From: "Sean Patrick Maloney" <info@seanmaloney.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 9/28/2014 11:01:56 AM

Subject: Roll Call et al.

John,

Political analysts (*Roll Call* et al.) keep telling us this race is getting tighter, and the Chamber of Commerce just launched a new ad attacking me, sucking up more TV time for Congresswoman Hayworth and Boehner's Tea Party agenda.

If we don't do something we'll lose. This is what we need to do:

- Keep our ads up. ([I need you to donate to stay on the air.](#) )
- Make calls every waking hour till Election Day, and hit mailboxes till the last minute. ([Can you give \\$250 so we can talk to 25,000 more voters in person?](#))
- Register and turn out every one of our voters. ([Please contribute to fund our registration and GOTV work!](#))

If we can reach every voter in the Hudson Valley, on the air and on the ground, we'll win.

But the plan depends on your support: We need you, John, to chip in \$250 or whatever you can spare, right now. Here's the link one more time: <https://secure.actblue.com/page/spmrapidresponse>

Thanks!

– Sean

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Date: 4/12/2015 12:23:48 PM  
Subject: focus group of one, regarding the video

Always dangerous to send anecdotal notes from average non-political people, but thought I would share reaction from this person, who is an average Millennial, non-political, non-activist type from Delaware:

"Powerful message.... I love it. It makes me cry everytime and I'm not sure why."

(What makes you cry do you think?)

"The background music is great, the Hispanics starting their business, the black family preparing for their child, the gay men getting married.. 'When families are strong, America is strong' and that she says 'earn your vote'. Those visuals accompanied by the background music make me cry but like a happy cry. But I'm overly emotional sometimes.... I just get a feeling like things are gonna get better for those people I mentioned and it makes me happy for them."

Now he also questioned the word 'champion' and mentioned something about it being in Game of Thrones (there is always something...), but I wanted to share with you the deep emotion that this video caused in one younger voter, who is likely representative of many more.

From: ["Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)

To: ["John Podesta \(john.podesta@gmail.com\)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/16/2015 11:11:37 AM

Subject: Can I give you a call to bounce an idea off you re: econ growth discussion we had?

If so,  
What's best # and time to call?  
Joel

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To: ["Mike Pyle" <pyle\\_michael@yahoo.com>](mailto:pyle_michael@yahoo.com)  
Date: 1/25/2016 10:45:34 AM  
Subject: Update: Challenging Debate Myths

Mike & Co. --

Washington remains shut down because of snow. The House has put off all votes until next week and has postponed most hearings. The Senate is still scheduled to return tomorrow. Relevant developments are all occurring on the campaign trail.

There, for the most part, the Democratic primary debate on fiscal and financial issues has been mainly on the merits, not ad hominem, with policy differences generally more of emphasis than of vision. But there are some persistent distortive or at least unedifying myths in the fiscal and financial policy primary debate that are worth challenging. Among them:

- Glass-Steagall would have prevented the meltdown of 2008, and its resurrection can prevent the next one
- Sanders tax plan to pay for health care program would be the largest ever but at least it is progressive across the board

And there is a point that has gotten lost in the dispute about speaking fees: what matters is where you stand, not where you are standing.

More on these points below. Comments welcome.

Best,

Dana

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- Glass-Steagall -- Form vs. Conduct

*Post hoc ergo propter hoc.* Some observers believe that because the final repeal of Glass-Steagall (1999) occurred before the financial meltdown and subsequent recession (2008, ff.), the repeal is responsible for the recession. This has become one of the major points of contention between HRC and Sanders and is an area where they demonstrate stark differences in policy.

A candidate's position on that 1999 repeal has become a proxy for Democrats over whether a candidate would appoint regulators to aggressively enforce existing laws, or whether a candidate would force banks to break up into constituent parts in the hopes that they become too small to cause any trouble. Most officials, even under Democratic President Obama, won't openly say they want to go that far.

A despondent history of the crisis has taken hold on the left. It bothers Barney Frank who as Chair of the House Financial Services co-wrote the Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. But he gets the anger: "It's because nobody went to jail... But big banks are still more powerful than people would like."

But restoring Glass-Steagall wouldn't do enough to oversee large nonbank financial institutions like insurers and hedge funds. The consensus among experts supports Clinton's view, in sum, "I just don't think it would get the job done." Here's why: HRC's proposals focus on behavior, not a corporation's legal form, as Glass-Steagall does.

- Political Viability

No one on the progressive side wants to defend Wall Street or downplay the pressure on middle- and working-class Americans, but Sanders's ideas should not be seen as a more honest or uncorrupted policy. The despairing vision he paints of America is oversimplified.

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Sanders transcends questions about the viability of his plans, suggesting that a pure candidate can rally voters into a righteous uprising that would unsettle the conventional laws of politics --that would leave him with a working majority in Congress somehow.

Similar populist strategies inspired the disastrous Goldwater and McGovern campaigns. Another model for its success would be 2008 with Obama's election. But Obama did not issue extensive and radical policy position papers. He organized passionate volunteers on a massive scale — far broader than anything Sanders has done — and tried to keep his volunteers engaged throughout his presidency. And, in office, Obama had a majority in Congress, one long since gone. Why would Sanders's grassroots campaign succeed where Obama's far larger one failed?

Standing in the way of Sanders' promises is the fact that the president's ability to deliver largescale change is far more limited. The next president will face a House firmly under right-wing rule, making the prospects of important progressive reform impossible. This hardly renders the presidency impotent, obviously -- the end of Obama's term has shown that a creative executive can still work some change.

#### • Breaking Up -- Have a Bank in Mind?

They say that breaking up is hard to do. Sanders's call to break up the banks is an appealing one but... which ones? He demand suggests some confusion about Dodd-Frank, which established an authority and a process for breaking up banks that has been approved by Congress. Presumably knowing this, Sanders must be saying that the authority should be exercised forthwith. Sanders has made this a key facet of his speeches: "Within one year, my administration will break these institutions up so that they no longer pose a grave threat to the economy as authorized under Section 121 of the Dodd-Frank Act." But what's stopping him from identifying which ones?

J.P. Morgan, the country's biggest bank by assets with about \$2.4 trillion, spent much of last year defending its size, especially after Goldman analyst argued breaking up the firm would unlock value in the share price. Fed Chair Yellen said in February that causing firms to think about their size is "exactly what we want to see happen" as a result of higher capital rules. J.P. Morgan has since become leaner and reduced its regulatory capital requirements by moving certain deposits off its books and continuing to slim down its overall assets.

Citigroup too has shrunk total assets by 17 percent since the end of 2007, to \$1.81 trillion from \$2.18 trillion. It has jettisoned units considered risky or tangential—such as a Japanese company that runs call centers, or the subprime lender OneMain Financial—but it has also gotten rid of units that some investors would have preferred they keep, like the wealth management firm Smith Barney.

MetLife said the risk of increased capital requirements "contributed to our decision," suggesting other factors were at play as well. While its plan would hewn off some businesses that regulators had flagged as risky, such as certain guaranteed annuities, that business was also facing profitability pressures amid low interest rates. The Fed also hasn't yet specified what the rules of the road would be for MetLife or other insurance firms.

In light of these events, it is apparent that the new law is working far better than it gets credit for. The Dodd-Frank reforms of the financial industry may not have broken up the big banks, but they have, at the very least, highly reduced systemic risk. The penalties for being too big to fail exceed the benefits, and, as a result, banks are actually breaking themselves up to avoid being large enough to be regulated as systemic risks.

#### Sanders' \$1.9 Trillion Tax Hike is at Least Partly Progressive

Another canard. The taxes that Sanders plans to use to fund his replacement for the ACA are a mix of flat and progressive but are more regressive on balance. Some of his tax proposals are in line with most liberal approaches to raising taxes: by lifting tax brackets, he will increase both income taxes and the estate tax. Additionally, he wants to tax capital gains as regular income and limit tax deductions for those that make more than \$250,000. But his 2.2 percent premium for households and the 6.2 percent health care premium paid by employers are both flat tax rates, an unpopular form of regressive taxation.

Although the burden of his progressive tax proposals will be mostly borne by the wealthy, the flat taxes will undoubtedly weigh on the middle class and they are the majority of his plan, in dollar terms. Sanders has

claimed this extra burden on the middle class is worth it for reduced healthcare premiums, but that remains to be seen. What is certain is that those in the middle class will have to pay both the 2.2 percent premium and deal with reduced wages because of the 6.2 percent premium on employers.

### It's What You Say, Not Where You Say It.

Sanders sought to put HRC on the spot last week by invoking the speaking fees she received from large banking interests after leaving the State Department in 2013. But he failed to bring up the content of her speeches. When Hillary spoke before the clients of GoldenTree Asset Management for a fee of \$275,000, the focus of her speech was Dodd-Frank and its necessity after the financial crisis. Even though she was speaking to a financial institution, she delivered the same message of financial regulation and its importance. Does speaking to Liberty University students imply anything about your policy views?

Both candidates agree on the need for strong regulations and strong regulators, and the distinction between them is drawn only in the points of emphasis. HRC's proposals focus on behavior, not a corporation's legal form, making firms police themselves with strict oversight, while Sanders would prefer requiring those firms to divest more quickly.

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On Jan 21, 2016, at 8:25 PM, Dana <[danachasin@gmail.com](mailto:danachasin@gmail.com)> wrote:

Mike & Co. --

The legislative wheels in Washington are moving into gear slowly year. Everything will stop in its tracks though as the city becomes snowbound over the weekend. Then when the streets clear, work will resume on some important regulatory bills, though they and everything else on the Hill will face tough sledding.

Three of these bills making their ways through Congress that would have the biggest financial regulatory and political impact are reviewed below.

Stay warm and dry.

Best,

Dana

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There are three especially salient legislative regulatory initiatives being drafted or under consideration on the Hill that are more likely than most others to see votes in Congress and could have bearing at some point on the campaign or represent an opportunity in that context.

- The independent Agency Regulatory Analysis Act

A bipartisan measure introduced by Sens. Portman, Warner, and Collins to apply CBA studies to financial rule making. The bill, versions of which have been introduced since 2012 without success, authorizes the president, through the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, to require that the agencies conduct in-depth CBA in addition to considering “least burdensome” regulations as well as the economic impact of their rules.

Critics claim that the purpose of the bill is to inject political considerations into these agencies and that the requirements would impose not only a cost and time burden but would also limit the agencies’ ability to rapidly respond to crises and drain resources. Two agencies, the SEC and CFTC, are already required to undergo a type of cost-benefit analysis. Traditional CBA, critics say, aren’t even an applicable method of accounting when dealing with these agencies.

One of the bill’s own co-sponsors, Susan Collins, spoke out against this very policy proposal only a few years ago, saying “If you bring these independent agencies within the regulatory purview of OIRA, you defeat the whole purpose of having them be independent agencies.”

CBA is one of rallying calls for opponents of the Dodd-Frank law to raise questions about agencies in an attempt to stall or overturn regulations. In fact, opponents have had a number of successes with that approach in the last decade. Sen. Portman defended the bill, saying “(the agencies are) independent, so they should be immune from political influence -- but they shouldn’t be immune from the laws of economics and common sense.”

Given the political climate of the upcoming election year, as well as the past failures of this bill, it’s not likely that this legislation will take root but keep an eye on this bill, because it could make it even more difficult to implement remaining Dodd-Frank rules.

- SEC/Political Disclosure Rule

Sen. Elizabeth Warren said on a conference call today that “shareholders have a right to know how companies spend their money.” To that end, she and Sens. Schumer, Menendez, and Merkley have called on the SEC to draft a rule which would require that publically held companies disclose their political contributions to trade associations and political nonprofits.

Though the omnibus government spending bill passed last month includes language preventing the commission from finalizing a corporate political disclosure rule, “there is nothing preventing the SEC from preparing the rule this year,” per Warren. Sen. Schumer said that language preventing such a rule could be “ripped out root and branch” during the next Congressional appropriations cycle, leading the way for the SEC to finalize the requirement.

This past August, 44 Senators sent the SEC chair a letter calling for political spending disclosure. In October, eight of the 10 Democrats on Banking wrote to the two nominees for SEC commission, expressing their support. The bill would be staunchly opposed by the GOP and business groups. But due to support inside Congress and from the public, and with Sen. Warren championing this initiative, observers should watch closely – while the rule may not be particularly viable, the fight which it will stir up is the real prize involved. it will remain an issue to be closely watched in the coming months.

- The DOL Fiduciary Rule

Rep. Wagner’s Retail Investor Protection Act passed the House in October and has been referred to Senate Banking. The bill restricts the Department of Labor from drafting any rules concerning when an individual is considered a fiduciary until 60 days after the SEC issues a final rule governing the standards of conduct for brokers and dealers.

It also prevents the SEC from writing such a rule until it has reported to particular congressional committees on a number of related matters, including the impact of such rules (or their absence) on retail investors and whether or not a standard fiduciary code of conduct would “adversely impact retail investor access to personalized, cost-effective investment advice and recommendations.” The goal of this legislation may be to entangle the two organizations so fully that they cannot properly carry out their mandates.

Tying up the DOL and SEC’s rule-making abilities by connecting the two organizations is another step in the fight from the right against the current regulatory climate. Attempts to bog down regulators in regulations of their own, a sort of double-stack of regulations, may be a hallmark of this legislative year.

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Subject: Re: Margorie Margolies

I can get on for a short time.

On Apr 28, 2014 9:26 PM, "Huma Abedin" <[Huma@clintonemail.com](mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com)> wrote:

Can you get a conference call at 2pm this Wednesday to discuss Margorie's primary in PA?

We were hoping to avoid getting involved but now that it is less than a month out, and her campaign is not doing as well as she had hoped, we are getting increasing pressure to help.

CDM is in Africa so will try to keep this efficient but ideally we can touch on the 2014 plan for the fall as well.

Please let me know if you can join.

thanks.

Huma

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Date: 9/10/2015 8:33:47 AM

Subject: Re: Follow up

Let me know when you're ready to discuss next steps. Can do a phone call whenever works for you

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We are fine on the CEO loophole. Still discussing how and whether to lay down more on TPP.

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Subject: From David Corn: McCain Says It's "Fine" To Keep Troops in Iraq "A Hundred Years"

FYI. McCain just went pretty far on the war during a town hall meeting in Derry, NH. See my report below.  
David

McCain in NH: Would Be "Fine" To Keep Troops in Iraq for "A Hundred Years"

David Corn

January 3, 2008

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The United States military could stay in Iraq for "maybe a hundred years" and that "would be fine with me," John McCain told two hundred or so people at a town hall meeting in Derry, New Hampshire, on Thursday evening. Toward the end of this session, which was being held shortly before the Iowa caucuses were to start, McCain was confronted by Dave Tiffany, who calls himself a "full-time antiwar activist." In a heated exchange, Tiffany told McCain that he had looked at McCain's campaign website and had found no indication of how long McCain was willing to keep U.S. troops in Iraq. Arguing that George W. Bush's escalation of troops has led to a decline in U.S. casualties, McCain noted that the United States still maintains troops in South Korea and Japan. He said he had no objection to U.S. soldiers staying in Iraq for decades, "as long as Americans are not being injured, harmed or killed."

After the event ended, I asked McCain about his "hundred years" comment, and he reaffirmed the remark, excitedly declaring that U.S. troops could be in Iraq for "a thousand years" or "a million years," as far as he was concerned. The key matter, he explained, was whether they were being killed or not: "It's not American presence; it's American casualties." U.S. troops, he continued, are stationed in South Korea, Japan, Europe, Bosnia, and elsewhere as part of a "generally accepted policy of America's multilateralism." There's nothing wrong with Iraq being part of that policy, providing the government in Baghdad does not object.

In other words, McCain does not equate victory in Iraq--which he passionately urges at campaign events--with

the removal of U.S. troops from that nation. After McCain told Tiffany that he could see troops remaining in Iraq for a hundred years, a reporter sitting next to me quipped, "There's the general election campaign ad." He meant the Democratic ad: John McCain thinks it would be okay if U.S. troops stayed in Iraq for another hundred years.....

Well, it was straight talk. And McCain's combativeness livened up a session during which he alternated between the old McCain (as in punchy, feisty, humorous) and the old McCain (as in just plain old). He moved a bit stiffly on the stage set up in the middle of the Adams Memorial Opera House. And he--somewhat oddly--shared the spotlight with Senator Joseph Lieberman, who has endorsed him. Lieberman did not merely introduce McCain; he stood by McCain during the entire event, helping McCain to answer questions about education, climate change, and the Iraq war. Several times, Lieberman gave more coherent and animated replies than did McCain. Repeatedly, Lieberman maintained that McCain could rack up bipartisan successes as president. (The Lieberman sidekick bit was curious. But an elementary-age girl in the audience did say, after being handed a microphone, that Lieberman was her role-model and that she fancied McCain. Lieberman hugged her, and the whole crowd oohed at this cuteness.)

McCain has been coming on strong in New Hampshire, where he beat George W. Bush by 18 points in the 2000 Republican primary. (Some polls place him in the lead.) Eight years ago, McCain thrived as an independent-minded GOPer willing to blast the corruptions of Washington. These days, his stock appears to be rising because he has stuck with the Iraq war and boasts of years of national security experience. "If the world was stable, we could afford Mitt Romney as the national CEO," says a McCain campaign aide (who asks not to be identified). "But in an unsafe and unstable world, Republican voters, and some independents, are coming to see that we need a warrior in the White House." The crisis in Pakistan, this aide notes, was a timely reminder.

So McCain is not doing so bad for a candidate who was on life-support last summer. But it's not that he has craftily orchestrated his revival; the other campaigns have fallen flat. Romney has had a tough time selling himself as a fellow ready to be commander in chief. Rudy Giuliani cast himself as Mr. 9/11--which is different from persuading voters you are Mr. Win the War. Fred Thompson, who highlighted the foreign policy experience he obtained on the Senate intelligence committee, has mounted a lackluster bid. Mike Huckabee has had little to say about national security and has gaffed too often on foreign policy. Regarding national security and the war, McCain has become the default Republican.

"The Mac is back," Lieberman exclaimed in Derry. Perhaps it's merely that McCain managed to stay on his feet while his rivals have faltered. In the next few days, McCain and his supporters will be pushing him as the Republican who is ready for wartime. This is a potent argument. But will it win over the New Hampshire independents who swooned over McCain in 2000? This slice of the electorate is not particularly fond of the war McCain champions. Michael Dennehy, McCain's political director, says that independents "will agree to disagree on the war with him if they think he's being honest." Well, with McCain boldly declaring he doesn't give a damn how long U.S. troops are deployed in Iraq, his strategists can certainly say he is not holding back. Whether that indeed impresses independents (and Republicans) in New Hampshire won't be known until this Tuesday.

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Subject: Re: can we talk tonight about the Business Roundtable request for a session with HRC please?

Ok, Thanks

Travel safely

Let's catch up after Labor Day

Glenn Hutchins

On Sep 1, 2015, at 7:59 AM, John Podesta [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) > wrote:

I'm traveling to NH this afternoon, but I just let Randall know that we can't make this happen in September. Maybe their next meeting.

On Tuesday, September 1, 2015, Glenn Hutchins [glenn.hutchins@gmail.com](mailto:glenn.hutchins@gmail.com) > wrote:

I will reach out after lunch today

Hope you are well

Glenn Hutchins

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Subject: What we're building this summer



John --

You've been hearing from Messina about our overall strategy and what's at stake in this election. My job as the Battleground States Director is to report back to you on the nuts and bolts of what we're building in communities across the country.

I want to take you through it in detail, so you can understand how to get involved and shape our organization where you live.

We're going to build it from the ground up. And we're going to use this summer to roll out our team model and organizing structure through grassroots planning sessions in homes and by videoconference.

Here's the full briefing -- [watch it here](#) , and if you're willing to get involved now and be part of the organization in your community, let me know:



<http://my.barackobama.com/Grassroots-Update>

Some of these planning sessions are already under way, and we're starting to get some feedback. I got one email from a supporter named Steven, who hadn't been involved at all since 2008, and only went to his grassroots planning session on a whim.

As a result, he's all-in -- he wants to get involved fast, and also has all sorts of new ideas for how he can apply his skills better this time and which friends and colleagues he can reach out to about joining the campaign.

The subject line of his email about the meeting was "Inspiring night."

This kind of organization-building isn't just an electoral strategy -- it's a reflection of what we believe in as voters and citizens. It's a commitment to the kind of politics that begins in backyards and living rooms and empowers every single American to get involved and organize for the changes they want to see.

At a moment when it feels like the only thing that separates our opponents is how quickly they want to end Medicare as we know it, winning this way -- driven locally, powered by the grassroots -- will be a rebuke to those in Washington who still think that people across the country don't have a seat at the table where decisions are made.

I'm asking you to pull up a chair. **If you're willing to get involved now, at this crucial point in the campaign, let me know here:**

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Mitch

Mitch Stewart  
Battleground States Director  
Obama for America

P.S. -- If you don't have time to watch the video, here's a quick rundown on where we stand:

-- Messina mentioned the one-on-one initiative last month. We're going to talk with every person who volunteered or made a donation last time. So the staff and I started making calls and meeting with people one-on-one. And then those people started having their own one-on-ones with others. So far more than 75,000 individual conversations have happened across the country. The results are a massive army of newly energized volunteers, plus

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thousands of pages of ideas and feedback that will inform how we shape our organization nationally.

-- Grassroots planning sessions are under way across the country -- we've had dozens so far with more than a hundred still to come. Everyone has been or will be invited to one.

-- You heard about our Summer Organizer Program when we asked you to help recruit them. Well, there are now hundreds across the country, and they start next week. We were pleasantly surprised that the number of applicants far exceeded what we saw when we launched this program in 2008, and you'll be hearing more about them -- and in many cases from them directly -- in the coming months.

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Date: 7/23/2015 1:45:18 PM

Subject: Summer Workshop for July 28

Attachments: Solum-The Constraint Principle-Georgetown Wokshop.pdf

I think I can more or less promise that this will be my last mass email for the day:

At the summer workshop scheduled for Tuesday, July 28, Larry Solum will discuss his paper entitled "The Constraint Principle: Original Meaning and Constitutional Practice." The paper is attached to this email and will also be available on the Georgetown Law Website and at Faculty Support.

We meet at noon in McDonough 492. Cookies and drinks will be served.

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Date: 6/19/2015 11:50:36 AM

Subject: Invitation: Brainstorming Session @ Sun Jun 21, 2015 10am - 11am (john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

Brainstorming Session

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Sun Jun 21, 2015 10am – 11am Eastern Time

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/23/2008 1:08:34 PM  
Subject: Re: agency review names for national security agencies

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John,

My apologies -- the diversity info accidentally got excluded from this. We will amend and re-send along with a job clearer description for each person to better inform review and discussion.

Lisa

On Thu, Oct 23, 2008 at 4:45 PM, Lisa Brown <[lisabrown3660@gmail.com](mailto:lisabrown3660@gmail.com)> wrote:

John,

We will soon get you a revised list of teams for all the priority one and two agencies, but there is particular urgency for those in the national security cluster because of the need to get a number of the members into the security clearance process. Attached is a revised list of proposed agency team members along with their proposed responsibilities as well as the list of policy teams as you requested. Let us know what you think, and thanks!

Lisa

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Date: 8/20/2008 7:40:28 AM

Subject: September 2 meeting in D.C.

As stated in a previous email, we’re planning to meet in D.C. on **Tuesday, September 2 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.** We’ll be meeting at Perkins Coie, 607 14<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, 8<sup>th</sup> floor. This meeting will include not only transition board and staff, but also working group leaders. I know some of your groups have multiple co-chairs, but the room can only hold 40 people. So I'd really like to limit participation to one person per working group (excluding board members and staff). If you really think two need to be there, let me know, and we can see if we have room.

Please send Adam ([ahitchcock@barackobama.com](mailto:ahitchcock@barackobama.com) ) a list of who will be attending from your working groups, and we can compile a master list of attendees.

Also, given our limited budget, we can’t guarantee that we can pay travel expenses for any working group members coming to this meeting. So, if you’re deciding between a D.C.-based person and a non-D.C. person, you might want to pick the former.

Obviously, everyone (including board members) should hold onto their receipts, and we might be able to reimburse expenses when our coffers are a little more full.

Speaking of which, we currently only have \$35,000 in the bank, and most of that is allocated to August salaries. So, please ask your donors to send in their checks. So far, here’s who has given money:

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Also, if it's easier, Adam or I could reach out to your donors. Just let us know. Thanks.

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Date: 2/15/2016 7:54:51 PM  
Subject: Re: REVISED DRAFT: Breaking every barrier speech

I'd recommend paying tribute and making the connection to people like Mandela (African struggle) and Chisolm (first Caribbean MOC) when you talk about any giants of the past. If she talks about the "many Flint's" compare to Haiti and the aftermath, recognize that people are still suffering in Haiti. Hugging Nigerians, Haitians and Jamaicans (and others) by talking about how immigration reform can't leave behind people of African descent from the continent and the Caribbean (When I was CBC ED, the CBC, led by Yvette Clarke got language in Gang of 8 bill to save the diversity visa program and we carved out portions specifically for black immigrants and billions of dollars for STEM Ed for black people - worked with Schumer to get this done).

Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 16, 2016, at 1:49 AM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Totally agree. What's best way to do it?

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>> On Feb 16, 2016, at 1:35 AM, LaDavia Drane <ldrane@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>> Just thought of one more thing, please take the opp in the speech to  
>> address the African and Caribbean community, especially since she will  
>> be in NYC. This will go such a long way. Policy just completed a one  
>> pager for the community. Haitians need to hear from us especially.

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>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>> On Feb 16, 2016, at 12:43 AM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>>> Hey everyone,

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>>> Thank you so much for your comments today. We had a productive conversation with the Secretary this evening who wanted to see more in here about solutions that will actually impact people's lives. I think we've delivered that while slimming down the policy section overall.

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>>> We changed the top so this doesn't start with criminal justice. She suggested we start with Flint... but first we put in Harlem so it's not negative right off the bat.

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>>> She also asked that we say positive things about all that was accomplished in the 90s. So we did that, while also adding a short paragraph (3 sentences) about mistakes in the 90s too. Please be sure to take a look at that.

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>>> The speech is at 3pm tomorrow so please get edits to us asap.

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>>> Thank you!

>>> Megan + Dan

>>> <2016-02-16 DRAFT remarks on breaking down barriers 1230am.docx>

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 4/17/2015 10:10:33 PM  
Subject: Need your help. On face the nation tomorrow.

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I would love to get your perspective on the week coming up and what is new for the Hillary Camp.

Also, your assessment of the past week. When will you guys roll out her husband and Chelsea and grand baby.

In your mind who would be the ideal match up against her on the GOP side so far.

I want to advance the story too. Let me know. I can be reached via email and or by cell 202 285 3557

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Date: 9/30/2014 12:45:08 PM

Subject: Perform at the Kennedy Center as part of the "Let Freedom Ring!" Choir

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## Join Georgetown University's 2015 "Let Freedom Ring!" Choir

Current GU students, faculty, and staff are invited to participate in the annual "Let Freedom Ring!" Choir to celebrate the life and legacy of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in a special concert at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. The event, scheduled for Monday, January 19, 2015, is free, open to the public, and features a joint performance by a guest celebrity artist with the Choir (past artists have included Smokey Robinson, Bobby McFerrin, Patti LaBelle, Aretha Franklin and Jessye Norman) along with the presentation of *The John Thompson, Jr. "Legacy of a Dream" Award*.

### Choir Rehearsal Dates:

Tuesday, October 14, 2014 from 7:00 pm -9:00 pm in St. William Chapel, Copley Hall

Wednesday, November 12, 2014 from 7:00 pm -9:00 pm in St. William Chapel, Copley Hall

Tuesday, January 13, 2015 location to be determined

Wednesday, January 14, 2015 from 7:00 pm-9:00 pm in Gaston Hall, Healy Hall

Thursday, January 15, 2015 location to be determined

All interested in participating in the "Let Freedom Ring!" Choir must attend at least one of the rehearsals in Oct/Nov 2014 and at least two of the rehearsals in January 2015 to be eligible to sing at the Kennedy Center on Monday, January 19, 2015. Interested individuals are also required to complete the sign up form below by Wednesday, October 8, 2014. Please email [guevents@georgetown.edu](mailto:guevents@georgetown.edu) with any questions about this opportunity.

[CLICK HERE](#) TO SIGN UP FOR THE 2015 "Let Freedom Ring!" Choir





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I just tried to add "JoelSkypeB" to our contacts list and nothing came up.  
Are you sure?!

On 2/18/15, 9:34 PM, "Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

>My middle name is skype.

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>Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Feb 18, 2015, at 9:20 PM, Margolis, Jim <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>

>>wrote:

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>> I'm in

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>> From: Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com<mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com>>

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>> Subject: Skype

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>> With John's Celebrity Guest appearance tonight we hit a tipping point

>>with Skype as the preferred meeting medium for HRC 2016.

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>> Here's what the rest of you missed. That's Craig Minnasian of the

>>Foundation on the far left, and Matt McKenna of President Clinton's

>>office in the center – he was broadcasting live from Bozeman, Montana.

>>That's Kamy! Bazbaz of Chelsea's office in the small window at bottom,

>>along with Huma's empty office.

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>> For those I've worked with for years now, you know that I tend to

>>sheepishly make a suggestion only once and then immediately let it go.

>>Well that was the old me. I've learned from last time. This time is

>>going to be different and I'm going to beat this like a dead horse and

>>relentlessly pressure everyone to Skype until we look like the Brady

>>Bunch on screen. Next to fall is John Anzalone who we know is hiding an  
>>existing Skype handle. After that, Joel, Jim, Mandy: I'm coming after  
>>you - can't think of a better way for a campaign to reinforce its tech  
>>savvy than to transition to videoconferencing by default.  
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Date: 5/2/2013 8:18:28 AM

Subject: Special Update - Ed Markey

Dear John,

I wanted to make sure you saw the great news that environmental champion Ed Markey won the Massachusetts Senate primary on Tuesday. With your partnership, LCV played a decisive role in this great victory. Of course, we're not taking anything for granted for the June 25th general election, so stay tuned!

LCV's lead role in this race has been widely covered in the media, including in the Washington Post, the Boston Globe, Politico, Roll Call and The Hill. If you didn't catch any of the news coverage, you can read more about LCV's work in this important victory in the memo below.

As a member of LCV's Environmental Majority Council, I thought you'd also especially appreciate the quote in yesterday's [Washington Post](#) about investing in LCV: "NextGen's most effective investment was likely the \$250,000 it spent helping finance the League of Conservation Voters' voter mobilization efforts, adding to the nearly \$600,000 LCV was already spending."

Onward,

Gene

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#### MEMO

To: Interested Parties

From: Jeff Gohringer, National Press Secretary, League of Conservation Voters

Re: LCV Follows Historic 2012 Election Cycle with Big Primary Win in Massachusetts Senate Race

Date: April 30, 2013

On the heels of our most successful election cycle ever in 2012, LCV played a decisive role in Ed Markey's commanding primary win in the Massachusetts Senate special election on Tuesday. As we did in 2012, we continued to run electoral programs to scale, so that we are able to play a critical role in the outcome. LCV made the largest investment in the primary by any group, spending nearly \$850,000, and by the time the polls closed, had already made more than 430,000 voter contacts across the state. With low turnout in the special election, it is clear that our work was an important part of Markey's victory.

Building off of our work last cycle, this primary race was an opportunity to continue to demonstrate to elected officials that we will stand with them when they lead on climate change. Ed Markey has been a committed leader on climate change, including co-authoring the landmark *American Clean Energy and Security Act*. He campaigned aggressively on this issue, highlighting his commitment to action on climate change in numerous ads.

Just weeks after our endorsement, LCV launched a grassroots field campaign [supporting Markey](#) that targeted likely Independent and Democratic primary voters. It was a massive field operation that knocked on more than 250,000 doors across 23 cities and towns in less than three months. We also made more than 180,000 phone calls to voters and recruited more than 150 volunteers to our campaign.

During the primary, LCV Action Fund also raised or contributed more than \$235,000 for Markey through our [GiveGreen program](#). It was the quickest LCV Action Fund has ever raised \$200,000 for a candidate.

Our strategy in this race is the same one we implemented last cycle, which was LCV's [biggest ever](#). During the 2012 cycle, LCV and its affiliated political committees spent over \$14 million overall - more than the previous three cycles combined. We won 15 of our 17 priority races, including our \$1.1 million campaign to help elect Senator Elizabeth Warren in Massachusetts, where we launched [mail and field programs](#).

That means that 83 percent of our resources were spent in winning races during the 2012 cycle. By comparison, just 7 percent of the resources spent by Karl Rove's groups and the Chamber of Commerce resulted in victories.

Though we're encouraged by Markey's strong primary win, this race is not over and LCV is not taking anything for granted. We will continue supporting Markey in the general election to help ensure that one of the biggest climate change champions in Congress is elected to the U.S. Senate in June. In the process, LCV is continuing to shape the political landscape in Washington and building a core group of climate champions in Congress. We look forward to another critical election cycle, where we plan to focus on defeating more climate deniers and electing more climate champions.

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Date: 5/19/2015 8:07:03 AM

Subject: Beau Biden

Greg Schultz just called to say they're confirming he's at Walter Reed and will be for a while. Maybe she should call VPOTUS? Or maybe this is old news.

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Date: 1/6/2016 8:20:39 AM

Subject: RE: Bernie Contrast in Nevada

Why is it not credible that he has really dumb plans for Wall Street?

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**Subject:** Re: Bernie Contrast in Nevada

We don't need to prove he's bad on Wall Street-- that's not really credible.

We need to prove we're ok.

Most of all, we don't want this fight.

That's my view.

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On Jan 6, 2016, at 1:50 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com) > wrote:

My concern on this continues to be that Bernie gets to whack her around and she is purely positive to him in reply.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, January 6, 2016 1:46 PM

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**Subject:** Re: Bernie Contrast in Nevada

If HRC is asked about Sanders' Wall Street comments, can I suggest this as a response?

I know Senator Sanders attacked me on this, that his choice. But the truth is, he and I both want to crack down on the risky behavior on Wall Street, we both want to make sure people go to jail when they cross the line. I think my plan is tougher because it also cracks down on the shadow banking world but the real difference is that every single Republican wants to get RID of the new financial regulations. I am going to make sure that that does not happen. We shouldn't be easing up on the kind of behavior that crashed our economy. We should be strengthening accountability so that never happens again. That's what's at stake in this election.

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Sent: Wed, Jan 6, 2016 10:45 am  
Subject: Re: Bernie Contrast in Nevada

I think this is good. What do others think?

On Jan 6, 2016, at 9:42 AM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Thanks for the helpful guidance this morning. In the hopes of not going to her empty handed, I wanted to float an alternative riff:

Now, my opponents here tonight have a lot of good ideas and we share a lot of the same values. The differences between us pale compared to what we see on the other side. But your choice in this primary really matters. Because we need a President who has what it takes to make a real difference for American families. A President who can get the job done not just on a few issues, but on all the complex challenges we're facing. You're not going to raise incomes for middle class families by raising their taxes. You're not going to ease their burdens by making them pay for Donald Trump's kids to go to college for free. And you're not going to stop the drug companies and big insurers from ripping off consumers by tearing up the Affordable Care Act and forcing America to start another contentious health care debate back at square one – that just plays into their hands. I have plans that will actually help families get ahead and stay ahead... that will make the wealthy pay their fair share, hold corporate price gougers, polluters, and Wall Street speculators accountable, and prevent the Republicans from taking us backwards. And you can count on me to get the job done. I know how to find common ground and I know how to stand my ground...

On Wed, Jan 6, 2016 at 6:47 AM, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

Jen,

I agree with you. Bernie wants a fight on a Wall Street. We should not give him one. Our polling shows this is one of our weakest areas.

Further, our Wall Street approach has always been to agree about the problem, show passion about it, and say we have a better approach to holding the rascals accountable. The magic wand approach is very much what she used against BHO -

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On Jan 6, 2016, at 1:25 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I liked messing with Bernie on wall street at a staff level for the purposes of muddying the waters and throwing them off their game a bit. But don't know that it is most effective contrast for her. Seems like we are picking the fight he wants to have. If we really want to do this, think your formulation is good but not convinced it is a good idea.

I would also try to get less process and more values/outcomes in the sentence about being able to do all parts of the job. Give people as sense of her doing the whole job as POTUS is going to improve their life.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 6, 2016, at 12:54 AM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

HRC does not want to call Bernie out by name in her speech Wednesday night, but she does want to drive a more effective and comprehensive contrast with him. In particular, she's keen to find a way to keep going after him on Wall Street (she's convinced his plan is naive and unworkable) as part of a broader indictment.

Today in Iowa, she was asked directly about her differences with Bernie and she gave an answer that leaned more heavily on "experience" than we'd probably like and also did a shadow banking hit. Then in her next event, she started talking explicitly about "electability." As Jen said and HRC agreed, we need to give her a better formulation.

For the purposes of the Nevada dinner speech, Jake and I put our heads together and came up with a riff that keeps her in the "has what it takes to get the job done" frame and scratches her Wall Street itch without going down a rabbit hole. Pasted below with full speech attached. What do folks think? Could we discuss on 8am?

Now, my opponents here tonight have a lot of good ideas and we share a lot of the same values. The differences between us pale compared to what we see on the other side. But your choice in this primary really matters. Because we need a President who has what it takes to make a difference in your life. A President who can get the job done not just on a few issues, but on all the complex challenges we're

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facing.

Americans don't want promises we can't keep, they want real results.

Anyone can say they'll build a global coalition to defeat global jihad. But I know what it takes – a lot of hard work, shoe-leather diplomacy, and deep relationships.

Anyone can say they'll sit in a room with their Treasury Secretary and fix all the problems in our financial system in a few months. But that's not how things actually get done. You need a comprehensive strategy to work with Congress, the Federal Reserve, and all our regulators to go after risk throughout the financial system.

There's no magic wand in the White House. That's why we need a President who has what it takes to get results.

I know it's not going to be easy to break through the dysfunction in Washington. But I know how to find common ground and I know how to stand my ground...

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Date: 6/8/2015 3:32:45 AM

Subject: Re: HRC reactions

John and Robby, how should we communicate this to the group? I doubt she'll want to rehash this all tomorrow in person. How can we get everyone on the same page today so tomorrow's in person meeting with her is most productive?

She's now said twice she doesn't want to use make the middle class mean something. Just want to make sure we all get on the same page as a group.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 8, 2015, at 10:11 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> HRC just called me and expressed a fair amount of frustration with how things are going. She said we've given a series of very good policy speeches and in between we just keep giving her poll-tested lines that don't work, like make the middle class mean something. She emphatically did not want to lose the Four Fights, or at least a similar construction, and the link to Four Freedoms, saying she picked this location for a reason and the Four Fights is the one thing she feels like is actually working out there on the trail -- oh, and by the way, she had to come up with it herself because we didn't give her anything better. Also, she prefers "our time" to "your time" and agrees that we need to build a stronger scaffolding for "unlocking potential" if its going to mean anything to people. And she's eager to see the next draft.

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> I am working on that now, along the lines we discussed on our call last night. I think I can probably graft on a light "four fights" structure onto the second half without actually changing much at all. The front half is the challenge as was evident on the call last night when there was still so little consensus. But i'm hopeful that rearranging the order, as Robby suggested, can help us get there.

From: "Teresa Amott" <amott@knox.edu>

To: "Trustees at Knox" <trustees@knox.edu>

Date: 1/23/2015 6:33:48 AM

Subject: Sustainability success! Thought you'd appreciate this.

I thought you might appreciate the following. Kudos to Froggi VanRiper, our Director of Campus Sustainability.

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## A Waste-Free Move to Alumni Hall

As soon as winter break began, eight offices, comprising 45 staff members, transitioned to the newly renovated Alumni Hall. Over the course of the month, a “moving cascade” ensued, in which over twenty more faculty and staff members progressively transitioned into vacated offices, and many of the newly opened spaces were re-appropriated for academic use.



In light of the waste reduction successes we began to demonstrate last year, and in keeping with the sustainability commitments characterizing the Alumni Hall renovation, President Amott challenged us to accomplish a waste-free move.

The process of emptying storage closets and basements of decades of accumulation was daunting, and any one who has moved in the past knows the amount of waste generated during such an endeavor. But this provided the perfect opportunity to test our skills of collaboration and resourcefulness. Spoiler alert: we were successful! Knox transitioned the contents of seventy people’s office spaces and five storage rooms across campus into new spaces without renting a dumpster, OR increasing our regular trash pickup schedule.

The Waste-Free Move entailed active collaboration between the moving offices, the Facilities Department, and the Office of Sustainability. In order of the sustainable waste management hierarchy (*Reduce, Reuse, then Recycle*), the paragraphs below tell the inspiring story of how the logistics were arranged.



### RESOURCE REDUCTION

In preparation for this move, casual labor and sustainability staff stockpiled boxes from the cafeteria, computer labs, and the C-store. As offices began packing up for the move, they were directed to staging zones where they could obtain the necessary boxes for their transition. As the cascading move progressed, over **1500 mid-sized boxes** were diverted temporarily from the cardboard compactor. They were labeled with small, brightly colored tags for aid of sorting and transport, then collected, re-labeled and reused several times over.

Assuming a fraction of the used boxes would have been purchased specially for the move, Knox saved over \$3,000 and reduced its external environmental footprint by 2,300 lbs of CO<sub>2</sub>e emissions, 17,700 gallons of water, and 2,250 lbs of raw tree fiber.

## REUSE and RECOVERY

Each office preparing for the move was provided with a waste-free moving guide, which listed all the materials they could set aside for recovery and recycling. The unused **office supplies** from around the school were collected in the Office of Sustainability, to stock the new office supply share zone you read about in last month's newsletter.

Campus-owned **office furnishings** were redistributed to other campus spaces through a cascade defined by the President's Council.



Other useful things like **t-shirts and household items** were taken to the Free Store. A van-load of **bedding** formerly used for admissions overnight events was donated to the Galesburg Rescue Mission and other local family aid organizations. In fact, even a box of obsolete **ink stamps** were repurposed – brought to the local daycare for the delight of the children.

In all, we conservatively estimate that the reuse efforts diverted **one ton (2,000 lbs)** of material from the landfill, not including the furnishings.



## RECYCLING

Each office preparing for the move received receptacles for **mixed recyclables** and **office paper**, as well as instructions for setting aside **cardboard, books & bound materials, spent electronics**, old media storage **discs and tapes**, and other recyclable materials for collection.

The waste-free moving guide was modified so that it will pertain to all future moves and office cleanouts, and can now be found [here](#) on the Knox website.

In all, we conservatively estimate that the recycling efforts diverted an additional **two tons** (4,000 lbs) of material from the landfill.

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Nice.

On Monday, August 10, 2015, Joseph Lockhart <[joelockhart@icloud.com](mailto:joelockhart@icloud.com)> wrote:

Greetings from Assisi.

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Date: 6/11/2008 4:11:43 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Senator Straight Talk Moves the Goalposts in Iraq.Again

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DATE: June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008

### Mr. Straight Talk Express Moves the Goalposts in Iraq...Again

**"[T]hat's not too important" -- Senator John McCain today on NBC's Today Show on when he thinks US troops can come home from Iraq**

#### ***Why Can't McCain Keep His Own Straight Talk Straight?***

- First, McCain said he wanted to keep U.S. troops in Iraq for '100 Years': <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VFknKVjuyNk>
- Then it was '10,000 years': <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e6CLxpFuSmA>
- Not a month ago, McCain said it'd be mission accomplished in just '4 years' under his administration: "By January 2013, America has welcomed home most of the servicemen and women who have sacrificed terribly so that America might be secure in her freedom. The Iraq War has been won." [[Associated Press, 5/15/08](http://www.associatedpress.com/2008/06/15/08) ]
- Now, today, McCain moves the goalposts once again...to indefinitely: <http://thinkprogress.org/2008/06/11/mccain-iraq-important/>

In an interview on NBC's Today Show, host Matt Lauer asked Sen. John McCain (R-AZ) about his support for the war in Iraq. Noting that violence has decreased in Iraq, Lauer asked if McCain has a better "estimate" of when he would withdraw troops from the country. "No, but that's not too important," McCain responded:

Q: A lot of people now say the surge is working.

McCain: Anyone who knows the facts on the ground say that.

Q: If it's working, senator, **do you now have a better estimate of when American forces can come home from Iraq?**

McCain: **No, but that's not too important.** What's important is the casualties in Iraq. Americans are in South Korea. Americans are in Japan. American troops are in Germany. **That's all fine.**

"It seems like only yesterday - a few weeks ago actually - that Senator John "100 Years" McCain delivered a remarkably straight faced speech in Ohio declaring that if he were President, the Iraq war would be won within four years, a functioning democracy would be left behind, and most all U.S. troops there would come home," said Jeremy Funk, spokesman for the Iraq Campaign 2008. "Now he says it's "not too important" to him if the troops come from Iraq at all. McCain ought to ask military families making unimaginable sacrifices with their loved ones serving two, three, or more tours in Iraq if it's 'important at all' to them when they get to come home."

"Why can't Senator McCain keep his straight talk straight on how long he wants to keep our soldiers stuck in the crosshairs of an endless civil war in Iraq? His commitment to continue the very same failed 'stay the course' Bush policies there certainly hasn't changed - so why does his rhetoric? Senator McCain has a long and troubling history of moving the goalposts and making rosy predictions about Iraq's future that has earned him a credibility gap that is surely the envy of even former Defense Secretary [Donald Rumsfeld](#) and Vice-President [Dick Cheney](#)."

## Mr. Straight Talk Moves the Goalposts...Again

[www.mccainsource.com](http://www.mccainsource.com)

### Today:

*“No, but that’s not too important.”*

-- John McCain, asked if he had a “better estimate” of when American troops could come home from Iraq. [NBC, “Today Show,” 6/11/08]

### Last Month:

*“By January 2013, America has welcomed home most of the servicemen and women who have sacrificed terribly so that America might be secure in her freedom. The Iraq war has been won.”*

-- John McCain, on his four-year vision for America [McCain Remarks, [5/15/08](#) ]

*This morning on NBC’s “Today Show,” John McCain said bringing American troops home was “not too important.” His statement is one that the families of America’s service men and women are sure to dispute. After making dozens of predictions since the beginning of the war, McCain has lost credibility in the eyes of the public. After years of faulty logic and failed strategies, McCain still walks hand-in-hand with President Bush on the war in Iraq. From predicting victory in “months” to “a hundred years,” McCain consistently moves the finish line farther and farther away in an effort to mask the fact that he has no plan to end the war in Iraq and no idea when the conflict will be over.*

### Early 2003: The End is “Very Much in Sight.”

**McCain Predicted a “Brief, Successful War In Iraq.”** While speaking on the floor of the senate on the day before U.S. military action commenced in Iraq, McCain said, “The costs of these enterprises are not known with any degree of certainty at this time. Nor are the costs we will incur after what I believe, what I fervently, hope, will be a brief, successful war in Iraq, as we seek to establish the foundations for a peaceful, stable and democratizing Iraq.” He added, “I believe the war in Iraq can be concluded successfully in a relatively brief time.” [McCain Senate Press Release, 3/18/03]

**McCain Believed The War In Iraq Would Be Relatively Short.** While appearing on NBC’s “Meet the Press,” McCain said, “I believe that this conflict is still going to be relatively short. I believe we’ve achieved significant goals and successes.” [NBC, “Meet the Press,” 3/30/03]

**In 2003 McCain Said The End Was “Very Much In Sight.”** Senator McCain was asked “At what point will America be able to say the war was won?” McCain said there were oil fields to secure and “die-hards” to take care of but **“it’s clear that the end is very much in sight,”** and today I think Americans should be very proud of their leadership, their technology...There are still some foreigners, Syrians and others hanging around. But it won’t be long. It will be a fairly short period of time, but this happens in wars. I’m confident that once they are confident the area is no longer a threat to the Marines and to our army troops that they’ll start imposing discipline. In the meantime, we’ll have a short period of chaos.” [ABC, Good Morning America, 4/9/03, emphasis added]

**In April 2003, McCain Said He Was “Sure” The End Of Conflict In Iraq Was Near.** While appearing on “Lou Dobbs Moneyline,” Dobbs asked McCain, “Is it your judgment that we are near the end of this conflict?” To which McCain replied, “Oh, I’m sure that’s true.” [CNN, “Lou Dobbs Moneyline,” 4/10/03]

### October 2003: Five Years?

**McCain Predicted The War Would Take “Four Or Five Years.”** During an appearance on ABC’s Nightline, Ted Koppel asked McCain how much more money the war would cost. He said, “Estimates I hear as much as 50 to \$55 billion more.” When asked, “Over a course of how many years?” McCain answered, “Four or five years.” [ABC, “Nightline,” 10/1/03]

### November 2003: A Few Months?

**McCain Said “We Would Probably Know Within The Next Few Months” If America Won Or Lost In Iraq.** During an appearance on MSNBC’s “Buchanan & Press,” McCain was asked what “victory” in Iraq was. McCain said, “I think the next three to six months are very critical in this whole scenario because the Iraqi people don’t want to go back to Saddam Hussein. They’re not crazy. But many of them in the Sunni Triangle are losing any confidence that the United States can bring them what their ambitions are all about for themselves and their families. So I think we’re in a very critical time. And we would probably know within the next few months.” [MSNBC, “Buchanan & Press,” 11/6/03]



## 2004: Five Years?

**McCain Said “Listen, My Friend, We’re Going To Have To Be There For Five or Six Years.”** During a February 2004 appearance on MSNBC’s “Hardball,” McCain discussed the war in Iraq and said, “Listen, my friend, we’re going to be there for five or six years. A little straight talk. We’re going. We’re going to have to be there for quite a while.” [MSNBC, “Hardball,” 2/25/04]

## Early-2005: One Year?

**McCain: “I Would Think That It’s Going To Be Another Year To A Year And A Half.”** During an appearance on CBS’s “The Early Show,” McCain was asked “What is a realistic timetable” regarding the war in Iraq? McCain said, “If I had to guess, I would think that it’s going to be at least another year to a year and a half, but, hopefully before then we could have our troops out of a lot of the areas where they’re vulnerable to casualties.” [CBS, “The Early Show,” 2/3/05]

## Mid-2005: A Couple of More Years?

**McCain: “I Think Part Of That Is It’s Going To Be, At Least, A Couple More Years.”** While appearing on NBC’s “Meet the Press,” McCain said, “I don’t think Americans believe that we should cut and run out of Iraq by any stretch of the imagination. But I think they also would like to be told, in reality, what’s going on and, by the way, I think part of that is it’s going to be, at least, a couple more years.” [NBC, “Meet the Press,” 6/19/05]

**McCain: “I Think We Should Tell People It’s Not Going To Be A Short—I’d Rather Say Two Or Three Years.”** While appearing on NBC’s “Meet the Press,” McCain said, “And, again, I think we should tell people it’s not going to be a short—I’d rather say two or three years, and be surprised a year from now, than say, ‘Everything’s fine,’ and then be disappointed a year or two from now.” [NBC, “Meet the Press,” 6/19/05]

**McCain: I Think It’s Very Possible “Within The Next Year or Two.”** While appearing on “Meet the Press,” McCain said, “I think it’s going to be long and hard and tough.” Tim Russert asked, “Years?” McCain responded by saying, “Well, when I say years, I think that it’s very possible within the next year or two that you could see this transition taking place, but the American troops being a supplement rather than being replaced by, in other words, most of the effort being carried on over time by the Iraqis, but it’s going to be tough.” [NBC, “Meet the Press,” 12/4/05]

## 2006: Months?

**McCain: “We’re Either Going To Lose This Thing or Win this Thing Within the Next Several Months.”** While appearing on NBC’s “Meet the Press,” McCain said, “If you talk to most military experts, we’re in a critical and crucial time. We’re either going to lose this thing or win this thing within the next several months.” [NBC, “Meet the Press,” 11/12/06]

## Early 2007: Ten Years?

**McCain Said Americans Could Be Persuaded To Support The War For 5 to 10 Years.** According to the [Houston Chronicle](#), while at the opening of the Center for the Intrepid, “McCain said it was important for America to ‘accomplish the mission’ in Iraq, but said he didn’t know how long that would take. He said Americans could be persuaded to support the conflict another five to 10 years ‘if we can show progress.’” [[Houston Chronicle](#), 1/30/07]

## Mid 2007: “I Don’t Have A Date”

**McCain Said “I Don’t Have A Date” When Asked About The End of The War.** While discussing the war in Iraq on NBC’s “Meet the Press,” McCain said, “If it is only in a role that is of support and American casualties are minimal, then I think it’s probably worth the investment. If the level of casualties stays where it is, and we do not have success, then we know that that will be a condition that we cannot stand before.” Tim Russert then asked, “By when?” to which McCain replied, “**I don’t have a date**, I think that the important thing is whether we assess as we move along.” [NBC, “Meet the Press,” 5/13/07; emphasis added]

## Early 2008: Months?

**McCain Said Winning The War “Is Going To Take Months.”** During an interview with the editorial board of the *Detroit News*, McCain was asked, “Can we win this war? And how long will it take?” McCain responded, “It is going to take months. Al-Qaida is on the run, but it is not defeated. [The Iraqi military] can be effective with our support. I know how frustrated all of us are with the lack of effectiveness of the Iraqi government. ... Whoever invented this form of government ought to be taken out and shot. There has been some progress...” [[Detroit News](#), 1/3/08]

## Early 2008: A Hundred Years?

**McCain Said US Could Stay In Iraq for “Maybe A Hundred Years” and He Was “Fine” With It.** In January 2008, McCain said the  
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U.S. military could stay in Iraq for “a hundred years” and that “would be fine with me.” At a town hall meeting in New Hampshire, a questioner said, “President Bush is talking about our staying in Iraq for 50 year,” at which point McCain interrupted and said, “**Make it a hundred.** We’ve been in South Korea, we’ve been in Japan for 60 years, we’ve been in South Korea for 50 years or so. That’d be fine with me as long as Americans are not being injured, or harmed, or wounded, or killed. That’s fine with me, I hope it would be fine with you.” [Town Hall Meeting in Concord, NH, [1/3/08](#) ; emphasis added]

**McCain: “I Don’t Think Americans Are Concerned If We’re There For 100 Years Or 1,000 Years Or 10,000 Years.”** In an interview on CBS’s “Face the Nation,” host Bob Schieffer asked McCain about staying in Iraq for 100 year. McCain responded, “We’ve got to get Americans off the front line, have the Iraqis as part of the strategy, take over more and more of the responsibilities. **And then I don’t think Americans are concerned if we’re there for 100 years or 1,000 years or 10,000 years.** What they care about is a sacrifice of our most precious treasure, and that’s American blood. So what I’m saying is look, if Americans are there in a support role, but they’re not taking casualties, that’s fine. We’re in Kuwait now. As you well recall, we had a war, we stayed in Kuwait. We didn’t stay in Saudi Arabia. So it’s going to be up to the relationship between the Iraqi government and the United States of America.” [CBS, “Face the Nation,” 1/06/08; emphasis added]

**McCain: “It Doesn’t Matter...We Could Be There For A Hundred Years, For All I Know.”** During an interview with the editorial board of the Detroit News, McCain was asked, “When should the United States leave Iraq?” McCain responded, “**It doesn’t matter.** We’re still in Kuwait since the first Gulf War. If we can continue to show this progress, we **could be there for 100 years, for all I know,** as long as Americans are not dying. It’s not a matter of American presence; it’s a matter of success so we can beat back this adversary. If we’d done what they wanted us to do six months ago, al-Qaida would now be trumpeting to the world that it defeated the United States of America.” [Detroit News, 1/3/08,emphasis added]

**McCain: “We’re Going To Be In This Struggle For The Rest of The Century.”** While speaking at a town hall meeting in Sun City Center, Florida, McCain said, “I’d like to look you in the eye and tell you there’s not gonna be any more wars. I’d like to look you in the eyes and tell you that this terrible evil called radical Islamic extremism is defeated. I can’t do that. **I’ve got to tell you that we’re gonna be in this struggle for the rest of this century** because it’s a transcendent evil.” [Town Hall Meeting; Sun City Center, FL 01/26/08; emphasis added]

**McCain: “We Are In A Greater Struggle That Is Going To Be With Us For The Rest of This Century.”** While giving a speech in Nashua, New Hampshire, We are in two wars. **We are in a greater struggle that is going to be with us for the rest of this century...** **He added, “These young people that are in this crowd, my friends, I’m going to be asking you to serve.** I’m gonna be asking you to step forward and serve this nation in difficult times.” [Speech in Nashua, New Hampshire, 1/7/08; emphasis added]

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I believe the AFSCME convention on Saturday evening is still closed press, but flagging these draft remarks for everyone.

Dan

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If he were my kid, I'd tell him to stay.

JP

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> On Jul 10, 2014, at 1:36 AM, wendy Abrams <wabrams1@me.com> wrote:

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> My son is in Tel Aviv and doesn't feel the need to leave (he assures me the 90 second warning is plenty of time to get to the bomb shelter, which they did yesterday). His mother doesn't have quite the same assessment of risk/reward.

> Am I being an overly anxious Jewish mother or a more rational mind than a 21 year old who feels invincible?

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> How was China?

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Invitation from Mandy.

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Hello Steering Committee and friends,

We are putting a report out today on what we know about inequality and growth from growth regressions and thought you might want an advance peak.

Laura and I are on a panel together today at the IMF meetings on the topic, which will hopefully get people talking about the right questions policymakers should be asking.

Best,  
Heather

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FYI all here is a draft and embargoed copy of the report we're posting tomorrow. Thanks, Ed

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Subject: Draft statement on immigration executive action

Below is what I think she should say about the President's executive action, either in statement form or on camera. It's long, but this is not a simple issue and we have a lot of interests and constituencies to consider.

I've tried here to express support for POTUS without getting bogged down in the details of what is sure to be an unpopular measure, seen as both too much and too little, and then pivot to the need for broader Congressional action (defined by a set of principles rather than by slavish attachment to the DOA Senate bill). I also went back to our 2013 statement on gay marriage and reprised the theme of urging respectful, substantive debate and recognizing that a lot of people aren't going to agree with us on this. Finally, I tried to root the issue in the lived experiences of actual families, to make this a debate about human beings rather than legal precedents.

I know she's eager to take a look, so it would be great to hear quick reactions.

Thanks

Dan

President Obama is making the best of a bad situation. No one thinks that these new steps are the ideal solution, or that they will solve the fundamental problems in our immigration system. But there is also broad consensus that the status quo is untenable. For years the House of Representatives has abdicated its responsibility to take on this challenge, not only refusing to act on the bipartisan Senate legislation but also failing to advance any viable alternatives. Given this vacuum of leadership, President Obama had no choice but to follow well-established precedent and use his executive authority to begin making common-sense improvements and focus finite enforcement resources on deporting felons rather than families.

I hope the President's announcement will mark the beginning of a serious and substantive national debate about the way forward. Because there's so much more to do if we're going to really fix our broken immigration system – if we're going to keep families together, treat everyone with dignity and compassion, uphold the rule of law, protect our national security, and respect our heritage and history. Bringing millions of hard-working people out of the shadows and into the formal economy, so they can hold their heads high, pay taxes, and contribute to our shared prosperity, is one of the most effective steps we could take to accelerate our economic recovery and raise wages across the board for hard-working Americans. It would also reflect the best values of an open and inclusive nation.

Only Congress can finish this job, and in the days ahead we should look to our elected representatives to take up that responsibility. But all Americans should be part of this debate. And as we move forward, let's remember that people of good will and good faith will continue to view this issue differently. Our arguments may grow heated at times, but if we proceed in a spirit of respect and shared purpose, I am confident that we can yet find our way toward common ground. Through it all, I hope we never lose sight of the fact that we're not talking about abstract statistics – we're talking about real families with real experiences. We're talking about children coming home from school to an empty house, their moms and dads whisked away without notice or explanation. We're talking about parents lying awake at night afraid of the knock on the door that could upend their lives and tear their families apart. We're talking about the fate of people who love this country, work hard, and want nothing more than a chance to contribute to the community and build a better life for themselves and their families. That's what this



debate is about and why inaction is not an option.

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If we fall behind now, there won't be enough time to catch up.

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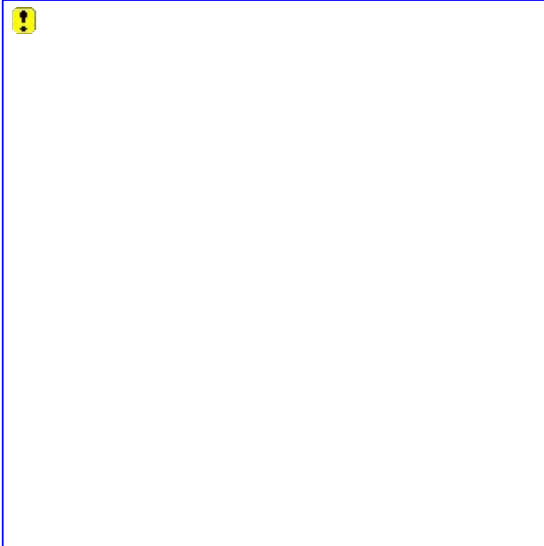
I refuse to wake up the day after the election with any regrets, wishing we had done more for Brad when we had the chance.

So if you can -- please step up right now -- before it's too late:

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best,

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### What You Need to Know Before Donating Art

Your Name on a Plaque Is Nice, but It Might Cost You More Than You Think



MATTHEW HOLLISTER

By

DANIEL GRANT

Dec. 14, 2014 11:50 p.m. ET

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For investors thinking about donating art, the most important thing to know is this: It isn't as simple as...donating art. The benefits of a donation are clear. The owners may have a fondness for a particular museum or university they have in mind as a recipient, for instance. And the ego gratification is powerful.

"There's a legacy involved," says Ralph Lerner, founder of Art World Advisors, which helps collectors determine what to do with their art. "You get your name on a plaque on the wall. You can take your grandchildren to the museum to show them the plaque." But ego aside, donors have a lot of factors to consider before making a decision. Among them: Selling may bring them far more money than they can save with a tax break for their donation. If they donate, the tax break varies depending on who the donation goes to and what the recipient does with it. And the recipient may have very different ideas from the donor's about how the art will be displayed.

#### Running the Numbers

First, investors need to be aware of the difference, for their finances, between selling and donating. Peter Jason Riley, a certified public accountant in Newburyport, Mass., ran the numbers for a hypothetical U.S. taxpayer with an adjusted gross income of \$500,000 who owns a painting appraised at \$100,000 that she had purchased for \$20,000.

What happens if she donates the painting? For donations of art, owners generally can claim a federal tax deduction of up to 30% of their adjusted gross income each year, making the limit in this case \$150,000. So donating the painting to a qualifying museum would permit this owner a deduction in the current tax year of \$100,000, assuming she hasn't made other art donations totaling more than \$50,000. (If donations in a given year exceed the limit for deductions, the overage can be deducted in following years, up to five if necessary, with the 30% limit applying each year.)

That means the tax benefit this year for the donor in this case would be \$41,118, according to Mr. Riley.

If the painting was sold for the appraised value of \$100,000, assuming a typical 15% sales commission to an auction house or art gallery, the seller would owe \$31,372 in capital-gains tax, resulting in a net profit of \$53,628, Mr. Riley says.

So the owner would end up \$12,510 better off by selling than by donating. That doesn't take into account the cost of an appraisal—typically \$1,000 to \$3,000—which isn't always necessary for a sale but would be required in this case before the artwork was donated. The Internal Revenue Service requires an appraisal for donations of property over \$20,000.

Selling won't always be better financially. For one thing, selling might net far less than the appraised value of a piece of art. But this is an exercise owners should work through to get a sense of what they might be sacrificing by donating.

#### How Much of a Deduction?

Art owners also should be aware that their tax break for a donation will depend on several factors. In some cases, donors can claim a tax deduction based on the appraised value of the art. But in others the deduction is based on the price the donor paid for the art, which can be much lower than the appraised value.

One factor: The donor's deduction can only be based on the appraised value of the art if the recipient qualifies as a public tax-exempt organization. If the recipient is a private tax-exempt organization, the deduction is based on the price the donor paid.

A public tax-exempt organization is one that receives at least one-third of its support from the general public; museums, universities and other schools, hospitals and churches are among the institutions that generally qualify. A private tax-exempt

organization doesn't rely on funding from the public. The Ford Foundation is one prominent example, and there are many private foundations funded by wealthy individuals.

But that's not the only distinction the IRS makes. A deduction can't be based on the appraised value of the art unless the donation is related to the recipient's mission. Few recipients except museums are likely to pass that test. For donations to recipients that fail that test, the deduction is based on what the donor paid for the art.

Donations that clear both those hurdles face another one. If the recipient sells the art within three years, the amount deductible by the donor reverts to the purchase price instead of the appraised value—potentially leaving the donor with a bill for back taxes.

One other tax-related issue for those who deduct the appraised value of a donation: The IRS subjects appraisals to review by its Art Advisory Panel, which is composed of art dealers and museum curators. And the panel often makes substantial adjustments to appraisals.

Taxpayers may be subject to substantial penalties if the IRS finds that the donated items are significantly overvalued, so it's imperative that the appraiser has a legitimate basis for arriving at a valuation, such as comparable sales.

#### **Donation Negotiations**

Finally, it isn't only the IRS that can take some of the fun out of a donation. Recipients can be prickly about how the art will be displayed—or even if it will be at all.

In this case, though, donors have some leverage. Art experts encourage donors to negotiate the terms for their gifts before turning over the art. For instance, the donor might demand that the art be on display for at least three months every three years—or on permanent display.

Or in the case of multiple works being donated, owners might demand that the art be given a special exhibition and be written up in a catalog, and that the pieces must be kept together and none of them can be sold. A donor can also demand perks like free lifetime membership at the highest level for family members.

If a potential recipient balks at a donor's terms, the owner can look for a more pliable recipient. But donors who have their hearts set on the most prominent institutions as recipients should expect less flexibility.

"I encourage people to donate to universities and smaller museums," says Susan Brundage, director of appraisal services at the Art Dealers Association of America. "They are thrilled to get something that might be seen as minor by the Met or the Modern or the Whitney. Those larger museums will only put most donations in their basements, never to see the light of day."

And no plaque for the grandchildren to see.

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Subject: Update -- Highway Trust Fund

Mike & Co.,

The House continues work this week on reauthorization of the Highway Trust Fund (HTF). It is considering a bill for up to \$325 billion on transportation projects over the next six years, \$261 billion on highways, \$55 billion on transit and approximately \$9 billion on safety programs — but it still must come up with a way to pay for the final three years.

The House is in recess next week and the HTF expires on November 20, so leadership hopes to send a bill to the Senate by the end this week.

Below, a look at the HTF bill amendments likely to receive floor votes, the main offset in play, and the big-ticket riders -- Ex-Im and the Extenders.

Best,

Dana

Federal Reserve must pay in annual dividends.

Oil export ban lift

Though the Senate Banking Committee has passed legislation lifting the ban, the White House has pledged to veto legislation to lift the crude oil export ban. Still, an unlikely grouping of Homeland Security Committee Chairman Michael McCaul (R-Texas), House Financial Services Committee member Ed Perlmutter (D-Colo.), Rep. Kevin Cramer (R-N.D.), and Rep. Henry Cuellar (D-Texas) have offered an amendment to lift the ban and use additional tax revenues from export sales to help pay for highway authorizations.

If passed, the amendment could cause the overarching bill to lose support from House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Ranking Member Peter DeFazio (D-Ore.), which would likely lead to an exodus of much if not all of the bill's Democratic supporters, potentially leading to the failure of a bill with such a narrow margin.

Government-sponsored enterprise guarantee fees

A provision of the bill that passed the Senate in July, now being considered by the House, would delay a 10-basis-point reduction in the fees Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac charge on new mortgages they back. That decrease had been scheduled for 2021 and would be pushed out to 2025 under the highway packages. Because Fannie and Freddie are controlled by the government, the higher fees would generate \$1.9 billion in revenue that would be sent to Treasury as an offset for spending on highway projects.

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Yesterday, the White House released its review of the HTF bill currently being debated on the House floor. In a decidedly mixed Statement of Administration Position ([https://m.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/legislative/sap/114/sapfr22sa\\_20151102.pdf](https://m.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/legislative/sap/114/sapfr22sa_20151102.pdf)), the White House applauded the provision reauthorizing the Ex-Im Bank. But it also cited the bill's principal "shortcomings," including:

-- maintaining only current and inadequate infrastructure funding levels

-- cutting the Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act program by 80 percent

- requiring the DOT cease publishing safety study findings

Most of the nearly 300 amendments filed in the House have nothing to do with the White House's concerns. Likely to get roll call votes are the below instead.

- Key Amendments:

- turning the CFPB into a Commission
- deregulating/reducing oversight of large regional banks
- outsourcing tax debt collection to private interests

On the Fed Dividend:

- suspending the dividend reduction for one year to allow for a GAO study, instead using a one-time Fed capital surplus account draw of \$1.6 billion
- replacing the dividend rate reduction with a drawdown of three-quarters of Federal Reserve stock

On Ex-Im:

- changing the target percentage of transactions that must benefit small businesses to 100 percent – up from the previous rate of 20 percent, and up from the 25 percent required by the Ex-Im language currently in the bill
- allowing individuals and companies to sue Ex-Im if they can prove they have been financially harmed by its activities.
- allowing transactions in cases where there is direct competition from a foreign export credit agency
- guaranteeing that the export credit agency is a "lender of last resort"

- Key offsets

1. The Fed Dividend: The package relies largely on revenue from reducing interest rates paid by the Federal Reserve to large banks, selling oil from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, used to prevent energy crises, and directing fees from the Transportation Security Administration and customs processing.

The first of these, the "Fed Dividend" is the heavyweight, bringing in an additional \$17 billion over ten years. It came in on cat's feet when McConnell proposed it and the Senate approved it in July. But K Street is alive and back from summer doldrums. It will be a pitched battle.

Banks in the Federal Reserve system must purchase stock in their regional Fed bank, on which they have received annual interest of 6 percent since the Fed was formed in 1913. To offset spending and keep the transportation reauthorization budget neutral that dividend could be reduced to 1.5 percent a budgetary measure that has banks' opposition. Fed Chair Janet Yellen has also called for caution in reducing the dividend, and 150 members of Congress signed a letter sent last week calling for a hold on any reduction until the GAO can study its effects.

2. Oil export ban lift. Though the Senate Banking Committee has passed legislation lifting the ban, the White House has pledged to veto legislation to lift the crude oil export ban. If passed, the amendment could cause the overarching bill to lose support from House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Ranking Member Peter DeFazio (D-Ore.), which would likely lead to an exodus of much if not all of the bill's Democratic supporters, potentially leading to the failure of a bill with such a narrow margin.

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- Riders:

The Export-Import Bank. A point of controversy for conservatives, especially Financial Services Chair Jeb Hensarling. He fought to see the government-run trade bank's authorization lapse only for a discharge petition led by Rep. Stephen Fincher to pass the House of Representatives with over 300 votes in support. It's in.

Tax Extenders. Less certain. The chambers would need to work quickly to forge a compromise between:

The House position: protect the R&D deduction, the Section 179 depreciation, the state and local sales tax deduction, bonus depreciation, subpart F exemption for active financing, CFC look-through, depreciation for retail and restaurant improvements, the teachers' expenses deduction -- and eliminate the rest.

The Senate Finance Committee voted in August to re-up all 52 extender provisions over FY 2016-25 at a cost of \$95.6 billion.

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#### Recent Updates:

HTF/Pay-fors (Nov. 3)  
FRB System Risk Rule (Nov. 2)  
Ex-Im Reauthorization (Oct. 30)  
FRB Interest Rate Policy (Oct. 30)  
Tax Extenders (Oct. 30)  
Boehner Budget Deal (Oct. 27)  
Debt and Debt Limit (Oct. 22)  
SEC Nominations (Oct. 20)  
TPP/Currency Manipulation (Oct. 15)  
FRB Dividend (Oct. 7)  
Jobs Report (Oct. 2)  
Fiduciary Rule (Oct. 1)  
FY2016 Budget/CR (Sept. 29)  
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GSE Reform (Sept. 25)  
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Remember our discussion of Wallace Jefferson, Chief Justice in Texas?

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Subject: Fw: Blackberries-NYT's

See below

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Sent from my BlackBerry Wireless Handheld

----- Original Message -----

From: Hale, Marcia <mhale@mckennalong.com>

To: Laura Nichols

Sent: Sun Nov 16 16:01:53 2008

Subject: FW: Blackberries-NYT's

Can your forward this to John for me? Bounced back with the "on leave" message.

Hope all is well.

M.

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> From: Hale, Marcia

> Sent: Sunday, November 16, 2008 3:58 PM

> To: Jpodesta@americanprogress.org

> Subject: FW: Blackberries-NYT's

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> John,

> See below. I sent this to Rahm and got a quick, cryptic, and humorous

> response. He doesn't know who the right person to meet with is (Liz

> will help). Is this a concern for you guys? Can you help with a

> meeting?

> Hope all is well.

> M.

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> From: Hale, Marcia

> Sent: Sunday, November 16, 2008 3:44 PM

> To: Rahm Emanuel (rahm@friendsofrahmemmanuel.com)

> Cc: 'Elizabeth Smith'

> Subject: Blackberries-NYT's

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> Rahm,

> The CEO/Founder of RIM saw the NYT's article about the President-elect

> and his blackberry. I know this is much more about the Presidential

> Records Act for him, but for the rest of you there are enhanced

> security measures that can be taken. I can't imagine all of you

> giving up your blackberries - or being nervous about how you use them.

> Can you get me to the right person they can meet with to explain

> options? Julius G, Don Gips (fr neighbor of mine on Jennifer St)?

> Whoever is appropriate. Don't need your time.

> Mike Lazaridis is the CEO/Founder - and inventor of the technology

> that makes our blackberries possible.

> Take care.

> M.  
> Nice to see you Friday.

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No Jen yet so will find a time later today.

cdm

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I'm at a funeral. You have my proxy.

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Please contact me if you have seen them!

Thanks so much!

Alison

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Subject: Fwd: CDC chief survives trial by fire on Hill

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Subject: CDC chief survives trial by fire on Hill

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## CDC chief survives trial by fire on Hill

By David Nather and Brett Norman

10/16/14 7:56 PM EDT

Tom Frieden is getting a lot of public scoldings for all of the missteps in the handling of the Dallas Ebola cases — and there have been plenty of them.

But so far, the criticisms don't appear to be rising to the level where the director of the CDC needs to worry about his job. Frieden came through a three-hour House hearing Thursday with some bruises but also with his ability to function as director seemingly intact.

The past few weeks haven't been kind to the confident, science-driven Frieden, the former New York city health commissioner who has fought tobacco use there and tuberculosis in India. Over and over again, Frieden told Americans that the U.S. public health system was ready to handle any Ebola cases. And one mishap after another has made it clear that, at least in Dallas, the public care system wasn't even close to ready.

At Thursday's hearing, lawmakers from both parties vented their frustrations at Frieden. Republicans on the Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations demanded to know why the Obama administration wasn't considering flight restrictions from the most severely hit west African countries. House Majority Whip Steve Scalise (R-La.) forced him into a stuttering, dodgy exchange about whether the White House had ever discussed it.

Even Diana DeGette of Colorado, the panel's top Democrat, angrily demanded to know whether Americans could be sure that hospitals would actually check for Ebola the next time a patient who has traveled to West Africa walks in with a fever and vomiting.

And yet, by the end of the hearing, none of the subcommittee members had called for Frieden to resign. In fact, the chairman, Tim Murphy of Pennsylvania, specifically said he wants Frieden to stay. The CDC chief should improve transparency and acknowledge missteps, Murphy said after the hearing, but "I think he needs to stay in there. Get the job done and get to work."

Frieden may have showed a bit of impatience at times, and looked more tired than he has at some of his public briefings. But he didn't suffer the same indignities as recently departed Secret Service chief Julia Pierson, who had little choice but to quit after a brutal Sept. 30 trip to the Hill, or former Health and Human Services Secretary Kathleen Sebelius, who was regularly humiliated with calls for her resignation at

hearings on the Obamacare website disaster. There have been some calls for Frieden to resign, including [GOP Sen. David Vitter of Louisiana](#) and Rep. Steve King of Iowa on Thursday — but they're not the kind of lawmakers who can make life too miserable for the White House.

Frieden's not off the hook with public health experts. They say he has been overconfident in his claims about the readiness of U.S. hospitals, and that he was too quick to blame the infection of Nina Pham, the first of two nurses who caught Ebola after treating the Dallas patient, on a ["breach in protocol"](#) — a statement they say sounded like he was blaming the nurse.

But they also give Frieden credit for being flexible and willing to switch gears quickly — including updating the CDC's original guidelines for treating Ebola guidelines, which have been [widely criticized](#) by infectious disease experts as inadequate. They also say Frieden is a widely respected public health expert who has already performed a tremendous service by flagging the seriousness of the Ebola outbreak in West Africa, visiting the region himself to sound the alarm within the Obama administration.

"It took his trip to really raise the importance of this issue, and that's incredibly important," said Jeffrey Levi, executive director of the Trust for America's Health.

"He's been a strong leader, a very forceful leader, very confident about what he thinks should be done and not afraid to say it," Levi said.

Matthew Myers, president of the Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids, who worked with Frieden on anti-smoking initiatives during Frieden's days in New York, describes him as a "no-nonsense," science-driven health expert who asks tough questions and "won't take a soft answer for an answer."

"I have not met another public health official who digs as deep into the science as he does, demands answers and then moves as rapidly" to implement them, Myers said.

To some degree, Frieden had to project confidence. His job as CDC director is to calm the public, not start a panic. But some public health experts say the Dallas hospital clearly wasn't ready, because it had not practiced and run drills the way U.S. hospitals should have been doing for months.

Frieden's claims that the country's hospitals were prepared to handle the virus "was an instance of overconfidence," according to J. Stephen Morrison, director of the Global Health Policy Center at the Center for Strategic and International Studies, who has worked closely with Frieden on global health initiatives.

But to Frieden's credit, Morrison said, "he's shown a level of self-criticism and humility in admitting mistakes and correcting course."

That includes upgrading the agency's instructions to hospitals to make sure health care workers really are covered head to toe when treating an Ebola patient. After Pham was infected, the CDC this week updated its guidance to hospitals, now recommending full body suits that cover the head and neck, and strict procedures for how to take them off after an encounter with an Ebola patient.

"I think in retrospect, everyone wishes that the amount of protection needed was recognized earlier, and the same with the strict protocol of gowning and ungowning" the protective equipment, said Paul Jarris, executive director of the Association of State and Territorial Health Officials, which helps coordinate communication between the CDC and state and local public health officials.

"The health care infrastructure in Africa was weak and there was a belief that it couldn't happen here," he said. "But the pathogen doesn't care about the quality of the health care infrastructure. There is no room for error with this pathogen."

Eric Toner, a senior associate at the Center for Health Security at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, said that Frieden has been an effective communicator as the face of the government's outbreak response, openly sharing the facts with public as he understood them.

The problem is "some of the messages have been wrong," Toner said. He noted that the claim that any hospital could handle an Ebola patient was undercut at the outset when the handling of the first case was botched in Texas. Having the tools to do a job, he said, was not the same as having the experience to get the job done.

"I think they said that because every hospital has an isolation room and every hospital has gowns and gloves and guidance, that they could do it," Toner said. "But there's a big difference between having those things and being able to use them with a highly lethal disease."

Frieden has also been criticized for his "breach of protocol" quote in referring to Pham's infection, although he quickly walked that back. "Number one, he kind of got ahead of the investigation. Number two, he didn't account for the possibility that the protocol itself might be deficient," said one public health expert who specializes in infectious diseases.

At Thursday's hearing, Frieden turned the spotlight on the hospital rather than the nurse — suggesting that there was "some variability" in the Dallas hospital's use of protective gear in the critical first two days of the treatment of the patient, Thomas Eric Duncan.

But despite the "fumbles" in the CDC's early response to the first domestic case, Toner said Frieden was "extraordinarily well-qualified and competent" to manage the CDC's response and "is the one who should be out there, talking to the public."

In particular, public health experts say early career experience as a disease detective at the CDC and his work in the field battling tuberculosis in New York City, and later for five years in India with the World Health Organization, are strong credentials for managing the Ebola effort.

"In India, you don't hear anyone refer to him as anything less than a miracle worker," said Myers. In that job, he said, the naturally impatient Frieden had to learn to work with a health care bureaucracy that never responds quickly to anything.

After his work in India, Frieden became the New York city health commissioner in 2002, under Mayor Michael Bloomberg, and turned his attention to reducing the number of NYC smokers. He held that job until 2009, when President Barack Obama brought him to Washington to run the CDC.

In most of his public briefings on Ebola, Frieden has been the voice of reassurance, declaring what virtually all public health experts thought: that U.S. hospitals were fully prepared because the American health care infrastructure was so much better than the resources in West Africa. Every time, he declared his confidence in science: We know how the disease works, he said, and we know how to stop it from spreading.

But his tone changed at a briefing on Sunday, when Frieden confirmed that Pham had been diagnosed with Ebola. Despite Frieden's repeated reassurances that the country's hospitals were ready to "stop Ebola in its tracks," not only had a hospital badly botched the initial handling of the patient — sending Duncan home despite his travel history and symptoms, only to admit him days later once he was critically ill — now a person taking care of him had been infected.

Frieden, usually confident and calm, sounded exceptionally somber. He said the agency was directing Texas Health Presbyterian to keep the number of people caring for the stricken nurse to "an absolute minimum" and only perform essential procedures.

Since then, Frieden has kept his comments about the Dallas hospital to a minimum, and Myers said he's not surprised that Frieden hasn't been more openly critical: "He wouldn't do that." But other public health experts believe that Frieden, and the rest of the CDC, are paying the price because the public expects them to have more control over how rigorously the Dallas hospital and others follow the protocols for treating Ebola.

"The disconnect in a lot of minds is that because it's the CDC, and because he is such a forceful presence, people assume there's a command and control situation, and there's just not," said Levi of the Trust for America's Health.

And whatever missteps have happened in the handling of the Dallas cases, most public health experts still believe Frieden is the right man for the job.

"It would be a huge shame if he came out of this damaged in his standing and his influence, because we're not going to do better than him to run this organization at this moment," Morrison said. "We need a strong leader and he's it."



*Jennifer Haberkorn contributed to this report.*

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Subject: Labor Nightly Update

Attachments: 7.1.15.xlsx

Good evening-

We had a good day today with productive labor policy meetings. Amanda, Maya and Mike Shapiro attended along with myself. 45 unions attended the five meetings we hosted throughout the day, broken down by labor sector: private, public, public federal, building trades and transportation. We had 90 representatives from each of the attending unions participate. I will be working with policy on a strategic follow up plan to these discussions.

Robby is presenting at tomorrow's AFL-CIO Political Director's meeting. Sander's campaign manager will follow. The digital team put together a excellent labor video, to compliment Robby's powerpoint, for tomorrow's presentation.

HRC completed calls today to President Hite (Plumbers). The Plumbers were very happy that they connected. A call with Chris Shelton (CWA) is scheduled for Monday.

Both NEA and SMART HRC videos were received, greatly appreciated and excellent response from the content. NEA: "You knocked this out of the ballpark!!!"

SEIU President Mary Kay Henry confirmed her attendance today at the HRC reception on July 14th.

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Subject: [big campaign] NAACP Regional Director Position - with attachment

Attachments: NAACP Regional Field Director announcement \_ March 2011.docx

Please feel free to forward the attached job announcement. These are critical positions for a very important organization -- that is critical to the success of the Progressive movement.

Thanks, Bob Creamer (so sorry it was originally posted without attachment)

## NAACP Regional Field Director

The Regional Field Director is responsible for overseeing field operations in one of seven NAACP multi-state regions. The RFD provides support for, and direction to, NAACP state conferences, branches and youth & college divisions. She/he will provide support in the form of trainings, leadership development, advocacy for regional units within the larger NAACP family, as well as supporting region-wide member needs. Mobilize NAACP units, members, people of color and allies within the region to engage in grassroots and legislative organizing and civic participation on targeted campaigns.

Reporting to the National Field Director, RFD will:

- Coordinate and/or conduct Executive Leadership Training
- Work to increase youth activism and engagement within the State Youth & College divisions
- Provide advice and counsel to unit leadership on effective operations, NAACP goals and policies.
- Implement advocacy and civic participation campaigns on key issues, and establish alliances to integrate non-members into NAACP campaigns, with measurable accountability standards.
- Coordinate the efforts of regional, multi-state Field Organizers who may be hired to work on specific campaigns.
- Support the work of NAACP departments in their engagement with the region, including:
  - Assist Membership Division with organizing strategies implemented by state and local units.
  - Problem-solving with NAACP Constituent Services at the Regional level.
  - Provide support for the NAACP's disaster relief efforts within a region.
- Provide National Field Director with monthly and quarterly progress reports for strategic goals and organizing/advocacy activity of state and local units, and other related duties as assigned by the National FD.

## QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor's and/or Master's degree from an accredited college or university.
- At least five years of management experience, preferably in a non-profit organization.
- Extensive experience directing large, complex organizing campaigns.
- Experience in membership-building and recruitment.
- Experience in setting and achieving measurable targets, managing teams, and coordinating between multiple stakeholders.
- Ability to handle multiple priority projects and meet established timelines and reporting requirements.
- Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.
- Ability to execute strategic goals and work effectively with state and local leaders.

- Excellent analytical, presentation and leadership skills.
- Ability to travel extensively.

**Please send resume and a short cover letter, including for which Region (below) you are applying, and at least 3 professional references to [Demcampaigns@aol.com](mailto:Demcampaigns@aol.com) to apply. Please include “NAACP Regional FD” in the subject line.** NAACP hopes to fill RFD positions by mid-May or early June. (Please note that an additional region may open up).

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## Elizabeth Edwards On Health Care: ‘This Is Not A Cheap Shot; It Is Potentially Life And Death’

*Our guest blogger is Elizabeth Edwards, wife of former Presidential candidate John Edwards and [soon-to-be IOP Fellow](#) at the Harvard Institute of Politics.*

John McCain accused me of taking a “[cheap shot](#)” on “[This Week with George Stephanopoulos](#)” yesterday for noting that people with preexisting conditions like him and me would not be able to get health care under his plan — and that he perhaps was not as sensitive to this problem as he should be since he has been in government health care his whole life.

Sen. McCain noted that he was not receiving government health care for the six years he was in captivity. That is true. But it has [nothing to do](#) with my point — which is that the problem with Sen. McCain’s health care plan is not how it affects us — but how it affects the tens of millions of Americans with preexisting conditions who, unlike Sen. McCain and me, do not have the resources to pay for quality health care.

That is not a cheap shot, it is a potentially life and death question for tens of million of Americans. And it is a question Sen. McCain must address.

McCain’s health care plan is centered around the idea that we’d be better off if more Americans bought health coverage on their own, rather than receiving it through a job or government program. But maybe since he has never purchased insurance in the individual market, he does not know the [challenge it presents](#) for Americans with preexisting conditions.

A recent study showed that nearly [nine out of every ten people](#) seeking individual coverage on the private insurance market never got it. Insurers [will disqualify you](#) for just taking certain medicines because of the possibility of future costs, including common drugs as Lipitor, Zocor, Nexium, and Advair. People who have had cancer are denied coverage and those who get cancer run the risk of simply [being dropped](#) by their insurer for any excuse that can be found. And insurers make it a practice to [deny coverage](#) to individuals in high risk occupations, such as firefighting, lumber work, telecom installation, and pretty much anything more risky than working in an office.

McCain opposes universal health care because he claims it represents a “big government takeover and mandates.” But yesterday, he said he would help cover people with preexisting conditions by creating a “special Medicaid trust fund.”

A “special Medicaid trust fund?” Talk about a big government take over. Tens of millions of Americans have preexisting conditions. If he is going to expand Medicaid to cover Americans with preexisting conditions, he is talking about a massive, massive increase in the Medicaid program. He says he opposes more government involvement in health care, but his idea really would be government-run health care.

My questions is: why is he doing this? If he is so concerned about expanding government’s role in health care, why doesn’t he just tell the insurance industry that they have to cover people with preexisting conditions? Why is he more concerned about protecting the insurance industry — an industry which, by the way, his corporate tax cut plan [gives a \\$1.9 billion tax cut](#) to — than the tens of millions Americans with preexisting conditions?

McCain’s advisors still [can’t say](#) how this special Medicare trust fund will work. I gather we will find that out when Senator McCain gives a speech on health care later this month. Rest assured, I will be paying attention.

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Date: 8/3/2011 5:05:48 AM

Subject: [big campaign] ThinkProgress petition to Reid & Pelosi on Super Committee

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RT @thinkprogress Tell Pelosi + Reid to hold the line. Super committee members must insist on new revenue and jobs. <http://thkpr.gs/pE47dx> R\*E\*T\*W\*E\*E\*T

<http://thinkprogress.org/jobs-revenue>

## A Superstar Committee: Demand Appointees Who Will Fight For Jobs And Revenue

Dear Leader Pelosi and Majority Leader Reid:

We have a jobs crisis in America. Unfortunately, the debt limit deal that was signed into law yesterday goes straight in the wrong direction. We are writing to urge you to ensure that we immediately change course.

Specifically, we ask that you only appoint members to the "super committee" who agree in advance they will only support a package that includes:

**1. New revenues that exceed any additional cuts**

**2. A job creation package**

If these components are not included, your appointees should agree to oppose the package, even if the result will be that the so-called "trigger" cuts go into effect. It's time to hold the line.

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Date: 5/17/2015 8:20:21 AM

Subject: Re: REVISE HOME BASE TALKING POINTS FOR HRC

What about this as a base, and then she can drop in Israel when she's with donors:

Fourth and finally, we have to protect our country from the global threats that we see, from terrorists to dictators to diseases – and the ones that are still over the horizon. We have to assert confident American leadership to shape global events rather than be shaped by them. That includes taking on global warming and those who continue to deny that it exists. And it means always standing up for our allies and our values, especially our fellow democracies.

On Sun, May 17, 2015 at 3:09 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I won't fall on sword over Israel but we need more than climate in that paragraph.

On May 17, 2015, at 3:04 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I'm w Joel. We shouldn't have Israel at public events. Especially dem activists.

On May 17, 2015, at 2:48 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She was Secretary of State.

On May 17, 2015, at 2:39 PM, Joel Benenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)> wrote:

Why would we call out Israel in public events now?  
The only voters elevating FP at all are Republican primary voters.  
To me we deal with this in stride when an if we are asked about FP

Sent from my iPhone

On May 17, 2015, at 2:21 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We def need the etc. I think good to have Israel too.

On May 17, 2015, at 1:13 PM, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

I though this was largely for her TP with public events not fundraisers. Do we need Israel etc for that?

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On May 17, 2015, at 1:00 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Would add a sentence on standing up for our allies and our values, including Israel and other fellow democracies, and confronting terrorists and dictators with strength and cunning.

On May 17, 2015, at 12:12 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

3 small suggestions:

1) if we are going to talk about building the economy for tomorrow, we should work in the the words innovation and sustainable someplace. Both are dog whistle words.

2) more people are working more jobs is ambiguous and subject to different meaning. Do we mean more people are working two or more jobs?

3) I've tried this one before but in the democracy fight, I still think it's stronger to say "I'll appoint Supreme Court Justices who will protect the the right to vote and not the right of a few billionaires to buy elections." Bernie has now linked Citizens United to Court appointments which may make this more or less desirable.

On Sunday, May 17, 2015, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I think it's very nice

On May 17, 2015, at 11:32 AM, Mandyt Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

Attached is a draft of the Home Base intro talking points, using some of HRC's new language.

This reflects Joel's edits too.

Please let me know what you think.

If people are happy with this, please get to HRC.

thx

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Subject: Re: Launch speech draft

Yes--that's my understanding.

On Sat, May 16, 2015 at 5:14 PM, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com > wrote:

And just to be clear -- she is looking for a tighter version of the opening she has been doing at events/fundraisers -- that is still Four Fights -- but reflects some of her favorite new additions (like mental health)-- without being a laundry list.

Is that correct?

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Yes that would be ideal. This way she will have tomorrow afternoon/evening to review and can give feedback by Monday am.

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On May 16, 2015, at 4:30 PM, Robby Mook < re47@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Since it sounds like we won't have the paragraphs until later today and since we need the new home base by mid day tomorrow, I think we should just move forward with a revised home base using what we have right now--essentially refining the core message and four fights. I appreciate trying to start to pivot to where we want to go with the speech, but my larger concern is that she have sufficient time with the material.

On Sat, May 16, 2015 at 1:27 PM, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com > wrote:

I was hoping to see new speech paragraphs, so we could align the home base language with new announce language.

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> On May 16, 2015, at 1:05 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
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> Huma, you mean the home base language for her message events and

> fundraisers until the launch? Basically the topper for every event  
> that hits our core message before adding the issue of that day. Mandy  
> is helping us write that. Mandy I know we asked you for a lot this  
> weekend. Possible to do by noon tomorrow?  
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>> On May 16, 2015, at 12:42 PM, Huma Abedin <  
ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
>>  
>> Where are you guys on home base language? Can we get by 12pm  
tomorrow?  
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>> Sent from my iPhone  
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>>> On May 14, 2015, at 4:35 PM, Dan Schwerin <  
dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
>>>  
>>> Team, here is a first draft of the Launch Speech. Thanks to Lissa  
Muscatine and Jon Favreau for great work on this, and to Joel for his  
advice.  
>>>  
>>> This rough draft is very much a work in progress and there are a  
number of questions to consider as you read.  
>>>  
>>> -- At this stage, we're most concerned with structure and themes. In  
general, it would be great if you could focus for now on those issues  
rather than specific language.  
>>> -- You'll see that "It's Your Time" is not in here yet. Jon and Lissa,  
with fresh eyes, both raised concerns that this wouldn't work well here, if  
at all. Joel also has concerns. So that's worth discussing.  
>>> -- "The Vision Thing." This remains a challenge. As you read, does  
it feel like a vision for the future comes through? If not, that's a place we  
really need to focus.  
>>> -- The Four Fights. I think nobody really loves the Four Fights but  
we haven't come up with a better frame for her policy agenda. If there's a  
great alternative, we should sell her on it. If not, we should try to make  
sure the Four Fights feels coherent and big enough to carry the agenda  
and stand up to the echo of Roosevelt's Four Freedoms.  
>>> -- This is too long, so suggested cuts would be very welcome.  
>>>  
>>> We have committed to give HRC a draft to read over the weekend,  
but then we have several weeks to get this right. So it would be great  
for folks to send me thoughts and reactions via email tonight or tomorrow  
morning. And then we can look forward to more in depth conversations  
down the road.  
>>>  
>>> Thanks very much.  
>>> Dan  
>>> <2015-05-14 Launch Speech - 4pm.docx>

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**Date:** 9/22/2008 6:16:35 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Follow-Up

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Chris-

2pm Thursday at Main Justice it is. I will send you detailed info shortly. BAB

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**Sent:** Monday, September 22, 2008 11:58 AM  
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**Subject:** Re: Follow-Up

That works for me.

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**From:** Benczkowski, Brian A (OAG)  
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**Sent:** Mon Sep 22 10:01:35 2008  
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How about Thursday at 2pm?

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**To:** Benczkowski, Brian A (OAG); John Podesta  
**Subject:** RE: Follow-Up

I'm free Tuesday morning, and pretty much all day on Thursday. Wednesday is a tough day for me, so that won't work. Thanks for working to set this up.

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**From:** Benczkowski, Brian A (OAG) [mailto:Brian.Benczkowski@usdoj.gov]  
**Sent:** Mon 9/22/2008 8:46 AM  
**To:** Chris Lu; John Podesta  
**Subject:** RE: Follow-Up

Chris and John-

Could you let me know a few days/times this week that might work for a follow-up meeting with you re:the cocept of operations and MOU? It would probably work best to have the meeting here at DOJ, but please let me know if you have another preference. Best, BAB

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**To:** Chris Lu; John Podesta  
**Cc:** Benczkowski, Brian A (OAG)  
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John / Chris:

Thanks for your time on the call. As discussed, the White House will now excuse itself from the process unless/until you ask us to re-engage for any reason.



You're in good hands. Brian Benczkowski (cc'd) and the DOJ/FBI team are committed to making sure the process is efficient and confidential.

Best,  
Blake

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**From:** "Cassandra Butts" <[cbutts.obama08@gmail.com](mailto:cbutts.obama08@gmail.com)>

**To:** "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

**Date:** 9/30/2008 4:04:46 PM

**Subject:** ethics appearance question

John, see the following from one of our ethics lawyers who is working to vet the vice president's team on the transition. He flagged the entry below from Monica Medina's resume. While her former role at Fannie Mae doesn't represent an actual conflict with the code of conduct, it raises an appearance issue particularly as the McCain campaign continues to try to link Barack to Fannie and Freddie. Given that our pre-election process is not public, I think we can get away with including Monica at this stage, but I would counsel that we reassess her involvement in a post-election transition. I'd appreciate your feedback. Best, Cassandra

On Sep 30, 2008, at 7:26 PM, "Schapiro, Andrew H." <[ASchapiro@mayerbrown.com](mailto:ASchapiro@mayerbrown.com)> wrote:

In case you don't have this yet. Monica is Ron Klain's wife. I assume the following entry from her resume is not a problem for this assignment, but flag it in an excess of caution:

Vice President and Deputy General Counsel, Fannie Mae 2003-2005 Led unit charged with supporting Board of Directors oversight of executive management and corporate governance generally within the company, including \$2.6 m annual operating budget.

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**From:** Gitenstein, Mark H.

**Sent:** Monday, September 29, 2008 2:43 PM

**To:** [cbrowner@thealbrightgroupllc.com](mailto:cbrowner@thealbrightgroupllc.com) ; Chris Lu

**Cc:** ted kaufman; [moniklain@aol.com](mailto:moniklain@aol.com) ; Schapiro, Andrew H.

**Subject:** FW: transition

Carol/Chris: We would like to have Monica Medina represent Sen. Biden on the Energy/Environment Issue Group. Attached find her resume and ethics form. Thanx Markg

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From: ["The Common Good" <admin@thecommongood.net>](mailto:admin@thecommongood.net)

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 10/28/2015 8:34:30 AM

Subject: Meet the candidates



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Jason Kander (D-Secretary of State for Missouri & candidate for US Senate)  
Tuesday, November 3rd: 3-4pm  
Cozen O'Connor Law Firm, 277 Park Avenue, (Between 47th and 48th), 20th Floor  
[RSVP:](#) \$15.  
Thank you to host Richard Gordon.

Jason Kander is the Missouri Secretary of State and the youngest statewide elected official in America. Kander is a former Army Captain who served in Afghanistan as a military intelligence officer, a member of the Missouri House of Representatives, and an attorney from Kansas City, Missouri. During his career in the General Assembly, he represented the 44th district (which includes parts of Jackson County) from 2009 to 2013. He is running for the United States Senate against Republican incumbent Roy Blunt in the 2016 election. *The Hill* has ranked the race #10 of the most vulnerable this year out of two dozen the Republicans are defending.

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Congressman Joseph Kennedy III (D-Massachusetts)  
Monday, November 9th: 12-1:30pm  
AllianceBernstein, 1345 Avenue of the Americas, 40th Floor  
[RSVP:](#) \_ VERY limited seating; respond ASAP. Only confirmed RSVPs will be seated.  
Thank you to host Peter Maroney.

Joe Kennedy III is considered by many as a rising young leader in the Congress. Currently in his second term, Kennedy represents a diverse district from the suburbs of Boston to the more industrial towns of Massachusetts' South Coast. As member of the influential House Energy & Commerce Committee, he has prioritized economic

opportunity for working families. Whether leading efforts to combat opiate abuse or working with federal regulators to tackle the rising cost of energy across New England, his legislative agenda is driven by communities back home. Kennedy has become a powerful voice for social justice, championing issues like employment non-discrimination, pay equity, and comprehensive immigration reform.

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Congresswoman Tammy Duckworth (D-Illinois & candidate for US Senate)  
Monday, December 7th: 12:30-1:30pm  
Paul Hastings, 75 East 55th Street, 7th Floor  
**RSVP:** \_ \$20. Light lunch fare to be served. Must have confirmed RSVP.  
Thank you to host Richard Farley.

Tammy Duckworth is an Iraq veteran who lost both legs and partial use of her right arm when the Black Hawk helicopter she was co-piloting was shot down in 2004, and won her Congressional seat in 2013. She is currently running for US Senate against Republican Senator Mark Kirk. She is also the first Asian American woman elected to Congress in Illinois, the first disabled woman to be elected to the U.S. House of Representatives, and the first member of Congress born in Thailand. Chris Cillizza at *The Washington Post* puts this race as #1 of races that may change the Senate.

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**OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Ambassador Melanne Verveer**

*Empowering Half the World*  
Wednesday, December 9, 2015  
Reception & remarks: 6:15-7:45pm; Dinner & conversation: 8:00-9:30pm

**RSVP**

**The Rt. Honorable David Miliband**

*Fallout: Ramifications of the Great Refugee Crisis*  
Wednesday, January 27, 2016  
Reception & remarks: 6:15-7:45pm; Dinner & conversation: 8:00-9:30pm

**RSVP**

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Message Planning Meeting

When

Tue Nov 10, 2015 6pm – 7pm Eastern Time

Where

Nevada Conference Room / 718-441-3763, no pin ([map](#) )

Video call

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: [Erskine <erskine@2bowles.com>](mailto:Erskine@2bowles.com)

Date: 5/2/2014 3:02:09 AM

Subject: Re: Your comments

Try to catch dinner?

On May 2, 2014 6:49 AM, "Erskine" <[erskine@2bowles.com](mailto:erskine@2bowles.com)> wrote:

I'm coming for the Urban Institute Board meetings on May 14-16. Love to see you and catch up.

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**From:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> >

**Sent:** Friday, May 2, 2014 5:25:21 AM

**To:** Erskine

**Subject:** Re: Your comments

Grazie. Coming to town soon? Love to see you.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On May 1, 2014, at 10:17 PM, Erskine <[erskine@2bowles.com](mailto:erskine@2bowles.com)> wrote:

She's going to do fine. Call if you need me.

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**From:** Burr, Richard (Burr) <[RMB@burr.senate.gov](mailto:RMB@burr.senate.gov)> >

**Sent:** Thursday, May 1, 2014 10:13:17 PM

**To:** Erskine

**Subject:** RE: Your comments

Meet with her today. Good meeting. Will make sure this goes smoothly. Thx

Sent with Good ([www.good.com](http://www.good.com) )

-----Original Message-----

From: Erskine [[erskine@2bowles.com](mailto:erskine@2bowles.com) ]

Sent: Thursday, May 01, 2014 12:37 PM Eastern Standard Time

To: Burr, Richard (Burr)

Subject: Your comments

Richard. I saw your thoughtful comments on Sylvia yesterday. Thank you. Your pal- Erskine

From: [william.m.daley@jpmchase.com](mailto:william.m.daley@jpmchase.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/25/2008 6:50:40 AM  
Subject:

John is fri meeting only a call or meeting of board?

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William M Daley

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To: "Ann O'Leary" <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 9/26/2015 8:43:16 AM  
Subject: Re: Cadillac tax

Can I ask what headline we are seeking with this? Because it strikes me as a clever attempt to be both for and against the cadillac tax. Why aren't we just for outright repeal if we are going to cede back all the revenue anyway by holding <250k harmless?

On Saturday, September 26, 2015, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I think it is more of a political question - if we need to do it for political reason, this may be good venue. John - What do you think about getting out there on it tomorrow?

Ann O'Leary  
Sent from my iPhone  
(510) 717-5518 (cell)

On Sep 26, 2015, at 12:15 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

It doesn't pass bar of news that would break through emails. So I don't know that it is worth the effort.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 26, 2015, at 3:12 PM, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Jen/Brian - Do you all want to try to land repeal of Cadillac tax + applying tax to \$250K and above on MTP? Need to lock it with HRC and set it up with unions if we are going to pull trigger tomorrow. Please advise.

Ann O'Leary  
Sent from my iPhone  
(510) 717-5518 (cell)

On Sep 26, 2015, at 11:30 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

It also will not break through as big news on MTP.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 26, 2015, at 2:27 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I think we will pay a huge price with the WH on this one. Worries me.

On Sep 26, 2015 1:13 PM, "Ann O'Leary" <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+Podesta

Calif the Obama nominee does have real ties to the drug industry - Chris Jennings is calling a few people for me to learn more so we don't tip our hand directly. We are clean on Clinton Admin FDA Commissioner - it was David Kessler, an academic who had run a teaching hospital - and best known for taking on big tobacco. We could certainly signal that we want someone willing to stand up to Pharma (in the same way Kessler stood up to Tobacco).

BUT - I want to do a little more digging and due diligence before we hit this guy. Having been through a nomination fight with my husband (in which he lost), this is personal and messy and horrible on the person nominated and their families - so I don't take attacking this guy lightly.

Do you want to do it on Meet the Press?

Also, as long as I have all of your attention - on Cadillac Tax - the general consensus is that we should frame our position as Cadillac Tax should be repealed but that we should tax people who make more than \$250K b/c they don't need to have tax-payer funded subsidies. I have not nailed this down with HRC. Should I try to do that today if we are going to announce this on Meet the Press?

On Sat, Sep 26, 2015 at 10:00 AM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Better go look at WJC administration FDA nominees.

On Sat, Sep 26, 2015 at 12:59 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

This is ultimately a political call, not a policy call. I don't really like the idea of bashing this White House's nominees, knowing their vetting process and standards.

But if you guys want to do it, I cannot identify a policy reason not to -- you all know the facts.

Ann, any other intel?

On Sat, Sep 26, 2015 at 12:53 PM, Brian Fallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Any update on this? As we consider fights that fit into the larger themes we are trying to promote, this seems like a good fight to have. Plus, the VP would be in a box of having to support this nominee.

On Tue, Sep 22, 2015 at 12:06 AM, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Interesting. I'll do some asking around to see what folks in the public health world think.

On Mon, Sep 21, 2015 at 8:25 PM, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

I don't know anything about the guy.

If we weren't hitting the Administration with Keystone this week, I might be tempted, but I think that probably makes it a bad idea.

Lets keep an eye on it and see about those Pharma ties.

**Mandy Grunwald**  
**Grunwald Communications**  
**[202 973-9400](tel:2029739400)**

-----Original Message-----

From: Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>

Cc: Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)>; Joel Benenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)>;

bfallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)>; Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)>

Sent: Mon, Sep 21, 2015 11:22 pm

10/18/2016

Subject: Re: F.D.A. Nominee Califf's Ties to Drug Makers Worry Some - The New York Times

What do you think?

> On Sep 21, 2015, at 10:33 PM, Mandy Grunwald  
<[ggruncom@aol.com](mailto:ggruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

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> Do we want to weigh in on this?

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> <http://www.nytimes.com/2015/09/20/health/fda-nominee-califfs-ties-to-drug-industry-raise-questions.html>

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From: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 5/22/2015 7:19:15 AM

Subject: Re: HRC avail

Yep. Think you were pointing at reporters.

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 22, 2015, at 2:18 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> My arm?

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> On May 22, 2015, at 2:08 PM, Jennifer Palmieri

> <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> She did great.

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> Body language was very good, relaxed and not at all defensive.

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> The clip MSNBC is using most is her saying that she hopes the release  
> of other emails are expedited.

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> Gowdy is focused on how her Benghazi emails are self-selected by her  
> and therefore paint on an incomplete picture. He is not focused on the  
> classified email, which is great.

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> She did well on trade, too. I think anyone who heard that would come  
> away thinking she had a lot of doubts about TPP.

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> Definitely the right call to do this - and helpful to get her on  
> camera on trade, too. She was tough.

>

> Nick's arm was in front of her face a bunch, but otherwise okay!



From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Helga Flores Trejo" <hflorestrejo@gmail.com>](mailto:hflorestrejo@gmail.com)  
Date: 3/21/2015 3:43:06 AM  
Subject: Re: Helga Flores

Could you be in NYC more or less full time?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Mar 21, 2015, at 6:00 AM, Helga Flores Trejo <[hflorestrejo@gmail.com](mailto:hflorestrejo@gmail.com)> wrote:

Dear John,

Now that the U.S. has become home for Michael and me (my third home after Mexico and Germany), I would like to engage politically again and contribute to Hillary's campaign. As you know, politics has always been my passion and I am a long term and loyal admirer of HRC, so for me, the time is now: Could you use a Mexican/German-U.S. resident in the campaign?

I know that the set of skills needed in a Presidential campaign are specific and differ from what I learned in Germany, the Balkans and Latin America. Hence, I have no illusions, but here is what I could bring to the table:

- Knowledge of Latin America and a good understanding of the Latino community as well as Latino organizations in the United States;
- Strong communication skills, especially in Spanish but also in English, German, French, and Portuguese;
- Reading politics: I worked in party politics most of my life and had to learn to quickly grasp complicated political surroundings as diverse as Bonn, Belgrade or Brasilia. Therefore, I am confident, that I could get Colorado or Ohio, too.
- Policy expertise in climate change, renewable energy and international affairs;
- Experience in parliament, government, think tanks, NGOs and a large, bureaucratic financial institution
- I am a fast learner, committed, and will do what it takes. I would not have gone from Mexico, to Germany, to Belgrade, to Washington, to Brasilia and back to Washington otherwise.

I can barely imagine the amount of requests you get these days, so I know this is a long shot but I decided to try, because this is our new home and Michael and I want to be part of America in every way. If you think I could make a useful contribution somewhere in the campaign, I would be thrilled.

Saludos,

Helga

From: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com>](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)  
[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)  
Date: 6/29/2014 10:19:23 PM  
Subject: Ironman

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Jess did it! She finished the Ironman in 15:04:13. To put that in perspective, while she was on the course I ate dinner, attended a meeting, watched a World Cup match, slept a night's sleep, had breakfast, and made it back to the office to monitor her splits online.

She did the 2.4 mile swim in 1:26:21, the 112 mile bike in 8:02:40, and then ran a marathon in 5:09:28. I never really doubted that she would finish, but I am nonetheless completely in awe.

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Gabe Podesta

**From:** "Eilperin, Juliet" <Juliet.Eilperin@washpost.com>  
**To:** "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
**Date:** 12/10/2015 5:26:03 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Assuming a meaningful deal is struck in Paris...

Sure. I'm working remotely (the Post is moving buildings this week, and almost everyone is working remotely until Monday), so my cell, 202-302-3663, is best. So you can either give me a call, or let me know when you're free, and we can chat.  
Best, Juliet

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**From:** John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 10, 2015 7:24 PM  
**To:** Eilperin, Juliet <Juliet.Eilperin@washpost.com>  
**Subject:** Re: Assuming a meaningful deal is struck in Paris...

Yes but on the West Coast in back to back meetings. Tomorrow morning?

On Dec 10, 2015 3:12 PM, "Eilperin, Juliet" <[Juliet.Eilperin@washpost.com](mailto:Juliet.Eilperin@washpost.com)> wrote:

Dear John,  
Assuming a significant deal is struck in Paris, we will want to do an Obama-focused piece in addition to the main story. Would you be willing to talk, either on an embargoed basis or once it's struck, to reconstruct some of the ways Obama helped lay the groundwork for the pact? It would entail talking to either me or Steve.  
Thanks, and hope you're well,  
Juliet

From: ["Kate Offerdahl" <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
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["John Podesta" <jp66@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jp66@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 2/19/2016 1:45:22 PM  
Subject: Re: Deck for 8:30pm Call

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Adding your other address, John!

On Fri, Feb 19, 2016 at 8:37 PM, Kate Offerdahl <[kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hi there,

See the attached deck on the delegate plan for discussion on the call. We want to avoid sending it to the whole group, but I know you are off-site.

Thanks!

Kate

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Rosa DeLauro" <roldelauro@gmail.com>](mailto:roldelauro@gmail.com)

Date: 9/9/2015 8:18:04 AM

Subject: Re: Phone Call

I'll call tomorrow.

On Wednesday, September 9, 2015, Rosa DeLauro <[roldelauro@gmail.com](mailto:roldelauro@gmail.com)> wrote:

Hi John,

Looking to speak with you. Call me when you get a chance 202-225-9100. R

From: "Shumway Marshall, Business Forward" <info@businessfwd.org>

To: "John Podesta" <John.Podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 2/8/2016 12:33:49 PM

Subject: TOMORROW: Join us for a conf. call with the Dept. of State on Cuba

John,

[Don't forget to sign up for tomorrow's conference call with the U.S. Department of State on telecommunications and IT in Cuba](#). Ambassador David A. Sepulveda will discuss the opportunities and challenges posed to businesses looking to do business in the island nation.

Here's the link to register: [http:// action.businessfwd.org/page/s/cuba-it-rsvp-yes](http://action.businessfwd.org/page/s/cuba-it-rsvp-yes) .

I hope you can make it.

Shumway

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**From:** Shumway Marshall, Business Forward

**Date:** Thursday, February 4 at 2:51 PM

**Subject:** INVITE: Join us for a conf. call on Cuba with the Dept. of State



John—

Today, fewer than one in four Cubans have access to the internet. This presents an enormous opportunity for American businesses seeking to provide telecommunications and IT services to the country, but it also poses a challenge for any company seeking to do business there.

The U.S. State Department recently took a delegation of telecommunications executives and experts to Cuba. Ambassador David A. Sepulveda, who led the trip, will hold a conference call next week on doing business in Cuba, with particular emphasis on IT and telecommunications issues raised with Cuban officials.

## Can you join our conference call on telecommunications and IT in Cuba?



**Here are the details:**

### **WHAT**

Conference call on telecommunications and IT in Cuba

### **WITH**

Ambassador Daniel A. Sepulveda

*Deputy Assistant Secretary and U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy*

Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs

U.S. Department of State

### **WHEN**

Tuesday, February 9

1:00 p.m. ET / 10:00 a.m. PT

*Please note that to foster a candid discussion, this call is off the record and not intended for press.*

10/18/2016

Here's the link to register: <http://action.businessfwd.org/page/s/cuba-it-rsvp-yes> .

Thanks,

**Shumway Marshall**

Digital Director

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Date: 9/1/2015 3:34:29 PM  
Subject: Fwd: Re: My prediction

Heard he is now telling union Presidents he is running.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: Sep 1, 2015 10:32 PM  
Subject: Re: My prediction  
To: Neera Tanden <[ntanden@gmail.com](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)> >  
Cc:

Good call. Is he scheduled for the 8th?

On Sep 1, 2015 9:59 PM, "Neera Tanden" <[ntanden@gmail.com](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)> > wrote:  
Biden announces his run on Stephen Colbert show.

I obviously don't know anything. But it's like super ratings push for Colbert. I don't think he'd take him unless he was making news.



From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Mae Podesta" <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 5/28/2015 5:08:04 AM

Subject: Re: Tony - June 2

I can go home Tuesday night. When are you going to Mexico? Saturday?

On Thursday, May 28, 2015, Mae Podesta <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I was going to be home Tuesday night. Are you? I asked for the apt to get cleaned monday so you can sleep in my room since I'm in Mexico til Tuesday (I land around midnight)

Begin forwarded message:

From: Heather Kliegman <[hkliegman@podestagroup.com](mailto:hkliegman@podestagroup.com)>

Date: May 28, 2015 at 16:35:49 GMT+2

To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, "[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)" <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>

Cc: Eryn Sepp <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)>

Subject: Tony - June 2

John / Mae –

Tony asked me to let you know that he will be in NYC on the evening of June 2 and departing early on June 3. Please let me know if there is anything I can be helpful with.

Thanks,

Heather



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From: "Georgetown University Alumni Association" <alumniclubs@georgetown.edu>

To: "John Podesta" <podesta@georgetown.edu>

Date: 7/1/2015 10:22:04 AM

Subject: Register Today for International Alumni Weekend 2015 in Hong Kong

 International Alumni Weekend in Hong Kong 2015

Dear Hoyas,

On November 5-8, join Georgetown as we visit Hong Kong for the 2015 International Alumni Weekend.

Sponsored by the Georgetown University Alumni Association, this unique event will be a special opportunity to connect with fellow alumni from around the world for a weekend of intellectual and cultural programming.

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- University receptions at unique venues in the Hong Kong area
- Exquisite accommodations at the host hotel [Island Shangri-la](#), offering a gorgeous view of the city.

Visit [law.georgetown.edu](http://law.georgetown.edu) and register today, or email Sam Sanders at [samuel.sanders@georgetown.edu](mailto:samuel.sanders@georgetown.edu) for more information.

Hoya Saxa,

 Bill Reynolds signature

Bill Reynolds (C'79, Parent '10, '13)

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From: "Jake Sullivan" <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "Ann O'Leary" <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: 6/30/2015 6:50:34 AM

Subject: Re: Union Leaders, Members on SCOTUS Grant of Cert in Friedrichs v. CTA

Adding Dan.

On Jun 30, 2015, at 1:44 PM, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I took a stab at a first draft. COMMS - Can you play with this and send it back around?

Today, the United State Supreme Court announced that next term it will hear the case of *Friedrichs v. California Teachers Association*, which calls into question the right of public sector to collect a "fair share" fee when it bargains for non-union members. These fees ensure that our public sector unions can continue their fight for fair wages and benefits that teachers, nurses, child care workers, EMTs, and so many others deserve who serve our children and our communities day in and day out. These workers deserve to be part of the strong middle class in America and their unions help to make it so. I will be watching this case closely and will be standing firmly united behind our unions in their fight for their right to bargain collectively for the higher wages that reflect the value of their work.

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 9:59 AM, Maya Harris <[mharris@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mharris@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We support crafting a statement. Key is to stay at high level reaffirming her support for protecting workers' right to organize and perhaps stating hope Court will do the same (think she expressed hope SCOTUS would rule in favor of marriage equality while the case was still pending). But we don't want it to look like she's getting ahead of them (e.g., predicting a bad outcome) since they've just taken the case and we don't know the result.

On Jun 30, 2015, at 11:07 AM, Christina Reynolds <[creynolds@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:creynolds@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Defer to policy on this—Ann/Maya?

**From:** Amanda Renteria [mailto:[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 30, 2015 11:06 AM

**To:** Nikki Budzinski

**Cc:** Maya Harris; Ann O'Leary; Christina Reynolds; John Podesta; Robby Mook; Brynne Craig; Marlon Marshall

**Subject:** Re: FW: Union Leaders, Members on SCOTUS Grant of Cert in Friedrichs v. CTA

comms/policy - thoughts?

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 11:04 AM, Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Would it be possible to get a statement today? We can use it to bring with us to policy and political meetings with the labor movement we have in DC tomorrow and Thursday. This would be very helpful.

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 10:29 AM, Amanda Renteria <[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Agree. This would go along way if she said something about this. She knows this issue well from her briefings, etc. +Policy +Reynolds

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 10:10 AM, Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Below is the statement that public sector unions jointly put out in response to Friedrichs. I'm talking to them about their next steps later today. Nikki

From: Maiers, Staci [NEA] [<mailto:SMaiers@nea.org>]  
Sent: Tuesday, June 30, 2015 9:40 AM  
Subject: Union Leaders, Members on SCOTUS Grant of Cert in Friedrichs v. CTA  
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**PUBLIC SERVICE WORKERS ON SUPREME COURT GRANT  
OF CERT IN *FRIEDRICHS V. CTA***

**Lawsuit Seeks to Curtail Freedom of Firefighters, Teachers, Nurses, First-  
Responders to Stick Together and Advocate for Better Public Services, Better  
Communities**

**Jeopardizes American Promise that Hard Work Leads Families to a Decent Life**

WASHINGTON—NEA President Lily Eskelsen García, AFT President Randi Weingarten, CTA President Eric C. Heins, AFSCME President Lee Saunders, and SEIU President Mary Kay Henry issued the following joint statement today in response to U.S. Supreme Court granting cert to *Friedrichs v. California Teachers Association*:

“We are disappointed that at a time when big corporations and the wealthy few are rewriting the rules in their favor, knocking American families and our entire economy off-balance, the Supreme Court has chosen to take a case that threatens the fundamental promise of America—that if you work hard and play by the rules you should be able to provide for your family and live a decent life.

“The Supreme Court is revisiting decisions that have made it possible for people to stick together for a voice at work and in their communities—decisions that have stood for more than 35 years—and that have allowed people to work together for better public services and vibrant communities.

“When people come together in a union, they can help make sure that our communities have jobs that support our families. It means teachers can stand up for their students. First responders can push for critical equipment to protect us. And social workers can advocate effectively for children’s safety.

“America can’t build a strong future if people can’t come together to improve their work and their families’ futures. Moms and dads across the country have been standing up in the thousands to call for higher wages and unions. We hope the Supreme Court heeds their voices.”

And public servants are speaking out, too, about how *Friedrichs v. CTA* would undermine their ability to provide vital services the public depends on. In their own words:

“As a school campus monitor, my job is to be on the front lines to make sure our students are safe. Both parents and students count on me—it’s a responsibility that I take very seriously. It’s important for me to have the right to voice concerns over anything that might impede the safety of my students, and jeopardizing my ability to speak up for them is a risk for everyone.”

—Carol Peek, a school campus security guard from Ventura, Calif.

“I love my students, and I want them to have everything they need to get a high-quality public education. When educators come together, we can speak with the district about class size, about adequate staffing, about the need for counselors, nurses, media specialists and librarians in schools. And we can advocate for better practices that serve our kids. With that collective voice, we can have conversations with the district that we probably wouldn’t be able to have otherwise—and do it while engaging our communities, our parents and our students.”

—Kimberly Colbert, a classroom teacher from St. Paul, Minn.

“As a mental health worker, my colleagues and I see clients who are getting younger and more physical. Every day we do our best work to serve them and keep them safe, but the risk of injury and attack is a sad, scary reality of the job. But if my coworkers and I come together and have a collective voice on the job, we can advocate for better patient care, better training and equipment, and safe staffing levels. This is about all of us. We all deserve safety and dignity on the job, because we work incredibly hard every day and it’s certainly not

glamorous.”

—*Kelly Druskis-Abreu, a mental health worker from Worcester, Mass.*

“Our number one job is to protect at-risk children. Working together, front-line social workers and investigators have raised standards and improved policies that keep kids safe from abuse and neglect. I can't understand why the Supreme Court would consider a case that could make it harder for us to advocate for the children and families we serve—this work is just too important.”

—*Ethel Everett, a child protection worker from Springfield, Mass.*

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**About the National Education Association**

The National Education Association is the nation's largest professional employee organization, representing nearly 3 million elementary and secondary teachers, higher education faculty, education support professionals, school administrators, retired educators and students preparing to become teachers. Learn more at [www.nea.org](http://www.nea.org) and follow on Twitter at @NEAMedia.

**About the American Federation of Teachers (AFT)**

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**About the California Teachers Association (CTA)**

The 325,000-member California Teachers Association is affiliated with the 3 million-member National Education Association. Find out more at [www.cta.org](http://www.cta.org) and follow CTA on Twitter at @CATeachersAssoc.

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/8/2016 3:06:51 PM

Subject: I tagged you back

Feel free to call at any time over the weekend. Cheers and enjoy your day!

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Kristina L. Costa" <kristinacosta@gmail.com>](mailto:kristinacosta@gmail.com)  
Date: 4/10/2015 6:56:16 AM  
Subject: Re: Funny or Die

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Thanks. If you are doing calls with them, I might want to get on and say thanks.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

> On Apr 10, 2015, at 1:54 PM, Kristina L. Costa <[kristinacosta@gmail.com](mailto:kristinacosta@gmail.com)> wrote:

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> Video is slated to come out on the 15th. Clean Air Campaign doing a push at the same time around 100 days of congressional inaction so should be a fun week. Funny or Die folks are hoping to share a cut as soon as COB (west coast time) today -- know things are probably pretty busy but will share it with you when I get it.

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> KLC

From: [members@turnoutpac.org](mailto:members@turnoutpac.org) <[admin@turnoutpac.org](mailto:admin@turnoutpac.org)>

To: ["John Podesta"](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu) <[podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)>

Date: 10/27/2015 10:57:22 AM

Subject: Huge. Ambitious. Goals.

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Date: 9/9/2009 4:24:21 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Ruth Marcus, WP on abortion/health care reform

Washington Post: The Next Health Reform Myth

By Ruth Marcus

Wednesday, September 9, 2009

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2009/09/08/AR2009090802960.html>

Item: "President Obama and top Democratic congressional leaders are pushing hard for health care bills that would result in federal government funding of abortion on demand!" warns the National Right to Life Committee.

Item: A television ad broadcast by the Family Research Council shows an older couple -- Harry and Louise on Medicare -- sitting at their kitchen table and worrying about how to afford a needed operation. "They won't pay for my surgery, but we're forced to pay for abortions," says the man.

Item: House Minority Leader John Boehner asserts that House Democrats' health bill "will result in federally mandated coverage of abortion on demand in virtually all of America's health plans," making it "illegal for health-care providers nationwide -- even Catholic and religious-based hospitals . . . -- to provide anything less than abortion on demand for anyone who seeks it."

You're going to be hearing more of the same. Don't believe it. These inflammatory statements do a disservice to a complex issue of public policy: how, in the context of health reform, to balance the deeply felt views of both sides in the abortion debate.

I am firmly in the camp of those who think the abortion decision should be left up to the woman. But I respect those who fervently believe that abortion is the taking of human life, so I am sensitive to concerns that their tax dollars not be used to pay for the procedure.

Actually, let's remember: Tax dollars already are used to pay for abortion. Even the Hyde amendment, which since 1976 has prohibited the use of federal Medicaid funds for abortions, makes an exception in cases of rape and incest and when the mother's life would be in danger. Americans who believe that abortion should not be permitted, even in such cases, are nonetheless required to pay, yes, tax dollars to underwrite these procedures.

On a more subtle level, the federal government offers tax credits to purchase health insurance and subsidies for people who have lost employer coverage -- without excluding plans that cover abortions. Again, tax dollars.

Still, the status quo is generally to keep federal money out of abortions. The health care given to members of the military doesn't include coverage for most elective abortions. Neither does the insurance offered to federal employees.

At the same time, most private insurance plans do offer abortion coverage. So the abortion question unavoidably arises in the context of health reform -- notwithstanding President Obama's understandable desire to "not get distracted by the abortion debate."

The controversy has two dimensions: First, if a public plan is created, should abortion be among the covered services? Second, even without a public plan, should the private insurance plans available on the exchanges be allowed or required to cover abortion -- even though government funds would go to subsidize some, but not all, of those obtaining insurance this way?

The only Senate measure produced so far is silent on the subject. In the House, an amendment offered by Rep. Lois Capps (D-Calif.) nicely threads these narrow-eyed needles.

With respect to private insurance, the Capps amendment makes clear that companies participating in the exchange cannot be required to include abortion coverage and that plans cannot -- contrary to Boehner's

In addition, it requires that the exchanges include at least one plan without abortion coverage -- relieving abortion opponents from worrying that their premiums would be used to pay for abortions -- and one that offers coverage. Although private plans could include abortion coverage, they could not use federal funds for that purpose. Instead, plans that choose to include this coverage could set aside a portion of their private premiums that could then be used to pay for abortion services.

It is hard to imagine how to craft a more sensitive approach -- other than telling women who purchase insurance through the exchanges entirely with their own money that they cannot obtain abortion coverage.

Then again, that would be perfectly fine with some of the critics. Others are happy to seize on any argument, however misleading, that might derail the larger enterprise.

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/8/2015 5:19:05 PM

Subject: Re: Question

OK. Can I ask your assistant for times next week. It will probably take me that long to schedule those folks anyway. Please?

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**From:** John Podesta

**Sent:** Tuesday, December 8, 2015 7:17 PM

**To:** Mary Pat Bonner

**Subject:** Re: Question

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This week is out.

On Tuesday, December 8, 2015, Mary Pat Bonner <[mpbonner@bonnegrp.com](mailto:mpbonner@bonnegrp.com)> wrote:

John,

Thank you so much for doing the dinner last night. It was really great. I wanted to follow-up on your offer to do calls for us. I have about 10 calls of people who are considering giving, but just need some validation and was hoping I could schedule them for this week and next week. They would be about 10 minutes each and quite easy I am sure.

Please let me know.

Warm regards,

Mary Pat

From: ["Jeff Harris" <jeff@progressiveaccountability.org>](mailto:jeff@progressiveaccountability.org)  
 To: ["big campaign" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)  
 Date: 10/21/2008 11:00:29 AM  
 Subject: [big campaign] IE Watch 10/21  
 Attachments: electioneering communication report.xls  
 IE WATCH-HUMANE SOCIETY LEGISLATIVE FUND.doc  
 IE WATCH-ENVIRONMENT AMERICA INC.doc

Today's Electioneering Communications report is attached. There is an IE report attached for Environment America Now and the Humane Society Legislative Fund which were too large for this email.

Laborer's Political League – Laborers' International Union of N.A.

\$100.00 for Web Design Expense (Deepika Mehta DM Web Solutions) on 10/21 in support of Obama  
 \$750.00 for Web Design Expense (Deepika Mehta DM Web Solutions) on 10/21 in support of Obama  
 \$1,000.00 for Web Design Expense (Deepika Mehta DM Web Solutions) on 10/21 in support of Obama  
 \$93,647.10 for T-Shirt Purchase (K&R Industries) on 10/21 in support of Obama  
 \$39,034.68 for Yard Signs (Kelly Press) on 10/21 in support of Obama  
 \$1,841.96 for Hard Hat Decals (Kelly Press) on 10/21 in support of Obama

NARAL

\$2,250.00 for Printing (Adams, Hussey & Associates) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$250.00 for On-line Advertising (Google) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$250.50 for On-line Advertising (Google) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$29,000.00 for Printing Mail #1 (Misson Control) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$29,000.00 for Printing Mail #1 (Misson Control) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$29,725.00 for Printing Mail #1 (Misson Control) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$29,725.00 for Printing Mail #1 (Misson Control) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$7,500.00 for List Rental (NARAL Pro-Choice America) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$200.00 for Telemarketing (The Next Big Thing) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$200.00 for Telemarketing (The Next Big Thing) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain  
 \$171.39 for Postage (USPS) on 10/21 in opposition to McCain

Michigan Republican Party

\$51.12 for Vol GOTV Calls (Alltell) on 10/20 in support of JOSEPH K. KNOLLENBERG (MI-11)  
 \$51.12 for Vol GOTV Calls (Alltell) on 10/21 in support of JOSEPH K. KNOLLENBERG (MI-11)

Susan B Anthony List Candidate Fund

\$3,001.12 for MCCAIN-PALIN T-SHIRTS (El Busa Creations) on 10/21 in support of McCain

Williamson County Republican Party Federal PAC

\$4,475.00 for McCain/Palin signs (Ampro Productions) on 10/20 in support of N/A (Texas)  
 \$903.29 for McCain/Palin T shirts (Jon A Jewett) on 10/20 in support of N/A (Texas)  
 \$869.24 for McCain/Palin T shirts, postage (Jon A Jewett) on 10/20 in support of N/A (Texas)  
 \$860.96 for plastic bags for hanging on doors (Jon A Jewett) on 10/20 in support of N/A (Texas)

Environment America Voter Action

\$101,135.00 for Campaign Mailing (AMS Communications Inc.) on 10/20 in support of AL FRANKEN (MN Senate)

National Association of Realtors PAC

\$15,000.00 for Website Design/Production/Operation Cost (Amplify Public Affairs LLC) on 10/20 in support of Paul E. Kanjorski (PA-11)  
 \$15,000.00 for Website Design/Production/Operation Cost (Amplify Public Affairs LLC) on 10/20 in support of Ciro Rodriguez (TX-23)  
 \$15,000.00 for Website Design/Production/Operation Cost (Amplify Public Affairs LLC) on 10/20 in support of Jerry McNerney (CA-11)



\$4,500.00 for Website TV Spot Edit Costs (Fenn Communications Group) on 10/20 in support of Paul E. Kanjorski (PA-11)  
\$3,000.00 for Website TV Spot Edit Costs (Fenn Communications Group) on 10/20 in support of Ciro Rodriguez (TX-23)  
\$3,000.00 for Website TV Spot Edit Costs (Fenn Communications Group) on 10/20 in support of Jerry McNerney (CA-11)  
\$1,500.00 for Website Operation Cost (GetActive Software Inc) on 10/20 in support of Paul E. Kanjorski (PA-11)  
\$1,500.00 for Website Operation Cost (GetActive Software Inc) on 10/20 in support of Ciro Rodriguez (TX-23)  
\$1,500.00 for Website Operation Cost (GetActive Software Inc) on 10/20 in support of Jerry McNerney (CA-11)  
\$100.00 for Consulting Services (National Association of Realtors) on 10/20 in support of Paul E. Kanjorski (PA-11)  
\$100.00 for Consulting Services (National Association of Realtors) on 10/20 in support of Ciro Rodriguez (TX-23)  
\$100.00 for Consulting Services (National Association of Realtors) on 10/20 in support of Jerry McNerney (CA-11)  
\$5,625.00 for Email List Rental Costs (TargetSmart Communications LLC) on 10/20 in support of Paul E. Kanjorski (PA-11)  
\$7,890.00 for Email List Rental Costs (TargetSmart Communications LLC) on 10/20 in support of Ciro Rodriguez (TX-23)  
\$6,526.00 for Email List Rental Costs (TargetSmart Communications LLC) on 10/20 in support of Jerry McNerney (CA-11)

#### Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund

\$110,000.00 for TV ad buy (Abar Hutton Media) on 10/20 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$27.20 for dinner for canvassers (Boston Market) on 10/18 in support of MARK E UDALL (CO Senate)  
\$27.20 for dinner for canvassers (Boston Market) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$186.78 for rental car (Budget Rental) on 10/20 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$186.78 for rental car (Budget Rental) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$38.62 for rental car (Budget Rental) on 10/20 in support of MARK E UDALL (CO Senate)  
\$38.63 for rental car (Budget Rental) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$50.15 for dinner for canvassers (Church's Chicken) on 10/18 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$50.16 for dinner for canvassers (Church's Chicken) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$119.88 for staff lodging (Clarion Hotel) on 10/20 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$119.88 for staff lodging (Clarion Hotel) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$23,000.00 for online ad development (Evolve Strategies, LLC) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama  
\$4.97 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 10/18 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$4.97 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$20.00 for transport (Jesse Lifton) on 10/20 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$20.00 for transport (Jesse Lifton) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$4.90 for postage (Mail Bank) on 10/20 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$4.90 for postage (Mail Bank) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$4.52 for plates (Party City) on 10/18 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$4.52 for plates (Party City) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$4.00 for coffee (Satellite Coffee) on 10/19 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$4.00 for coffee (Satellite Coffee) on 10/19 in support of Obama  
\$7.79 for office pest control (Truly Nolen Pest Control) on 10/20 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$7.80 for office pest control (Truly Nolen Pest Control) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$20.00 for mileage (Ed Yoon) on 10/18 in opposition to MARILYN MUSGRAVE (CO-04)  
\$27.57 for mileage (Ed Yoon) on 10/20 in support of MARK E UDALL (CO Senate)

#### UAW Voluntary Community Action Program

\$435.47 for BOXES TO SHIP POLITICAL SIGNS (APAC PAPER & PACKAGING CORPORATION) on 10/20 in support of Obama  
\$650.35 for SHIPPING COSTS WIRES OBAMA SIGNS (YELLOW TRANSPORTATION) on 10/20 in support of Obama

#### Right to Life of Michigan PAC

\$571.46 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of McCain  
\$571.46 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of JACK HOOGENDYK JR (MI Senate)  
\$37.65 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of BART STUPAK (MI-01)  
\$84.48 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of PETER HOEKSTRA (MI-02)  
\$84.54 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of VERNON J EHLERS (MI-03)  
\$41.85 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of DAVID LEE CAMP (MI-04)  
\$33.77 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of TIMOTHY L. WALBERG (MI-07)  
\$31.93 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of MICHAEL J ROGERS (MI-08)  
\$24.44 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of MICHAEL J ROGERS (MI-08)  
\$32.10 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of CANDICE S. MILLER (MI-10)  
\$25.78 for Mail Flier (Western American Mailers) on 10/21 in support of THADDEUS G MCCOTTER (MI-11)

United Mine Workers of America – Coal Miners PAC

\$2,022.72 for NEWSPAPER AD (ANN MSITH COMMUNICATIONS) 10/20 in support of Obama

OB-GYNS for Women's Health PAC

\$15,620.00 for MAILING (MH MEDIA, LLC) on 10/21 in support of ERIK PAULSEN (MN-03)

Grisby, Leonard Lane

\$1,600.00 for Research (Bergeron Ann) on 10/20 in opposition to Don Cazayoux (LA-06)  
\$24,848.00 for Payment for production and mailing of (Arena Communications) on 10/20 in opposition to Don Cazayoux (LA-06)  
\$102.40 for Prepaid staff/overhead for (Cajun Industries LLC) on 10/20 in opposition to Don Cazayoux (LA-06)  
\$2,300.00 for Payment for assembly and distribution of yard signs (Zachary Gossett) on 10/20 in opposition to Don Cazayoux (LA-06)  
\$8,000.00 for Polling in connection with mailers (Southern Media & Opinion Research) on 10/20 in opposition to Don Cazayoux (LA-06)

American Hospital Association PAC

\$35,000.00 for Radio Advertising & Production (Multi-Media Services) on 10/21 in support of Phil English (PA-03)

Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund

\$90,000.00 for TV ad buy (Abar Hutton Media) on 10/17 in opposition to McCain  
\$25.00 for rental fee (Fort Collins Downtown Business Associat) on 10/17 in opposition to MARILYN MUSGRAVE (CO-04)  
\$14.62 for mileage (Sisy Garcia) on 10/17 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$14.63 for mileage (Sisy Garcia) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$4.97 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 10/17 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$4.98 for mileage (Jesse Lifton) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$52.86 for training expenses (Ming Dynasty) on 10/17 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$52.86 for training expenses (Ming Dynasty) on 10/17 in support of TOM UDALL (NM Senate)  
\$52.86 for training expenses (Ming Dynasty) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$16.00 for cables (Office Max) on 10/17 in support of MARK E UDALL (CO Senate)  
\$16.00 for cables (Office Max) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$2.32 for mileage (Oliver Sutter) on 10/17 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$2.32 for mileage (Oliver Sutter) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$28.02 for dinner for canvassers (Taco Bell) on 10/17 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$28.02 for dinner for canvassers (Taco Bell) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$50.00 for cell phone bill (Miriam Tohill) on 10/17 in support of Martin HEINRICH (NM-01)  
\$50.00 for cell phone bill (Miriam Tohill) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$80.00 for gas cards (Valero) on 10/17 in support of MARK E UDALL (CO Senate)  
\$80.00 for gas cards (Valero) on 10/17 in support of Obama

Tennessee Democratic Party

\$19,800.00 for Mail Piece (E Allan Brandon LLC) on 10/20 in support of Lincoln Davis (TN-04)  
\$20,242.33 for Mail Piece Postage (U.S. Postmaster) on 10/20 in support of Lincoln Davis (TN-04)

## American Medical Association PAC

\$16,218.00 for MEDIA COSTS (EDMONDS ASSOCIATES) on 10/20 in support of GORDON HAROLD SMITH (OR Senate)

## Republican Majority Campaign

\$112,378.60 for Phone/mail communication (Political Advertising) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

## SEIU Committee on Political Education

\$20,000.00 for newspaper ads (SEIU Illinois State Council) on 10/19 in support of Obama

\$32,000.00 for early vote promo material (SEIU Illinois State Council) on 10/19 in support of Obama

## NRCC

\$26,787.03 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (ARENA COMMUNICATIONS) on 10/20 in opposition to DINA TITUS (NV-03)

\$21,071.69 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (ARENA COMMUNICATIONS) on 10/20 in opposition to STEVEN L KAGEN (WI-08)

\$22,500.00 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (COMTECH DESIGN PRINT AND MAIL) on 10/20 in opposition to R PARKER GRIFFITH (AL-05)

\$9,474.18 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (MAJORITY STRATEGIES) on 10/20 in opposition to MARK HAMILTON SCHAUER (MI-07)

\$34,858.33 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (MAJORITY STRATEGIES) on 10/20 in opposition to CAROL SHEA-PORTER (NH-01)

\$9,114.61 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (MAJORITY STRATEGIES) on 10/20 in opposition to ERIC J MASSA (NY-29)

\$11,455.00 for SURVEY RESEARCH (MCLAUGHLIN AND ASSOCIATES INC) on 10/20 in support of CHRIS J LEE (NY-26)

\$22,782.40 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (ORMAN COMMUNICATIONS) on 10/20 in opposition to JERRY MCNERNEY (CA-11)

\$16,000.00 for SURVEY RESEARCH (PUBLIC OPINION STRATEGIES) on 10/20 in support of ERIK PAULSEN (MN-03)

\$16,000.00 for SURVEY RESEARCH (PUBLIC OPINION STRATEGIES) on 10/20 in support of LEONARD LANCE (NJ-07)

\$37,446.44 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (REVOLUTION MEDIA GROUP) on 10/20 in opposition to LINDA STENDER (NJ-07)

\$16,029.86 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (REVOLUTION MEDIA GROUP) on 10/20 in opposition to RAUL L MARTINEZ (FL-21)

\$27,286.57 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (REVOLUTION MEDIA GROUP) on 10/20 in opposition to NICHOLAS V LAMPSON (TX-22)

\$28,039.15 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (REVOLUTION MEDIA GROUP) on 10/20 in opposition to ALICE J KRYZAN (NY-26)

\$18,332.39 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (REVOLUTION MEDIA GROUP) on 10/20 in opposition to PAUL E KANJORSKI (PA-11)

\$49,610.85 for MEDIA (SANDLER-INNOCENZI INC) on 10/20 in opposition to LINDA STENDER (NJ-07)

\$2,965.00 for MEDIA (SANDLER-INNOCENZI INC) on 10/20 in opposition to LINDA STENDER (NJ-07)

\$158,100.00 for MEDIA (STRATEGIC MEDIA PLACEMENT) on 10/20 in opposition to KAY BARNES (MO-06)

\$233,680.00 for MEDIA (STRATEGIC MEDIA PLACEMENT) on 10/20 in opposition to JUDITH W BAKER (MO-09)

\$22,540.60 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (TARGETED CREATIVE COMMUNICATIONS INC) on 10/20 in opposition to JIGAR ASHWIN MADIA (MN-03)

\$13,397.62 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (TARGETED CREATIVE COMMUNICATIONS INC) on 10/20 in opposition to VICTORIA WULSIN (OH-02)

\$20,086.25 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (THE HOPPER COMPANY) on 10/20 in opposition to BOBBY NEAL BRIGHT, SR (AL-02)

\$17,462.02 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (THE HOPPER COMPANY) on 10/20 in opposition to STEVEN LEO DRIEHAUS (OH-01)

\$22,140.00 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (THE INNOVATIVE AGENCY LLC) on 10/20 in opposition to JUDITH W

## BAKER (MO-09)

\$25,460.00 for PRINTING/POSTAGE (THE STONERIDGE GROUP LLC) on 10/20 in opposition to KAY BARNES (MO-06)

## National Republican Trust PAC

\$1,600.00 for Banner Ads (Intermarkets, Inc.) on 10/18 in opposition to Obama

\$3,400.00 for Banner Ads (Intermarkets, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama

\$15,000.00 for Banner Ads (Newsmax Media, Inc.) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

\$40,000.00 for Media Buy (Philips Brook Group, Inc.) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

\$10,350.00 for Email Communication (Townhall.com) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

\$1,500.00 for Email Communication (Triangulation Strategies) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

## League of Conservation Voters Inc

\$28,000.00 for Media Buy (Abar Hutton Media) on 10/17 in opposition to McCain

\$51,536.50 for Media Production and online advertising (Abar Hutton Media) on 10/17 in support of Obama

\$51,536.50 for Media Production and online advertising (Abar Hutton Media) on 10/17 in support of JEFFREY ALAN MERKLEY (OR Senate)

\$27,500.00 for Estimated canvassing expenses (Grassroots Campaigns Inc) on 10/15 in support of KAY R HAGAN (NH Senate)

\$27,500.00 for Estimated ongoing canvassing expenses (Grassroots Campaigns Inc) on 10/15 in support of Obama

\$100.00 for Sign distribution (Lauren Hayes) on 10/15 in support of Obama

\$3,200.00 for Printed Materials (MNP) on 10/16 in support of Obama

\$3,200.00 for Printed Materials (MNP) on 10/16 in support of KAY R HAGAN (NH Senate)

\$100.00 for Sign Distribution (Alice Sturm) on 10/15 in support of Obama

\$1,7051.00 for Mailings (Terris Barnes & Walters) on 10/14 in opposition to McCain

\$22,088.00 for Printed Materials (Terris Barnes & Walters) on 10/14 in opposition to McCain

\$22,088.00 for Printed Materials (Terris Barnes & Walters) on 10/14 in opposition to ROBERT W SCHAFFER (CO Senate)

\$22,500.00 for Phone Calls (Winning Connections) on 10/14 in opposition to McCain

\$22,500.00 for Phone Calls (Winning Connections) on 10/14 in opposition to ROBERT W SCHAFFER (CO Senate)

\$165.00 for Printing materials (imPress) on 10/14 in support of Obama

## DCCC

\$1,455.00 for Field Organizing (Field Strategies Inc.) on 10/19 in support of Larry Kissell (NC-08)

\$1,455.00 for Field Organizing (Field Strategies Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Robert Hayes (NC-08)

\$1,550.00 for Field Organizing (Field Strategies Inc.) on 10/19 in support of Donald J. Cazayoux (LA-06)

\$1,550.00 for Field Organizing (Field Strategies Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to William Cassidy (LA-06)

\$615.00 for Field Organizing (Field Strategies Inc.) on 10/19 in support of Jim Himes (CT-04)

\$615.00 for Field Organizing (Field Strategies Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Christopher Shays (CT-04)

\$1,050.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in support of Travis W. Childers (MS-01)

\$1,050.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in opposition to Charles Gregory Davis (MS-01)

\$750.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in support of Frank Kratovil (MD-01)

\$750.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in opposition to Andrew P Harris (MD-01)

\$550.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in support of R. Parker Griffith (AL-05)

\$550.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in opposition to Wayne Parker, Jr. (AL-05)

\$1,700.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in support of Bobby Neal Bright, Sr. (AL-02)

\$1,700.00 for Field Organizing (GRS Consulting, LLC) on 10/19 in opposition to Jay Love (AL-02)

## Life and Liberty PAC INC

\$23,404.66 for Phone / Mail Communication (Political Advertising) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

## Progressive Future Incorporated

\$55.78 for pro-Obama messaging/communication devo (Jim Amspacher) on 10/17 in support of Obama

\$55.78 for pro-Obama messaging/communication devo (Jim Amspacher) on 10/19 in support of Obama

\$66.21 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Matt Curtis) on 10/17 in support of Obama



\$28.78 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Molly Danahy) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$28.78 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Molly Danahy) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$28.78 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Molly Danahy) on 10/19 in support of Obama  
\$156.70 for pro-Obama messaging/communication devo (Tony Dutzik) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$97.74 for pro-Obama messaging /communication devo (Rich Hannigan) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$60.32 for pro-Obama messaging /communication devo (Rich Hannigan) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$96.60 for pro-Obama messaging /communication devo (Rich Hannigan) on 10/19 in support of Obama  
\$163.53 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Adam Lioz) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$37.92 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Adam Lioz) on 10/18 in support of Obama  
\$81.77 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Adam Lioz) on 10/19 in support of Obama  
\$109.55 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Sarah Payne) on 10/17 in support of Obama  
\$31.30 for pro-Obama outreach /communication devo (Sarah Payne) on 10/19 in support of Obama  
\$16.65 for pro-Obama messaging /communication (Shelley Schreiner) on 10/19 in support of Obama  
\$21.08 for infrastructure for pro-Obama email (Shelley Schreiner) on 10/19 in support of Obama

NRA Political Victory Fund

\$1,927.00 for Magazine Ad (Edmonds Associates, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama  
\$1,166.00 for Magazine Ad (Edmonds Associates, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama  
\$1,286.00 for Magazine Ad (Edmonds Associates, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama  
\$150.00 for Magazine Ad Production - Estimated Cost (Edmonds Associates, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama  
\$450.00 for Magazine Ad (Edmonds Associates, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama  
\$450.00 for Magazine Ad (Edmonds Associates, Inc.) on 10/19 in opposition to Obama

Illinois Tenth Congressional District Democrats

\$1,421.50 for postage (US Postal Service) on 10/19 in opposition to MARK STEVEN KIRK (IL-10)  
\$710.75 for postage (US Postal Service) on 10/19 in support of Dan Seals (IL-10)  
\$710.75 for postage (US Postal Service) on 10/19 in support of Obama

Our Country Deserves Better PAC

\$1,917.53 for Media Production (California Image Associates) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama  
\$85,000.00 for Media Buy (Russo Marsh + Associates, Inc.) on 10/20 in opposition to Obama

Families First California

\$9,998.00 for Cable Television Advertising Buy (Kenyon Black, Inc.) on 10/17 in opposition to Joe Baca (CA-43)

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[Bill asked me to forward this email to you. Thanks.](#)

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**From:** Steiner, Joshua  
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**To:** William M. Daley ([william.m.daley@jpmchase.com](mailto:william.m.daley@jpmchase.com))  
**Subject:**

We've obviously been going back and forth on the question of transition leadership given the uncertainty of the NEC appointment timing. To help advance the discussion, here some thoughts:

I think we have the following options all of them are predicated on the assumption that the NEC would take over upon his/her appointment:

1. Keep current structure in place with campaign staff slotted in as appropriate.
2. Appoint a transitional transition economic policy director.
3. Keep campaign structure/staff in place, but on transition payroll.

On balance, I would favor #2.

1. As soon as possible, the transition board in consultation with Senator Obama would choose an Economic Policy Transition Director.
2. If possible, such Director would become integrated into Bill's and my work such that they can provide guidance on useful work and take over seamlessly post-election.
3. Such Director would serve until such time as the President has chosen his NEC director.
4. The Director would begin immediately after the election to hire the transition team (including putting appropriate campaign staff members on the payroll), but would leave room on the payroll for any people the NEC director might want to add.

Here are some thoughts on the Transition Director:

1. Known and respected by Obama.
2. Able to command the respect of the campaign staff and outside advisors.
3. Personality that would work well with new NEC director.

Here are some candidates:

1. Jason Furman
2. Dan Tarullo
3. Gene Sperling
4. Daley/Reich/Rubin/etc as head with one of the above as deputy to avoid any signaling.

Let me know what you think and whether it makes sense to send this to Podesta. I didn't really catch up with him yesterday. Thanks.

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## Blog: Community-driven Revitalization: Tying it Together in Freeport, Illinois

Check out our latest blog post, [Community-driven Revitalization: Tying it Together in Freeport, Illinois](#), by Melissa Friedland of EPA's Superfund Redevelopment Initiative. Melissa discusses how residents around the CMC Heartland Superfund site engaged EPA and FEMA to address frequent flooding issues and revitalize their communities.

Also check out a post by EPA Administrator Gina McCarthy and Rev. Lennox Yearwood Jr., President and CEO of the Hip Hop Caucus, about EPA's pursuit of environmental justice, and the fight against economic and public health risks posed by a changing climate. <http://go.usa.gov/hmWH>

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Link: <http://blog.epa.gov/ej/2015/02/tying-it-together-in-freeport-illinois/>

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To: ["Grimaldi, Eve" <grimaldi@visi.org>](mailto:grimaldi@visi.org)

Date: 7/21/2015 9:43:27 AM

Subject: Re: Faculty Storage at Georgetown Law

Possible to put them in 417? and I'll go through them and toss what I don't need.

On Jul 21, 2015 3:57 PM, "Grimaldi, Eve" <[grimaldi@visi.org](mailto:grimaldi@visi.org)> wrote:

Hi Mr. Podesta -

We are presently removing all faculty storage boxes from their present location due to water damage.

Ten cardboard-storage boxes are marked with your name and know as soon as we get to them we will re-house all contents into plastic-waterproof boxes.

Our space is more limited now than before. I am hoping you can either advise on what you would like to keep, recycle. or have sent to you.

If you wish, one of us can take a look at the top contents of each box and send you a quick inventory.

Best

Eve Grimaldi  
Faculty Support



From: "Asylum Access" <[communicationsassistant@asylumaccess.org](mailto:communicationsassistant@asylumaccess.org)>

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 12/1/2015 10:14:38 AM

Subject: Impact the lives of millions on this #GivingTuesday.

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- In Panama City, we successfully advocated for refugees to legally engage in small-scale entrepreneurial activities, creating an avenue for income-generation and self-sufficiency
- Led regional advocacy to improve conditions for thousands of refugees across Latin America
- Worked with the Tanzanian government on a forthcoming urban refugee policy that will make it possible for refugees to rebuild their lives outside refugee camps, and
- Successfully advocated to the Malaysian government for the rescue of Rohingya refugees stranded offshore

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From: "Chris Lu" <clu@barackobama.com>  
To: "Steiner, Joshua" <Joshua.Steiner@quadranglegroup.com>  
Date: 10/6/2008 5:47:57 AM  
Subject: RE:

Thanks, Josh. I'll keep that in mind as I put the agenda together.

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**Chris Lu**  
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**From:** Steiner, Joshua [mailto:Joshua.Steiner@quadranglegroup.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 06, 2008 12:28 PM  
**To:** Chris Lu  
**Cc:** john.podesta@gmail.com; william.m.daley@jpmchase.com  
**Subject:**

Chris –

If you would like an economic team update at Friday's meeting, would it be possible to have us near the top of the agenda?  
Due to travel constraints and a need to meet with the economic team while in DC, we can't stay for the entire meeting.

If that's not convenient, we will obviously make it work.

Thanks,

Josh

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**Joshua L. Steiner**  
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 8/2/2015 4:31:18 AM  
Subject: Cecil the lion

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I don't wish Zimbabwe's jails on anyone

You should arrange for the culprit to enter the Federal Dentist Protection Program.

All best,

Barry

From: "Hala Hijazi" <hkhijazi@gmail.com>

To: "Hala Hijazi" <hkhijazi@gmail.com>

Date: 3/8/2016 5:20:14 AM

Subject: INVITATION: Kamala Harris for Senate | Mayor Willie Brown | Ron Conway | Clint Reilly

Attachments: Kamala Harris Reception\_3.28 SF\_1.pdf

**Dear Friends & Colleagues,**

I hope this note finds you well. On the heels of **CA Attorney General Kamala Harris**, Candidate for US Senate, winning the coveted CA Democratic Party's endorsement by capturing 78.1% of the Party's statewide delegates votes, I am excited to invite you to what promises to be a one of a kind reception in support of her candidacy taking place on Monday, March 28 at 6:00pm at SF's Merchant Exchange Building.

**Host Committee Members (in formation):**

**Mayor Willie L. Brown, Jr. | Ron Conway | Clint Reilly**

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**Reception Details:**

Date: Monday, March 28, 2016

Time: 6:00pm-8:00pm (VIP Reception (6-6:30pm)

Venue: Merchant Exchange Building, 465 California Street, SF

**Contribution Levels:**

\$500 (Guest) | \$1000 (Friend) | \$2700 (Sponsor) | \$5400 (Co-Host/ write or raise)

For more additional info and to register, please see attached or visit: <http://tinyurl.com/march28-1>

If you have any questions and/ or would like to join the host committee, please email me at [hkhijazi@gmail.com](mailto:hkhijazi@gmail.com) or reach me on my cell at [415-307-4607](tel:415-307-4607).

On behalf of AG Harris and the Host committee, thank you for your continued support and participation!

Sincerely,

Hala

Hala K. Hijazi

415-307-4607

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From: "Office of the President" <presidentsoffice@georgetown.edu>

To: [allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 2/11/2015 3:59:09 PM

Subject: EVENT TOMORROW: FBI Director James B. Comey to speak on Law Enforcement and Race

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**John J. DeGioia**

*President of Georgetown University*

and

**McCourt School of Public Policy**

invite Students, Faculty, and Staff to remarks

by

**James B. Comey**

*Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation*

**“Hard Truths: Law Enforcement and Race”**

**TOMORROW**

**Thursday, February 12, 2015**

**10:00 am**

**Gaston, Healy Hall**

Admission is free and will be on a first-come, first-served basis. [GU ID Required.](#)

Doors open at 9:00 am and close at 9:45 am.

Line begins on the second floor of Healy Hall.

Please enter through the south tower of Healy Hall.

10/18/2016

Please do not bring bags, briefcases, backpacks, food or drink; they are not allowed in Gaston Hall.

[This event will be webcast.](#)

From: "The Broad Foundation" <[events@broadfoundation.org](mailto:events@broadfoundation.org)>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 8/22/2013 1:01:34 AM

Subject: 2013 Broad Prize seats are filling fast, reserve now

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9 a.m.

Personalized learning: Possible at scale?

11 a.m.

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Celebratory Networking Reception

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/12/2014 10:42:44 AM

Subject: Re: Can you talk tonight?

Call didn't happen.

Have 2 other quick things that I forgot to mention if you have time today.

Thanks

----- Original Message -----

From: John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]

Sent: Saturday, January 11, 2014 07:27 PM

To: Tina Flournoy

Subject: Re: Can you talk tonight?

Yes. 202-244-5673

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

> On Jan 11, 2014, at 5:18 PM, Tina Flournoy <[Tina@presidentclinton.com](mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com)> wrote:

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> Have a question before WJC returns a call in the am.

From: "Mae Podesta" <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 6/29/2015 9:00:27 AM  
Subject: Re: Fwd: Dr G's Retirement Program

I was going to grab a salad from Sweet Green but I'm up for dinner (or can grab you a salad).

On Mon, Jun 29, 2015 at 2:39 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:  
Most likely I'll get to the apartment early tonight. Fix you dinner?

On Jun 29, 2015 9:54 AM, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:  
Be in NYC tonight

On Jun 29, 2015 8:56 AM, "Mae Podesta" <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:  
This is cool

What's your plan this week? How was China?

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Jacob Hughes <[jacob@hughes-development.com](mailto:jacob@hughes-development.com)>  
Date: Mon, Jun 29, 2015 at 8:48 AM  
Subject: Dr G's Retirement Program  
To: Betsy Williams <[elizabethhelenwilliams@gmail.com](mailto:elizabethhelenwilliams@gmail.com)>, William Martin <[billscusa@aol.com](mailto:billscusa@aol.com)>, Gaurav Manchanda <[gaurav@onedegreesolar.com](mailto:gaurav@onedegreesolar.com)>, Meredith Safer <[meredith.safer@gmail.com](mailto:meredith.safer@gmail.com)>, Steve Radelet <[sradelet2@gmail.com](mailto:sradelet2@gmail.com)>, Leonard Rubenstein <[lrubenstein@jhu.edu](mailto:lrubenstein@jhu.edu)>, Richard John BRENNAN <[brennanr@who.int](mailto:brennanr@who.int)>, Mae Podesta <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>

Read all about it at this link. It was an unforgettable occasion.

<http://www.liberianobserver.com/news/dr-gwenigale-retired-distinction>

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To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)

Date: 8/4/2008 10:46:43 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Thanks - pic and first links!

**\*\*apologies if you get this twice\*\***

Thanks to everyone who sent help – it was much appreciated. We had a good turnout. Moreover – we’ve already seen 3 hits and I just now sat back down at my desk. Cox wires, CBS and Politico also sent people and talked to some of the vols.

Attached is a photo of some of our own ☺

Thanks again – really – so much!

–Nita

[http://www.politico.com/blogs/thecrypt/0808/Dem\\_retort\\_Follow\\_the\\_oil\\_money.html?showall](http://www.politico.com/blogs/thecrypt/0808/Dem_retort_Follow_the_oil_money.html?showall)

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Date: 12/15/2015 2:42:25 PM

Subject: Invitation: JDP, RM, SL, HS @ Thu Dec 17, 2015 10am - 11am (john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

JDP, RM, SL, HS

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When

Thu Dec 17, 2015 10am – 11am Eastern Time

Where

Robby's Office / 718-441-3763, no pin ([map](#) )

[https://plus.google.com/hangouts/\\_/hillaryclinton.com/jdp-rm-sl-hs](https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/jdp-rm-sl-hs)

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Date: 2/7/2016 8:33:02 AM

Subject: [Update] Post-NH Messaging

This call will be delayed 15 minutes. Please dial in at 10:45am!

Post-NH Messaging

Sun Feb 7, 2016 10:30am – 11:30am Eastern Time

When

Debate Prep Room (Radisson) / 718-766-5165 ([map](#) )

Where

[https://plus.google.com/hangouts/\\_/hillaryclinton.com/post-nh](https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/post-nh)

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From: "Nico Pitney" <nico.pitney@gmail.com>

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Date: 6/18/2008 8:51:00 AM

Subject: [big campaign] McCain's Offshore Drilling Position A Flip From Three Weeks Ago

[http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2008/06/18/mccains-offshore-drilling\\_n\\_107872.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2008/06/18/mccains-offshore-drilling_n_107872.html)

## McCain's Offshore Drilling Position A Flip From Three Weeks Ago

It is hardly a secret that when it comes to offshore drilling, Sen. John McCain was against the idea before he was for it. On Monday, the Arizona Republican told a crowd in Texas that he was abandoning his long-time support for a federal moratorium on drilling along the nation's coastlines in favor of allowing states to decide for themselves.

But how recent a convert is McCain to this position?

In late May, during a campaign town hall, McCain was asked about the prospect of coastal drilling. His answer then was far more nebulous and skeptical of the idea compared to his recent, full-throated endorsement.

On a [campaign stop](#) in Greensdale, Wisconsin, the Senator suggested that turning to the nation's coast for energy needs would be something of a waste in time and effort and do little to resolve America's broader energy needs.

"[W]ith those resources, which would take years to develop, you would only postpone or temporarily relieve our dependency on fossil fuels," McCain said when asked about offshore drilling. "We are going to have to go to alternative energy, and the exploitation of existing reserves of oil, natural gas, even coal, and we can develop clean coal technology, are all great things. But we also have to devote our efforts, in my view, to alternative energy sources, which is the ultimate answer to our long-term energy needs, and we need it sooner rather than later."

Those remarks differ widely from the sentiment offered by the Senator yesterday, in which he presented coastal drilling [as a move that](#) would "be very helpful in the short term resolving our energy crisis."

In part because of these limited benefits, McCain was far cooler to the idea of ending to federal moratorium on drilling offshore back in May. Responding to an audience question, the presumptive GOP nominee stated his respect for states' rights while adding a healthy dose of concern about forcing states to open up their coasts.

"Can I just say that this young man just pointed out that that he believes in states' rights, and so do I. And the people of Louisiana decided that they wanted to drill off of their coast. And they do. The people of California and the people of Florida, those two states decided that they didn't. What I would like to do, frankly, is to maybe give them a greater source of the revenues to help maybe encourage them to allow some kind of exploration far off of their shores. But if I told the state of California, you've got to have drilling off of your coast, that would frankly be a contradiction of what were just talking about, about -- that's their land and that's off of their coast."

That McCain would, two weeks later, offer a full endorsement of removing federal restrictions on the drilling practice seems hard to attribute to the high price of gas (after all, gas prices were similarly priced in late May), but rather political posturing. A Republican with an environmentalism streak, the Senator has long stood against drilling offshore, arguing that longer-term solutions were needed to end the energy crisis. But the general election has changed that dynamic.

On other issues as well, McCain has found himself back-tracking from his prior advocacy.

In mid-May 2008, for example, [the Senator was quoted](#) saying he didn't "like obscene profits being made anywhere," and, as such, would be "glad to look" at a windfall profits tax on oil companies. Yesterday, however, he criticized Barack Obama for wanting "a windfall profits tax on oil to go along with the new taxes he also plans for coal and natural gas."

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Date: 6/8/2015 12:32:09 PM

Subject: June 8 Evening Network News Roundup

Attachments: 6.8.15 Evening Network.docx

Document attached, 2016 highlights below:

ABC's *World News Tonight*: No 2016 coverage.

CBS' *Evening News*: No 2016 coverage.

NBC's *Nightly News*: No 2016 coverage.

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"Robert McKay" <[rmckay@mckayfund.org](mailto:rmckay@mckayfund.org)>  
Date: 2/25/2008 2:36:44 PM  
Subject: Re: DA Conference and NYC meeting

The timing should not be a problem as kelly knows she has to hold the time. The lawyers may not allow any official joint sponsorship so this may be a FFA event  
Sent via Cingular Xpress Mail with Blackberry

-----Original Message-----

From: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: Mon, 25 Feb 2008 21:18:33

To: "Amy Dacey" <[amy@fundforamerica.net](mailto:amy@fundforamerica.net)>, "Anna Burger" <[anna.burger@seiu.org](mailto:anna.burger@seiu.org)>, "John Stocks" <[JStocks@nea.org](mailto:JStocks@nea.org)>, "Robert McKay" <[rmckay@mckayfund.org](mailto:rmckay@mckayfund.org)>

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Subject: Re: DA Conference and NYC meeting

I'm ok in general, but tomorrow noon is unrealistic. I'll be in nyc for the fund. Better to make a final decision wed.  
Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

-----Original Message-----

From: "Amy Dacey" <[amy@fundforamerica.net](mailto:amy@fundforamerica.net)>

Date: Mon, 25 Feb 2008 16:12:37

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Subject: DA Conference and NYC meeting

After careful consideration for FFA presence at the DA Conference in April and a meeting with our east coast donors I would like to make the following proposal:

We need to work with DA to get an invite letter out this week so approval on this process by tomorrow noon is required.

Letter out from Podesta and Begala to donors inviting them to attend the DA meeting in CA end of April, and or NYC meeting in May (I do not want to wait until June to communicate with the East Coast Donors)

Joint program with FFA and DA for 1/2 day on the 30th to present an update on the Funds activity and progress in the progressive community.

Meeting in mid May- 1/2 day with a social activity (reception afterward) for our NY Donors

We agree to encourage as many donors (especially West Coast to attend the DA meeting) and we will also try to maximise attendance at the NY program. (We should also consider inviting DA to help us co-host the NY event)

We will work with Marc Elias and DA to structure a compelling and legal presentation of our efforts.

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If anyone has concerns with pursuing this plan please let me know as soon as possible.

Thank you

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To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 3/10/2016 9:28:31 AM

Subject: 16th March, Brussels. Book launch "New Labour in Europe: Leadership and Lost Opportunities", written by Anita Pollack, former MEP

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**INVITATION: Debate & Book launch "New Labour in Europe: Leadership and Lost Opportunities", written by Anita Pollack**

Wednesday 16th March 2016 - 5pm-7:30pm  
at FEPS office, rue Montoyer, 1000, Brussels

**Former MEP Anita Pollack is launching her latest book entitled  
"New Labour in Europe: Leadership and Lost Opportunities"**

The book investigates Britain's relationship with the EU during the pivotal years of the New Labour government. What emerges is a tale of an opportunity lost for Britain to establish a leading role in the shaping of Europe, resulting in declining influence and diminishing goodwill from its EU partners. Now looking towards the referendum questioning Britain's membership in the EU in June this year, the discussion at the book launch will focus predominantly on the impact these issues are having and where it will lead Labour and Europe for the future.

Speaking will be:

**Anita Pollack**, author of the book and former  
Member of the European Parliament

**Richard Corbett** Member of the European  
Parliament

Chaired by **Ernst Stetter**, Secretary General of  
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The discussion will be followed by light  
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#### **Interview with Richard Corbett: The referendum will never end the debate about the EU**

"There is a further danger. If Cameron receives all kinds of commitments, derogations or whatever and seems to have succeeded by threatening to leave the EU, what is to stop someone else like Hungary's Victor Orbán saying: 'Right, we have a few problems as well and we want this and that.'"

**Read the interview**

Check the website [Mythbusters](#) created by Richard Corbett where he explains facts and fiction about Britain in Europe.

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#### **Corbyn and Europe**

By Roger Liddle, UK Labour member of the House of Lords and a pro-chancellor of the University of Lancaster. Chair of Policy Network.

The remarkable insurgency that led to Jeremy Corbyn's victory in Labour's ensuing leadership election had little if anything to do with Europe. But Europe has already played a crucial role in defining his leadership, with helpful results, somewhat improbably, for the pro European cause in the coming referendum.

**Read the article**

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#### **The EU Referendum and the United Kingdom's migration policy**

By Ewa A. Duda-Mikulín is an academic currently based at the University of Salford, UK.

At a time of political turmoil in the United Kingdom with the election of the new Labour Party leader and increasing tensions over the refugee crisis, which has taken a turn for the worse, the British exit from the European Union remains a contentious topic.

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#### **Why Corbyn's election has European implications**

By David Begg, Director of TASC

When asked about the impact of the 1789 French Revolution by President Nixon in 1978 the then Chinese Premier, Zhou Enlai, is reported to have replied 'It's too early to say'. This answer could apply to a question about the future of Europe today.

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Date: 5/13/2015 9:47:02 AM

Subject: Jeffrey Katzenberg

Tina flagged that Jeffrey wants to see WJC this weekend in NY and as I understand from Tina, WJC wants to do it.

HRC has just reluctantly cleared it but wants one of us to be present for the meeting

If he does it, can we get Marc's talking points to WJC and suggest Tina engage with Marc before hand.

From: ["Tony Carrk" <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Brian Fallon" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 10/25/2015 3:52:19 PM  
Subject: Re: one chain on DOMA

This looks good

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 25, 2015, at 10:46 PM, Brian Fallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

On the record:

Hillary Clinton believes that whatever one's motives were for supporting the passage of DOMA, they do not justify what was a purely discriminatory law. It deserved to be overturned by the Supreme Court, as both Secretary and President Clinton had urged. As President, Hillary Clinton would fight to continue to secure full and equal rights for LGBT Americans, who, despite all our progress, can often still get married on a Saturday and fired on a Monday just because of who they are and who they love.

On background:

Hillary Clinton has been very open that her views have evolved over the years.

In 2013, she added her voice in support of marriage equality.

Even before that, as a Senator, she pushed for laws that would extend protections to the LGBT community in the workplace and that would make violence towards LGBT individuals a hate crime.

And as Secretary of State, she put LGBT rights on the global agenda and told the world that "gay rights are human rights and human rights are gay rights."

On Oct 25, 2015 9:41 PM, "Robby Mook" <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Brian can you take a shot at a trimmed down version of what Dominic sent? I think this should be short and sweet.

On Oct 25, 2015, at 9:37 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

We are blowing this people. Chains of 40 emails aren't helping. we need to get a statement out that says that no matter what the context 20 years ago the law was a discriminatory vestige of a less tolerant era as WJC said in his editorial appealing to SCOTUS to overturn it.

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Dominic Lowell <[dlowell@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dlowell@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Everyone I talked to today was in a pretty whipped up state. Based on who reached out to me and what I've seen people express online, the energy is not relegated to just the rabble rouser crowd. There is, IMO, deep discontent out there stemming from what she said on Friday.

I recognize I might be in a small minority, but my opinion continues to be that we are better served by addressing this.

Just to play it out, though, if we don't respond on this round of stories, what will her answer be if pressed to clarify in future interviews about this?

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Brian Fallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Rosen suggested in her email she at least would be satisfied if we never repeated the theory again. Defer to political on whether others want something approximating a walkback.

On Oct 25, 2015 9:09 PM, "Kristina Schake" <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I agree with not issuing a statement - it doesn't help us. In terms of the huffington post how strongly do we feel we even need to be in the story? Are we under strong pressure to walk back?

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 25, 2015, at 9:05 PM, Brian Fallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yes, if we want to be in the story. Keep in mind: the story will suck regardless. But I would just say we should use it as the vehicle for giving a statement that reads as a walkback, even as HRC will never approve a true walkback, and then we circulate the story to our LGBT friends so they see that both they humbled us with a bad story and we highlight our statement giving a win-win walkback, and we move on.

On Oct 25, 2015 9:01 PM, "Robby Mook" <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

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Do we need to get back to Huffpo tonight?

On Oct 25, 2015, at 8:40 PM, Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Here is what we have: Huffington post is doing a story tomorrow "fact checking" the idea that there was a push for a constitutional amendment in 1996, as HRC claimed was true. The piece will essentially say there was not, and will quote Rosen's tweet and Evan Wolfson saying this was not true and was hardly a basis for DOMA to be signed by WJC.

Xochitl has also gotten an inquiry from the Blade.

In addition to this, Socarides tells us he heard from NYT on this, though the campaign has not, so we do not know what he is referring to. I would not be surprised, however, if activists we're pitching this.

All that said, I do not think a statement from HRC is warranted simply based on these inquiries. Indeed, I think a statement from her likely attracts more coverage than just these inquiries and also could give the appearance that we are responding to Bernie at JJ, rather than clarifying our own remarks to Maddow. I missed the beginning of the conf call this afternoon on this, but I had assumed we were preparing an HRC statement less for HuffPo and more because that is what political thought was needed to quell the LGBT backlash.

If that is not the case, then for my purposes, I would just propose a spokesman statement that accounts for Dan's point (that she will not disavow her theory about the constitutional amendment) but also addresses the community's outrage over the idea that we might be trying to justify support for the law in 96 by saying something like, "Regardless of the differing motives that led to the passage of DOMA, none were justifiable since, as both Hillary and President Clinton have said, the law was clearly discriminatory."

I'm not sure anyone has asked. We would put it out there.

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On Oct 25, 2015, at 7:53 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Sorry to be late to this but what outlets have made the statement request and what is the deadline?

On Sun, Oct 25, 2015 at 7:46 PM, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Amanda and I tried to address Tony and Dan's points -- as well as Karen who pointed out the context is bigger than just Maddow -- while taking into account the concerns of our cabinet. Below is what we landed on. Appreciate feedback.

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On Friday, and in many instances previously, I was asked about my position on the Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA). I appreciate that people have differing views of the DOMA situation [other word?] in 1996. The environment for gays and lesbians was different then and there were struggles about the best paths to take. That is common in all social change movements. I have been very open that my own views have evolved over the years.

I hope the important thing is that we are now moving forward toward justice, together. In 2013, I added my voice in support of marriage equality "personally and as a matter of policy and law." As I said then, LGBT Americans are full and equal citizens and they deserve the full and equal rights of citizenship. Like so many others, my personal views have been shaped over time by people I have known and loved, by my experience representing our nation on the world stage, my devotion to law and human rights, and the guiding principles of my faith. That's why, as a Senator, I pushed for laws that would extend protections to the LGBT community in the workplace and that would make violence towards LGBT individuals a hate crime. And as Secretary of State, I put LGBT rights on the global agenda and told the world that "gay rights are human rights and human rights are gay rights." In my speech last night in Iowa, I didn't look back to the America of the past, I looked forward to the America we need to build together. I pledged to fight for LGBT Americans who, despite all our progress, in many places can still get married on Saturday and fired on Monday just because of who they are and who they love. In this campaign and as President, I will keep fighting for equality and opportunity for every American.

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

The hope is to squash the story bc it's not going away.

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On Oct 25, 2015, at 7:35 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

What do we actually have to do here? I'm not sure a statement will help us. Do we need to response to the Huffington Post? Is that the main request?

On Sun, Oct 25, 2015 at 7:04 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:  
What about broadening the perspectives at that time?  
Acknowledging there were a lot of diff views vs she was wrong. ?

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On Oct 25, 2015, at 6:57 PM, Tony Carrk <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

And also for awareness for everyone to have, attached are HRC's comments on DOMA Carter from my team put together.

**From:** Dan Schwerin [mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com ]  
**Sent:** Sunday, October 25, 2015 6:56 PM  
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**Subject:** Re: one chain on DOMA

I think everyone agrees we shouldn't restate her argument. Question is whether she's going to agree to explicitly disavow it. And I doubt it.

On Oct 25, 2015, at 6:53 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

There is no way we have friends to back us up on her interpretation. This is a major problem if we revisit her argument like this. It's better to do nothing than to re-state this although she is going to get a question again.

Working w Dominic now.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 25, 2015, at 6:34 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

I'm not saying double down or ever say it again. I'm just saying that she's not going to want to say she was wrong about that, given she and her husband believe it and have repeated it many times. Better to reiterate evolution, opposition to DOMA when court considered it, and forward looking stance.

On Oct 25, 2015, at 6:28 PM, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Jumping on a call with the kitchen cabinet now to give them an update. Will turn to this ASAP.

The most recent Blade article has Elizabeth Birch quoted as saying there was no amendment threat in 1996. Hilary Rosen has already tweeted the same. I'll ask on the call, but my sense is that there aren't many friends who will back us up on the point. That's why I'm urging us to back off as much as we can there.

More soon.

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Dan Schwerin  
<dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I'd welcome specific edits. I'm fine not mentioning WJC if that's problematic, but my two cents is that you're not going to get her to disavow her explanation about the constitutional amendment and this exercise will be most effective if it provides some context and then goes on offense.

On Oct 25, 2015, at 6:15 PM, Karen Finney  
<kfinney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

If the criticism is that she has said before and reiterated on Friday then hit by Bernie yesterday is t that the context?

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On Oct 25, 2015, at 6:00 PM, Dominic Lowell  
<dlowell@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Sorry, on phone so focused more on overall thoughts than line edits. Can call you directly if any of this is unclear. Sending to all so people can react, push back, etc.

I originally flagged HRC's Maddow remarks as potentially problematic in part because her wording closely linked her to two unfavorable policies of the past even as no one in the community was asking her to "own" them. Given that, my recommendation would be to make this statement about just her, her evolution, and her record -- not bring in WJC.

Relatedly, if we release a statement tonight, it will very clearly be in response to the Maddow interview. To the extent we can, I advocate for owning that so that we can clean this up completely, rightly position her as a champion of LGBT issues, and make sure we move on from any discussion of looming amendments or her being involved in passing either

DADT or DOMA. Without getting into the weeds, can we say that the broader point is that the country is in a different place now on LGBT issues -- and thank goodness it is -- and that she's so happy each policy has been placed in the dustbin of history?

Last thought: I have raised this a few times to a smaller number of people on this thread but will flag this for the larger group as well. At Keene State College, she specifically cited friends playing a part in her evolution, which we echo here. That's fine, IMO, and quite believable. But if I were a reporter and wanted to keep the evolution story alive, I would start asking which friends she was talking to and ask us to provide them. Not a problem per se, but I think it is worth flagging now so we aren't caught by surprise later.

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

This is a little long, but see what you think. Tried to  
1) place this in a context of 'asked and answered,'  
2) point to how they've both forthrightly explained their evolution, 3) cite her positive LGBT record, 4) get in a little dig at Sanders for being so backwards looking.

STATEMENT

In 2013, when the Supreme Court was considering whether to uphold the Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA), Bill and I explained publicly how and why we became strong supporters of marriage equality. Bill, who signed DOMA nearly twenty years ago after an overwhelming vote in Congress, called the law a discriminatory vestige of a less tolerant America and urged the Court to strike it down. I added my voice in support of marriage equality “personally and as a matter of policy and law.” As I said then, LGBT Americans are full and equal citizens and they deserve the full and equal rights of citizenship. Like so many others, my personal views have been shaped over time by people I have known and loved, by my experience representing our nation on the world stage, my devotion to law and human rights, and the guiding principles of my faith. That’s why, as a Senator, I pushed for laws that would extend protections to the LGBT community in the workplace and that would make violence towards LGBT individuals a hate crime. And as Secretary of State, I put LGBT rights on the global agenda and told the world that “gay rights are human rights and human rights are gay rights.” In my speech last night in Iowa, I didn’t look back to the America of the past, I looked forward to the America we need to build together. I pledged to fight for LGBT Americans who, despite all our progress, in many

places can still get married on Saturday and fired on Monday just because of who they are and who they love. In this campaign and as President, I will keep fighting for equality and opportunity for every American.

On Sun, Oct 25, 2015 at 4:03 PM, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

+Amanda's work account.

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Maya Harris <mharris@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

From Richard:

Since I was asked on Friday about the Defense of Marriage Act in an interview on MSNBC, I've checked with people who were involved then to make sure I had all my facts right. It turns out I was mistaken and the effort to pass a constitutional amendment banning same-sex marriage came some years later. The larger point I was trying to make about DOMA, however, is still true. It was neither proposed nor supported by anyone in the Clinton administration at the time. It was an effort by the Republicans in Congress to distract attention from the real issues facing the country by using gay marriage, which had very little support then, as a wedge issue in the election. The legislation passed by overwhelming veto-proof margins in both houses of Congress and President Clinton signed it with serious reservations he expressed at the time. Luckily the country has evolved way beyond this in the last 20 years and most Americans, including the Supreme Court, now embrace LGBT equality. We are a better country for it. Although there is much work that remains, and I'm eager to help advance the day when we are all truly equal.

On Sun, Oct 25, 2015 at 4:51 PM, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

+ JP's personal email

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Here is what Gautam put together to be helpful:

"I'm not my husband. I understand why he believed that was the right thing to do at the time, but obviously I wish it had gone

differently. Look, we've all come along way since the 90s and I'm proud to have been a part of an Administration that has made it possible for gay troops to serve openly and loving gay couples to get married. I'm also proud of MY record as Secretary of State. I think the community knows I will be the ally they deserve."

On Sunday, October 25, 2015, Dan Schwerin  
<dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

This WJC op-Ed may be helpful:

[https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/bill-clinton-its-time-to-overturn-doma/2013/03/07/fc184408-8747-11e2-98a3-b3db6b9ac586\\_story.html](https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/bill-clinton-its-time-to-overturn-doma/2013/03/07/fc184408-8747-11e2-98a3-b3db6b9ac586_story.html)

Bill Clinton: It's time to overturn DOMA

*The writer is the 42nd president of the United States.*

In 1996, I signed the Defense of Marriage Act. Although that was only 17 years ago, it was a very different time. In no state in the union was same-sex marriage recognized, much less available as a legal right, but some were moving in that direction. Washington, as a result, was swirling with all manner of possible responses, some quite draconian. As a bipartisan group of former senators stated in their March 1 amicus brief to the Supreme Court, many supporters of the bill known as DOMA believed that its passage "would defuse a movement to enact a constitutional amendment banning gay marriage, which would have ended the debate for a generation or more." It was under these circumstances that DOMA came to my desk, opposed by only 81 of the 535 members of Congress.

On March 27, [DOMA will come before the Supreme Court](#), and the justices must decide whether it is consistent with the principles of a nation that honors freedom, equality and justice above all, and is therefore constitutional. As the president who signed the act into law, I have come to believe that DOMA is contrary to those principles and, in fact, incompatible with our Constitution.

Because Section 3 of the act defines marriage as being between a man and a woman, same-sex couples who are legally married in nine states and the

District of Columbia are denied the benefits of more than a thousand federal statutes and programs available to other married couples. Among other things, these couples cannot file their taxes jointly, take unpaid leave to care for a sick or injured spouse or receive equal family health and pension benefits as federal civilian employees. Yet they pay taxes, contribute to their communities and, like all couples, aspire to live in committed, loving relationships, recognized and respected by our laws.

When I signed the bill, I included a [statement](#) with the admonition that “enactment of this legislation should not, despite the fierce and at times divisive rhetoric surrounding it, be understood to provide an excuse for discrimination.” Reading those words today, I know now that, even worse than providing an excuse for discrimination, the law is itself discriminatory. It should be overturned.

We are still a young country, and many of our landmark civil rights decisions are fresh enough that the voices of their champions still echo, even as the world that preceded them becomes less and less familiar. We have yet to celebrate the centennial of the 19th Amendment, but a society that denied women the vote would seem to us now not unusual or old-fashioned but alien. I believe that in 2013 DOMA and opposition to marriage equality are vestiges of just such an unfamiliar society.

Americans have been at this sort of a crossroads often enough to recognize the right path. We understand that, while our laws may at times lag behind our best natures, in the end they catch up to our core values. One hundred fifty years ago, in the midst of the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln concluded a message to Congress by posing the very question we face today: “It is not ‘Can any of us imagine better?’ but ‘[Can we all do better](#)’?”

The answer is of course and always yes. In that spirit, I join with the Obama administration, the petitioner [Edith Windsor](#), and the many other dedicated men and women who have engaged in this struggle for decades in urging the Supreme Court to overturn the Defense of Marriage Act.

Offerdahl  
<kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com >  
wrote:

Hi all - we are going to do 4:30.

Those here at the Hilton can take  
the call from the staff room.

Call-In: [718-441-3763](tel:718-441-3763) , no pin

On Oct 25, 2015, at 4:14 PM,  
Heather Stone  
<hstone@hillaryclinton.com >  
wrote:

Looping in Kate. She is  
going to get it scheduled.

On Sunday, October 25,  
2015, Dominic Lowell  
<dlowell@hillaryclinton.c  
om> wrote:

All times are good for me.

On Sunday, October 25,  
2015, Heather Stone  
<hstone@hillaryclinton.  
com> wrote:

Sounds like tony can do  
4:15? Can others? If  
not I could do anytime  
before 5:15 or after 6.

On Sunday, October  
25, 2015, Robby Mook  
<re47@hillaryclinton.  
com> wrote:

Adding Dominic.

Agree--let's get our  
people on a call and  
push back

I'm also tied up for  
next few hours @  
finance stuff. But let's  
get this moving.

On Oct 25, 2015, at  
3:48 PM, Jake  
Sullivan  
<jsullivan@hillarycli  
nton.com> wrote:

Adding Tony,



who recalls this from '08 when she made a similar argument. We did not turn up much to support idea that alternative was a constitutional amendment.

Also adding Schwerin. I think we should pull her statements around the time she embraced marriage equality and place greatest emphasis on the fact that she fully acknowledges that she evolved.

I'm on calls next two hours but Maya has my proxy.

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aryclinton.com>  
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Think all of us  
are getting  
incoming from  
friends in LGBT  
community  
about DOMA  
comments.

HuffPo has  
reached out to  
us. I heard from  
Socarides that  
NYT was doing  
something.

I have no  
understanding  
of the issue –  
but clear this  
has a head of  
steam.

Brian can put a  
statement out,  
but policy and  
political need to  
tell us what you  
want us to do.

I would suggest  
a conference  
call with  
relevant parties  
for how we are  
going to handle  
all around –  
press, groups,  
politics. I have  
a bad schedule  
for rest of day  
and may not be  
able to be on  
such a call but  
don't think I am  
needed. We  
just need  
guidance and  
then on political  
end think we  
need a plan for  
how to hose  
down anxious  
friends.

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: [podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

Date: 10/31/2015 7:12:13 AM

Subject: Re: Sunday night dinner

Sounds good.

On Saturday, October 31, 2015, <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

Why don't we keep dinner to just the 3 of us and then whenever we finish installing we can move to Brandywine without any time pressure.

On Oct 31, 2015, at 11:19 AM, Mae Podesta <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

That's fine with me too. I had hoped to install my book shelves (and maybe hang the Sam Gilliam) before dinner if at all possible... I get into union station at 4:30. Do you think that's doable or trying to do too much?

On Oct 31, 2015, at 08:42, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Ok with me

On Oct 31, 2015 7:06 AM, <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)> wrote:

Looks like Sunday is the night for the three of us to cook dinner.

Mae, did you want to ask anyone else? I know that Alan and Kate plan to get together that night (Tony is traveling). Do we want to ask them to join us? Entirely up to you guys. I am happy either just the three of us or others too.

Mae, have fun in NY and John safe travels today.

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From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/6/2015 10:34:22 AM  
Subject: Your signature for HFA tomorrow

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Beth just got in touch with me and is hoping to get your signature for the HVF papers tomorrow. Apparently they need your signature on one document, which is a document of the directors of Hillary Victory Fund adopting the bylaws and appointing officers. They are incorporating the joint committee on Wednesday and all of the directors (you, Beth, and Erin Stevens) need to sign the document.

She would have a Perkins staffer (Rachel) come meet you to sign the papers. Would she be able to drop by your house in the mid-morning before you head to the airport?

She could conveniently also bring over the printed briefing and TPs for Geneva.

Thanks!

Milia Fisher  
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From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 7/11/2015 1:40:11 AM  
Subject: Fwd: Delegate Ops Weekly Report 7.10.15

FYI on this...we're going to boil down to a slide for WJC/CVC this wknd.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 11:00 PM  
Subject: Re: Delegate Ops Weekly Report 7.10.15  
To: Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Cc: Tracey Lewis <[tlewis@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tlewis@hillaryclinton.com)>

Oral commits. We just finished the pledge and will begin getting signatures

Yes on August, that's why I want to finalize reception

On Jul 10, 2015, at 10:14 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Agree. 300 of 700 ain't bad.  
These are signed pledges or oral commits?  
We should go gangbusters on these leading up to August mtg  
What's the goal by August?

On Jul 10, 2015, at 8:21 PM, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

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I think we're in a real good spot personally. We can discuss altering goals if you would like

Begin forwarded message:

From: David Huynh <[dhuyh@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dhuyh@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: July 10, 2015 at 8:16:12 PM EDT  
To: Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Cc: Elizabeth Renda <[erenda@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:erenda@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Subject: Delegate Ops Weekly Report 7.10.15

Hello Friends,

Please see attachment for the latest on delegate operations.

Thanks,

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10/18/2016



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| To:          | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">"John Podesta" &lt;john.podesta@gmail.com&gt;</a>         |
| Date:        | 10/19/2015 12:37:10 PM                                                                            |
| Subject:     | ESA for WWF Remarks-- from KLC                                                                    |
| Attachments: | 10-19-2015 JDP ESA insert.docx<br>10-19-2015 JDP WWF REMARKS KO KC.docx                           |

John- Per your request Kristina worked on an ESA insert for the WWF speech. Two docs attached:

1. ESA insert alone
2. ESA integrated into the speech. Beginning on the middle of page 5 on the paragraph that begins with "these investments are important" and ending at the top of page 7 with "we have to look to the future." Let us know how this looks to you. The speech is getting a bit long (approx 18 minutes) but still within their recommended 15-20 minute speaking time.

I can have Bruce at CAP print these out for you tomorrow in proper speaking format. I believe that he would also be available to scan and send me hard-copy edits if you want to work through drafts.

Thanks!

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To: ["Furman, Jason L." <Jason\\_L\\_Furman@cea.eop.gov>](mailto:Jason_L_Furman@cea.eop.gov)

Date: 1/8/2014 9:00:15 AM

Subject: War on Poverty

Attachments: 50th\_anniversary\_cea\_report\_-\_final\_post\_embargo.pdf

Our report on the Fiftieth Anniversary of the War on Poverty is now online [here](#) (and also attached). I also have a piece on this issue in the [Spotlight on Poverty and Opportunity](#) which is pasted below.

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### **Fighting Poverty: The Progress Made and Challenges Ahead**

January 8, 2014

Following the financial crisis that began in 2007, our economy lost more than 8 million jobs, the economy underwent the sharpest contraction of the postwar era, and \$17 trillion in household wealth was wiped out—five times more as a percent of the economy than during the Great Depression. But even as most of our economic statistics told a frightening story, one important indicator barely budged. The poverty rate, measured using modern methods, rose only 0.5 percentage points from 2007 to 2010 according to new estimates from a research team at Columbia University.

The explanation for this surprising and little-known development? It was not that low- and moderate-income households were spared from the recession—they saw lost jobs and lost income like everyone else. In fact, the Columbia research team finds that without government cash, tax, and in-kind transfers, poverty would have increased by nearly 4.5 percentage points over that same period, nearly 9 times greater than the actual 0.5 percentage point increase.

That is because the poor, the near-poor, and middle class families were insulated from many of the worst effects of the recession thanks to the crucial safety net we have built up over decades—including tax credits for working families, nutrition assistance, and unemployment insurance. The expansions in all of these programs included in the Recovery Act lifted an estimated 6 million people out of poverty in 2009 and have lifted approximately 4 million out of poverty each year since then.

But the prevalence of poverty is still unacceptably high, with 49 million people, including 13 million children, living in poverty in 2012. We need to do much more to bring poverty down, help families ascend into the middle class, and raise the incomes of middle-class households.

The good news is that we have made progress on poverty in the last several decades, cutting the poverty rate by nearly 40 percent from 1967 to 2012 if you count income from tax credits, cash benefits like Social Security, and in-kind benefits like nutrition assistance, all of the same programs that prevented poverty from rising in the wake of the Great Recession. Since 1967, the safety net programs have prevented 1.2 billion people-years of poverty (that is, the reduction in the number of years spent in poverty cumulated over all people in the population in this period). But the progress we have made in reducing poverty over the last 45 years is almost entirely because of these programs—on a pre-tax and transfer basis the poverty rate actually rose slightly between 1967 and 2012, meaning that growing inequality and stagnating wages among low-income Americans would have led to growing poverty in the absence of the safety net.

Going forward, we need to continue to defend the gains we have made through public policies. This means protecting nutrition assistance from those who propose draconian cuts, extending emergency unemployment insurance for another year for those who are working hard to find jobs, and making permanent President Obama's expansion of refundable tax credits for working families like the Earned Income Tax Credit and the refundable child tax credit (expansions which are currently scheduled to expire at the end of 2017).

But this alone will not be enough. To continue to bring the poverty rate down we will have to not only defend and improve critical elements of the social safety net, we will also have to move forward and focus on raising wages and earnings.

The most obvious and direct way to raise wages for low- and moderate-income working families is to raise the minimum wage. At \$7.25 an hour it is currently lower than it was in real terms in 1950. Since then, real per capita GDP and labor productivity have both more than tripled. Aggregate household wealth adjusted for inflation has risen nearly eightfold. Despite these profound transformations in our economy and tremendous improvements in overall living standards, those who struggle the most to keep up have not gotten a net raise in inflation-adjusted dollars in sixty-three years. President Obama has proposed raising the minimum wage so that, together with tax credits for working families, a parent working full-time at the minimum wage will not have to raise his or her children in poverty. Once raised, the minimum wage should be indexed to inflation to end the continual erosion of its value once and for all.

In addition, President Obama is also focused on pursuing other policies that will help speed the recovery in the short run, boost growth in the long run, and ensure that the growth benefits families across the income spectrum. Those focused on poverty – and incomes more broadly – have a stake in these proposals such as investing in human capital and mobility through high quality preschool, modernizing high schools, reforming job training programs, a grand bargain for jobs that could involve investing in

infrastructure while reforming the business tax code, and comprehensive immigration reform, which would ensure a level playing field for workers and businesses alike.

None of these measures is a panacea that will immediately undo the long-term trend of stagnant wages and rising inequality. But the President will not be deterred by the difficulty of these challenges as we continue to dig our way out of the deep hole left by the Great Recession and build a more solid foundation for future growth.

From: ["Jon Soltz, VoteVets.org" <info@votevets.org>](mailto:info@votevets.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/10/2015 2:03:24 PM

Subject: [Poll] Veterans won't vote for candidates who would privatize the VA



John -

All day tomorrow, a grateful nation will pause to honor the veterans who have sacrificed in service of their country at home and abroad.

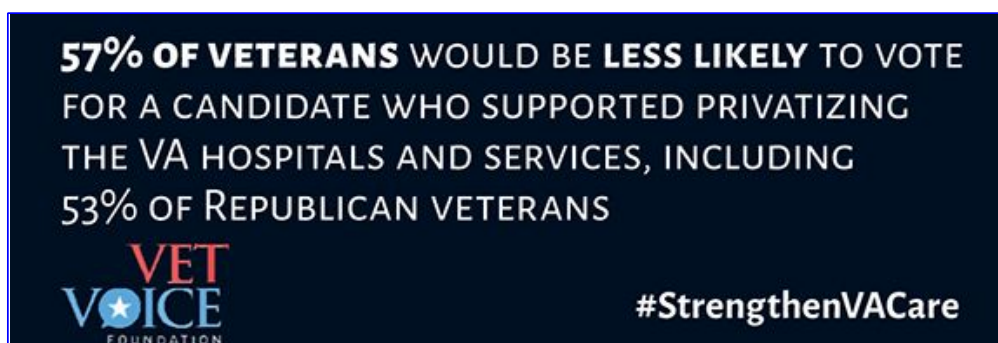
Thanks to a poll conducted by the Vet Voice Foundation, we know one of the best ways you can show your support for veterans this Veterans Day: **stand with them in opposition of plans to privatize VA hospital programs and services.**

According to the poll:

- \* 64% of veterans oppose privatization, and that includes a majority of Republicans and Democrats alike.
- \* Almost 75% of veterans who have reported using a VA hospital oppose privatization schemes.
- \* Over 57% of veterans, including a majority of Republicans, would be less likely to vote for a candidate who supported privatizing VA care.

**The findings are clear: health care is a promise made to our veterans, and after two wars in 14 years, a record number of veterans need care -- the VA is where the experts are, and we need to strengthen, not weaken, this system.**

**[Show your support for those who have served by signing our petition opposing the privatization of veterans' health care.](#)**



This is sure to be a big issue in the coming election cycle, and as it rears its head we'll send our petition signatures to the campaigns and congressional offices of those who are flirting with putting the profits of private corporations over the care of our veterans.

Make no mistake about it, despite the fact that the vast majority of veterans in the survey approve of the care they've received from the VA, the system does need some change. But that starts with more doctors and caregivers who are equipped to provide the specialized treatment some veterans require -- like amputations and traumatic brain injuries -- that local doctors or hospitals may not be able to handle.

**[Put your name on the record: sign our petition opposing the privatization of veterans' health care.](#)**

Veterans need real quality care from the people who are best equipped to provide it. They don't want vouchers which may not cover all the costs.

Add your name - stand with veterans today.

All my best,

Jon Soltz  
Iraq War Veteran & Chairman  
VoteVets

**Contribute**

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This email was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com. If that is not your preferred email address, click [here](#) . Click [here](#) if you'd like to unsubscribe. We try to send only the most important information and opportunities to participate via email. To sustain VoteVets with a contribution click [here](#) .

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/24/2015 10:44:38 AM

Subject: Re: Morocco

Hers...huma said it was still happening, then said that she's going to cancel at the last minute but it sounded a little tentative. Just sounded more up in the air than I thought it was.

On Tue, Mar 24, 2015 at 5:24 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Hers or bis

On Mar 24, 2015 3:14 PM, "Robby Mook" <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)> wrote:

Sounds like that is still on the calendar.

From: [joseph.zernik@hra-ngo.org](mailto:joseph.zernik@hra-ngo.org)

To: [123456xyz <123456xyz@gmail.com>](mailto:123456xyz<123456xyz@gmail.com>)

Date: 7/29/2015 12:35:07 AM

Subject: Director of the Israeli courts, Judge Michael Spitzer asked to address lack of integrity, fraud in IT systems of the courts. // האנוה, הרשי רסוח לע ב יגהל שקבתה ר ציפש לאכימ ט פושה, טפשמה יתב להנמ  
ט פשמה יתב בוש חמב

2015-07-29 Director of the Israeli courts, Judge Michael Spitzer asked to address lack of integrity, fraud in IT systems of the courts. //

טפשמה יתב בושחמב האנוה, הרשי רסוח לע ביגהל שקבתה רציפש לאכימ טפושה, טפשמה יתב להנמ

[ולהל תירבע]

The Israeli courts have experienced unprecedented corruption over the past decade, and fraud in development, implementation and operation of the new IT systems is central to it.



Director of the Courts, Judge Michael Spitzer

OccupyTLV, July 29 - Judge Michael Spitzer, Director of the Courts, was asked to address reports of "lack of integrity" and "fraud" in IT systems of the Israeli courts, developed and implemented over the past decade under the authority of the Administration of Courts. Joseph Zernik, PhD, of Human Rights Alert (NGO), filed the request with Judge Spitzer as part of the process of Universal Periodic Review (UPR) of Human Rights in Israel by the UN Human Rights Council.

In his letter to Judge Spitzer (copied below), Dr Zernik notes that it now midway through the 4-year cycle of the UN Human Rights Council UPR. Therefore, he requests Judge Spitzer's response on the note, included in the 2013 UPR Professional Staff Report, regarding "lack of integrity in the electronic record systems... of the courts in Israel".

The note in the 2013 UN UPR Report refers to the Human Rights Alert (NGO) submission to the Human Rights, which details the development, implementation and operation of new IT systems, lacking in integrity, in the Supreme Court, the district courts and the detainees courts.

The request also refers to a recent report, published by the European Conference on e-Government, subject to international academic peer review, regarding "Fraudulent, new IT systems of the Israeli courts..."

The request also asks regarding corrective measures intended by the Administration of Courts, if any.

The Administration of Courts confirmed receipt of the request.

Dr Zernik's work was noted in a textbook on "Machine Learning", relative to the application of data mining methods in studying Human Rights violation, by identifying invalid and fraudulent government records, particularly in IT systems of the courts and prisons.

The full request letter

July 28, 2015

Judge Michael Spitzer

Director, Administration of Courts



By email: [Pniyot@court.gov.il](mailto:Pniyot@court.gov.il)

**RE: Request for response regarding design, implementation, and operation of IT systems of the Israeli courts.**

Your response within 45 days is kindly requested.

Dear Judge Spitzer:

As part of follow up, midway through the 4-year cycle of the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) of Human Rights in Israel by the UN Human Rights Council (HRC), I herein request your response, as Director of the Administration of Courts, regarding: "Lack of integrity in the electronic record systems of the Supreme Court, the district courts, and detainees courts in Israel". [i] Such note was part of the 2013 HRC UPR Professional Staff Report, which incorporated by reference the Human Rights Alert (HRA NGO) submission for the UPR of the State of Israel. (Attached: HRA NGO Short Submission [ii] and Appendix I [iii])

More recently, a paper was accepted for publication and presentation by the European Conference on e-Government, titled: "Fraudulent, new IT systems of the Israeli courts – announced regime change?" (Attached [iv]). The conference included a special channel for e-Justice, and the paper was accepted following anonymous, international, academic peer review and an additional procedure (probably due to its unusual title), involving the keynote speakers of the conference – internationally acclaimed, academic experts in the field of IT systems.

In case you find validity in any of the failures of IT systems of the Israeli courts, which are documented in the attached reports, please also indicate, what corrective measures are intended, if any.

The attached reports only address the failures, which were discovered and documented through system analysis and data mining. The effect of such IT systems on the administration of justice in individual cases has been separately studied through a series of court cases, in preparation for the next UPR. The next HRA NGO UPR submission would be forwarded for your comments at a future date, prior to its submission to the HRC.

About the writer:

Dr Zernik's reports in the area of IT systems and Human Rights were incorporated into Universal Periodic Review reports of the United Nations Human Rights Council regarding:

- The United States (2010), with the note: "Corruption of the courts and the legal profession and discrimination by law enforcement in California";
- The State of Israel (2013) with the note: "Lack of integrity in the electronic records of the supreme court, the district courts and the detainees courts in Israel", and
- The United States (2015) with the note: "HRA NGO recommended restoring the integrity of the IT systems of the courts, under accountability to the Congress, with the goal of making such systems as transparent as possible to the public at large."

A textbook on "Machine Learning" found Dr Zernik's application of data-mining in Human Rights research among "Notable uses", and summarized it as follows: [v]

Data mining of government records - particularly records of the justice system (i.e., courts, prisons) - enables the discovery of systemic human rights violations in connection to generation and publication of invalid or fraudulent legal records by various government agencies. [vi,vii]

Surely, you would recognize the significance of the matter, and I look forward to receiving your response.

Truly,

Joseph Zernik, PhD

Human Rights Alert (NGO)

OccupyTLV

CC:

Activists, Israeli civil society organizations, scholars in Israel and abroad, Israeli elected and government officials.

**LINKS:**

Below

טפשמה יתב בושחמב האנוה, הרשי רסוח לע ביגהל שקבתה רציפש לאכימ טפושה, טפשמה יתב להנמ

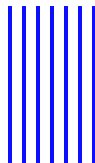
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ךכל זכרמ מרוג איה, טפשמה יתב תלהנה לש התוכמס תחת, טפשמה יתבב תושדחה.



10/18/2016

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- "הינרופילקב קוחה תפיקאב הילפאו, ןידה תכירע עוצקמו טפשמה יתב תותיחש": הרעהה םע, (2010) ב"הרא
  - ןידה יתבו, מייזוחמה טפשמה יתב, ןוילעה טפשמה יתב לש מיינורטקלאה מיתכנה תוכרעמב הרשוי רסוח": הרעהה םע, (2013) לארשי  
וכו, "לארשיב תרומשמ יקזחומל
  - סרגנוקה לש ותוכמס תחת, טפשמה יתב לש עדימה תוכרעמ תרשוי וקית לע ץילמה HRA NGO": הרעהה םע, (2015) ב"הרא  
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תורפה לש ןויליג תא תרשפאמ – (אלכה יתב, טפשמה יתב: המגודל) טפשמה תכרעמ לש מיתכ דחוימב – מייטלשמ מיתכ לש מינותנ תיירכ  
[vi, vii] תונש ןוטלש תויוכז ידי לע מייטלש וקית ירסח מייטלשמ מיתכ לש ממוסרפו מתריציל רשקב מדאה תויוכז לש תותיחש

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הכרב,

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הלשממ ידיקפו רוביצ ירחב, מיאמדקא מיחמומ, תותומע, מיליעפ

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- i. 2013-01-01 UN Human Rights Council UPR Professional Staff Report, including the note "Lack of integrity in the electronic records of the  
Supreme Court, the district courts and the detainees courts in Israel" (page 4, paragraph 25)

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Date: 3/3/2015 10:06:43 AM

Subject: update

hi john!

met peter and others at JPMC today and also met with molly and chris at wyss.

molly and chris said it's a COO/GC spot and they are sending the description to me later today. we had a good talk. they are both really terrific. and working with a ton of money -- wow. i'm a bit stuck on the ny thing so i'm thinking about it. and honored that they are thinking about me. thank you for putting my name forward. (i did tell them too that i was pretty far along with JPMC.)

JPMC has moved quickly and gone well. while i still don't know the title and they don't quite yet have a job description -- from what i have heard from the 9 people i have met with -- i think it would be a great fit and next step for me.

I think there is a component of the job that is staffing dalila (the head of the philanthropy) -- managing her immediate team so that she is supported in a more strategic way. And there is a component that is taking on some of what she was -- and is still -- doing as number 2. She has 15 direct reports, including regional leads, and the idea is ultimately, if all goes well, they would report to me instead of her.

The general sense seems to be that the work of the team is strong but they need someone to look at the big picture and keep things moving and see where some systems could be put in place to help them get their work done and to further advance their work. Peter talked about connecting the dots. The big restructuring started really just about 18 months ago they say - so it's still very much in the building phase. There was a sense of there is clear need but you need to come in and poke around the engine to figure it out.

i'm pretty excited about it!

thank you for supporting me john. means the world to me.

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Date: 2/12/2016 1:06:16 PM

Subject: Meeting idea

Hi John

I was talking to some Native leaders in Juneau today after our meeting.

Do you think it's possible to put a meeting together with Hillary and some Native women leaders? I could assemble a smart, talented group who are real leaders. It could include Alaska Natives and other Native American women leaders.

Please let me know.

Sincerely,

Julie

Julie Kitka, President  
Alaska Federation of Natives

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Date: 7/11/2015 5:59:04 AM

Subject: Re: Hill meetings

It's a good idea.

John and I just conferred. John, Amanda, and Huma are already scheduled to be there with you. We thought we could add Marlon and Jake into the group (checking with them now). If it's ok with you, I'd prefer that Dennis and me remain here because we're planning to do a bunch of work related to Priorities raising.

FYI: our expectation is that only John will be allowed into the Senate caucus.

On Sat, Jul 11, 2015 at 12:09 PM, H <[hdr29@hrcoffice.com](mailto:hdr29@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

Do you think we should have campaign leadership me? Could be powerful signal. You two, Marlon, Amanda, Jake or Maya, Dennis, Huma, and who else?

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**Date:** 3/5/2014 7:53:05 AM

**Subject:** FW: DC on Friday 7th

[John – any interest in meeting with Michael Semple?](#)

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**From:** Michael Semple [mailto:talkforpeace@gmail.com]

**Sent:** Wednesday, March 05, 2014 8:25 AM

**To:** Caroline Wadhams

**Subject:** DC on Friday 7th

Dear Caroline,

I hope that you are well and coping with the winter. You may have noticed that I am visiting DC on Friday the 7th. I shall be giving a talk in the afternoon at USIP.

However if by any chance John Podesta had a few minutes it would be really good if I could see him. Usual topic of how to deal with the Talibs. But I just got back from the region yesterday and so have some fresh feedback if he is interested. Methinks Mr. Podesta does not get to meet anyone with the kind of access to the T's which I have so I think he would find it useful.

Any suggestions on how to get to see him? Apart from the 3-4.30 meeting in USIP I am pretty flexible on Friday.

regards

Michael

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Date: 9/5/2015 6:46:49 AM  
Subject: Re: DRAFT: AFSCME Roundtable TPs

AFSCME and Weeks are in the townhalls with MOM and Sanders all day. I'm not sure when he'll get back to me.

I am very comfortable saying yes to all elections.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 5, 2015, at 1:17 PM, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We're near confident of this but are checking with their political director just to make sure. Nikki will loop back

On Sep 5, 2015, at 1:48 PM, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Adding others

On Sep 5, 2015, at 1:22 PM, Tony Carrk <[tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Can political confirm about the 2000 and 2006 endorsements?

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On Sep 5, 2015, at 12:42 PM, Lauren Peterson <[lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hi everyone, thanks for the edits! Sending around for last looks - let me know if anyone has anything else. Tony/Carrk, if you could take a quick look to make sure I addressed all of your edits, that would be great.

Thank you!

On Fri, Sep 4, 2015 at 3:47 PM, Nikki Budzinski <[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hi Lauren

I think these are great talking points. Nice job.

A small point, Iowa is a Right to Work state. Maybe something that could be added so the audience knows she's aware of that when she mentions Wisconsin. Iowa knows the negative impact of this legislation.

It is correct that AFSCME has endorsed her for each of her runs for public office. I do think it would be helpful if she specifically thanked them though for their support of her Presidential race in 2007. They were huge and they were there until the end.

Last, these remarks cover a lot of great ground around labor issues but something that would be helpful to add is on her plan to win the Iowa caucus, the Democratic nomination and the general election. I think it would be helpful to take a bullet point or two and



make that case a bit to this audience as well. Her organizations strength, the endorsements of Senators Harkin and Shaheen and Governor Vilsack and her work to earn more labor support.

Hope that helps. Happy to answer questions!  
Nikki

On Fri, Sep 4, 2015 at 1:49 PM, Lauren Peterson <[lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hi everyone -

Sending along this draft of talking points for the AFSCME roundtable in Iowa. This isn't until Sunday, but I'm hoping to get edits today so nobody has to worry about this tomorrow.

Also, please note a couple questions in here that I would like to confirm with research.

Thank you!

LP

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Have someone who wants to see it in about 30 mins - hope that's OK! On my way!

Fran

On Dec 11, 2015, at 10:25 PM, Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)> wrote:

Going from Hanukkah to Belgrade where they celebrate Christmas in January  
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On Dec 12, 2015, at 4:26 AM, Fran Shapiro <[fran@mercedesberk.com](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)> wrote:

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On Dec 11, 2015, at 9:02 PM, Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)> wrote:

I'm in Israel

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On Dec 12, 2015, at 3:52 AM, Fran Shapiro <[fran@mercedesberk.com](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)> wrote:

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On Dec 11, 2015, at 3:56 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Fine

On Friday, December 11, 2015, Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)> wrote:

Ok by me

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2015, at 10:47 PM, Fran Shapiro <[fran@mercedesberk.com](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)> wrote:

Hello

If OK for you, I'm scheduling for morning/mid-day TBD both tomorrow, 12/12, and next Sun 12/20.

Thanks

Fran

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Date: 9/18/2014 6:49:07 AM

Subject: You're invited to the Second Ed Tech Summit (Sep 29, 2014)

You are invited to the following event:

SECOND ED TECH SUMMIT

Event to be held at the following time, date, and location:



Monday, September 29, 2014  
from 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM (EDT)

Barbara Jordan Conference Center  
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**Second Ed Tech Summit: Empowering Educators to Enhance Student Learning in the Digital Era**

Monday, September 29, 2014  
9:00am to 4:30pm

The Kaiser Family Foundation's Barbara Jordan Conference Center  
1330 G St NW  
Washington D.C.

On behalf of The Annenberg Retreat at Sunnylands, the Leading Education by Advancing Digital (LEAD) Commission, and Common Sense, we are pleased to invite you to our upcoming summit, *Empowering Educators to Enhance Student Learning in the Digital Era*.

Building on last year's education technology summit, this year's event will take stock of the current state of digital learning, with a particular focus on professional development for teachers in a world of blended learning. The summit will bring together more than 100 of the nation's leading educators, policymakers, ed tech industry leaders, and universities for a robust dialogue on how to ensure teachers have the training and support they need to maximize student learning through technology. The goal is to develop core principles and recommendations to inform policy, funding, and programs – and to empower teachers to enhance and enrich student learning through technology. Confirmed speakers and moderators include:

- FCC Chairman Tom Wheeler
- James H. Shelton, III, Deputy Secretary of Education
- Randi Weingarten, President, American Federation of Teachers
- Deborah Stipek, Dean, Stanford Graduate School of Education
- Kecia Ray, Chair, International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE)
- Pat Wasley, CEO, The Teaching Channel
- Mark Edwards, Superintendent, Mooresville Graded School District, NC
- Joshua Starr, Superintendent, Montgomery County Public Schools, MD
- Ruth Marcus, Columnist, *Washington Post*
- Sean McComb, 2014 National Teacher of the Year
- And more!

Space is limited. Please RSVP by Monday, September 22, 2014 by contacting Harrison Stark at [hstark@commonsense.org](mailto:hstark@commonsense.org).

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Date: 11/10/2015 3:13:56 PM  
Subject: Dean's Lunch in the Faculty Lounge tomorrow

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Good evening,

You are invited to lunch tomorrow, Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00pm.

Some of the dishes served include:

- A vegetable tomato bisque
- Quinoa tabbouleh salad with goat cheese; served with tuna and chicken
- Mozzarella, tomato, and basil baguettes
- Grilled chicken, avocado, and manchego cheese on focaccia
- Smoked turkey, muenster cheese, and raspberry spread on focaccia
- Crudités with ranch dressing
- Potato chips and pretzels

We hope to see you there.

The Office of Special Events

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Brian Deese

Heads up on the potential that we may get a budget agreement later today. Better than even odds that it comes together. Want to give you a bit of context on it-- all things equal will be a good thing. Give me a call.

Yesterday

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Cheryl Mills

Give me a call.

Yesterday at 5:02 pm

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Date: 12/9/2015 5:07:09 PM

Subject: [Update] Strategic Discussion

Tomorrow's 8AM call is canceled. Have a good sleep-in!



## Strategic Discussion

Purpose: Receive consultants' input on the issues of the day.

Agenda:

- 1. HRC schedule today
- 2. Opponents' activities today
- 3. News today
- 4. Input on response

When Thu Dec 10, 2015 8am – 8:30am Eastern Time

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Date: 5/13/2015 10:47:40 AM

Subject: RE: time for a call today? Thanks

Yikes. No worries.

Tomorrow is fine. Thanks all

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**From:** Milia Fisher [mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com]

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 13, 2015 12:50 PM

**To:** Tina Flournoy

**Cc:** John Podesta; Eryn Sepp

**Subject:** Re: time for a call today? Thanks

Hi Tina-

John's schedule today got a little messy with the Amtrak accident. He's just boarded a bus to Bethesda. He has calls and a meeting when he gets to DC but may be able to call you from the bus if the environment is conducive. If not, Eryn can try to facilitate tomorrow when John is in DC. +Eryn.

Thanks!

Milia

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Date: 2/22/2016 9:39:26 AM

Subject: data update

Hey everyone,

We'll discuss more on the call tonight, but below are our analytics tracking updates:

- In South Carolina we are up 59 to 26. This is a pretty sizable movement from pre-Nevada.
  - Our lead among African-Americans has grown to 49 (65-16). We are in a virtual tie with white voters (+4, but not statistically significant)
- In Virginia, where we just have partial data back. we lead 59-31
- In Minnesota, we are in a dead heat (45-45)
- In Oklahoma, we trail 40-44

Many of these calls include particularly good data since Nevada. We are closely monitoring to see if that bounce holds.

Thanks,

--elan

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/27/2015 10:17:20 AM

Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: Invite emails to Policy Working Group VIPs

On Schwartz-- Ed is speaking with Jake and Dennis about including him as one of the Senior Partners on Infrastructure. They will circle back with our team shortly to let you know their thoughts.

On Tue, Oct 27, 2015 at 10:33 AM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

This version shouldn't be cut off--

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Hope you can take this on. It will mean a lot to the campaign.

Thanks,

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On Tue, Oct 27, 2015 at 10:31 AM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Great, thank you! Edits reflected below. Changed the second sentence to a question to get the ask back in there.

I will ask Ed/Jed about the Bernard Schwartz now and circle back.

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Let's change the first sentence to I am writing to talk you into one more assignment for the campaign.

Let's strike the register here line at the end and insert Hope you can take this on. It will mean a lot to the campaign.

Shouldn't we also include Bernard Schwartz on the infrastructure leadership team?

On Tuesday, October 27, 2015, Sara Latham <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I thought the point was personalizing these - since this list is all his peeps ?

On Tue, Oct 27, 2015 at 10:02 AM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

John- Ed and Jed from policy outreach were hoping that we could get these emails out today (from your jp66). Does the below language look OK to you?

Thanks much!

Milia

Emails for John Podesta to send to potential policy working group leaders

Energy, Climate, and Environment

Jennifer Granholm

Bill Ritter

Carol Browner [she's already agreed to be a Senior Partner so John should just send her a quick thank you note]

Infrastructure and Investment

Ed Rendell

Jane Garvey

Antonio Villaraigosa

Science

Rosina Bierbaum

Eric Lander

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From: "Senator Jim Webb" <[info@johndouglassforcongress.com](mailto:info@johndouglassforcongress.com)>

To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 10/25/2012 7:02:24 AM

Subject: Tough Choice

John --

John Douglass is running a strong campaign for Congress from Virginia's Fifth Congressional District. After a lifetime of service to our nation in the U.S. Air Force and as a defense executive, John wants to return to public service as a member of Congress to promote new jobs and economic growth in Virginia.

John's proven leadership will help bring Republicans and Democrats together to break the partisan gridlock that has blocked progress on so many important issues, ranging from deficit reduction to a new farm bill for our agricultural communities. John has won the endorsement of the Roanoke Times and support from citizens across the district.

I am pleased to endorse John for Congress, and I hope you will join me in doing everything you can between now and election day to elect him to this important House seat. In the next 48 hours, John's campaign will have to make a tough choice about how much it can invest in one of their final TV ad buys of the election.

[Please help John make that choice a bit easier -- he is several thousand dollars short of what he needs to get his message out.](#)

John isn't another career politician intent on making a career in Washington. He knows what it takes to help our families, but he really needs our help. This final budget deadline will make sure he has the momentum it takes to win.

Thanks for your help.

Sincerely,

Senator Jim Webb

Paid for by John Douglass for  
Congress

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/23/2015 7:00:35 AM

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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 10/24/2014 2:59:54 PM

Subject: have to ask

Remember all that spending I told you about last week? Well -- it just got worse. Look for yourself:

\$3,300,000 reserved by Boehner

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\$8,600,000 on ads against me

John, it's enough cash to make your head spin.

But here's the thing: even after millions and millions of dollars spent against me, our race is still in a dead heat.

How? Because of you, John. Your \$5 and \$10 gifts add up -- and they give us the resources to fight back against Republican attacks.

So naturally, John, I have to ask again. Will you pitch in before our 6:30 PM deadline? It's a big one, and we don't want to come up short.

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hope all is well with you!

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From: "Jane Kleeb, Bold Nebraska" <[jane@boldnebraska.org](mailto:jane@boldnebraska.org)>  
Subject: Fwd: Confidential Embargoed  
Date: June 9, 2015 at 4:48:14 PM CDT  
To: Wendy <[wabrams1@gmail.com](mailto:wabrams1@gmail.com)>

Hi Wendy! Do you have time maybe Thur or Fri to talk about the action in October? Just wanted to do a quick check-in on that.

Tomorrow (ha!) a group of over 100 Canadian scientists will formally call for a moratorium on tarsands expansion. I was hoping you could forward this to Mr. Podesta given your relationship with him. Given his recent comments in the Gaurdian (<http://www.theguardian.com/environment/2015/may/28/canada-must-deal-with-tar-sands-emissions-says-clinton-campaign-chief>) some on our side of things are wanting to make sure he gets this new info.

A call for a moratorium has never been done in the scientific community—they decided to do this now as the road to Paris is happening and solutions to keep 75% of the commercially proven fossil fuels have to stay in the ground.

It only makes sense to start with tar sands given how carbon intensive this form of oil is (not to mention the amount of water and energy used to mine and produce it).

Of course, we have our own valid reasons for stopping the expansion of tar sands which focus around eminent domain for private gain, water pollution, liability of economic damages when a pipeline bursts, etc.

The *consensus scientist statement* from Canada draws a number of conclusions about tar sands:

- Continued investment in oil sands production and infrastructure is not consistent with Canada's current climate targets and is incompatible with limiting climate warming to a level that society can handle without widespread harm.
- Contaminants from oil sands development permeate the land, water and air of the Canadian boreal and many of these impacts are difficult to mitigate;
- In Canada, there are few controls and no uniform standards regarding pollution and other impacts from oil sands mining;
- The oil sands industry's claim that its mine sites can be restored to their former natural state is not true;
- Development of the oil sands violates the title and rights of many Aboriginal peoples of North America.

From: [CSIS <externalrelations@csis.org>](mailto:externalrelations@csis.org)

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 7/8/2015 9:49:11 AM

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To: hrcrapid <hrcrapid@googlegroups.com>

Date: 4/15/2015 10:22:41 AM

Subject: BuzzFeed | Questioning whether HRC's grandmother was an immigrant

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From: Andrew Kaczynski <andrew.kaczynski@buzzfeed.com >

Date: Wed, Apr 15, 2015 at 5:09 PM

Subject: Question on Clinton comments on her grandparents immigrating here

To: jferguson@hillaryclinton.com , press@hillaryclinton.com

Hey,

I saw Sec. Clinton's comments on immigration at the Capital City Fruit on immigration where she said, "ya know if we go around this room there's a lot of immigrant stories. You know, all my grandparents, ya know, came over here. My grandfather went to work in a mill in Scranton, Pennsylvania..." (video attached on that).

One of my hobbies is doing the ancestry of presidential candidates and from what I can tell only one of her grandparents were born overseas. Her fraternal grandfather Hugh Rodham Sr.

I know she's talked about her grandmother immigrating before at an event last year (17:50).

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gtBePkrEr3w&list=UUSQoxOTCUydTyTAjclbmVAQ>

"She immigrated with her family as a young girl to Scranton and went to work — very young—in a silk mill, and then she met and married my grandfather, who had also come to this country as a young man from the coalmining area in Newcastle, in England."

Looking at census records it seems only her grandfather was an immigrant. Coming as a two-year-old boy:

You need an ancestry log in for this (I can give you mine if you need it).

[http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?new=1&gsfn=Hugh&gsln=Rodham&rank=1&gss=angs-g&mswpn\\_ftp=England&mswpn=3251&mswpn\\_Plnfo=3-%7c0%7c0%7c3257%7c3251%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c&msbdy=1879&pcat=ROOT\\_CATEGORY&h=12259921&recoff=8+9&db=nvpl&indiv=1&ml\\_rp](http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?new=1&gsfn=Hugh&gsln=Rodham&rank=1&gss=angs-g&mswpn_ftp=England&mswpn=3251&mswpn_Plnfo=3-%7c0%7c0%7c3257%7c3251%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c&msbdy=1879&pcat=ROOT_CATEGORY&h=12259921&recoff=8+9&db=nvpl&indiv=1&ml_rp)

While Hannah Rodham is listed as PA born on the 1910, 1920, and 1930 census records:

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Her fraternal grandparents are also both listed as born in Illinois on the 1920 and 1930 census:

[http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?MS\\_AdvCB=1&rank=1&new=1&MSAV=-1&msT=1&gss=angs-g&gsfn=Edwin&gsfn\\_x=XO&gsln=Howell&gsln\\_x=XO&mswpn\\_ftp=Illinois%2c+USA&mswpn=16&mswpn\\_Plnfo=5-%7c0%7c1652393%7c0%7c2%7c3247%7c16%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c&mswpn\\_x=XO&pcat=ROOT\\_CATEGORY&h=14812479&db=1920usfedcen&indiv=1&ml\\_rpos=10](http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?MS_AdvCB=1&rank=1&new=1&MSAV=-1&msT=1&gss=angs-g&gsfn=Edwin&gsfn_x=XO&gsln=Howell&gsln_x=XO&mswpn_ftp=Illinois%2c+USA&mswpn=16&mswpn_Plnfo=5-%7c0%7c1652393%7c0%7c2%7c3247%7c16%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c0%7c&mswpn_x=XO&pcat=ROOT_CATEGORY&h=14812479&db=1920usfedcen&indiv=1&ml_rpos=10)

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Her fraternal grandfather's drat card also lists him as born in the USA.

[http://interactive.ancestry.com/6482/005247384\\_03254/9562743?backurl=http%3a%2f%2fsearch.ancestry.com%2f%2fcgi-bin%2fsse.dll%3fdb%3dWW1draft%26h%3d9562743%26indiv%3dtry%26o\\_vc%3dRecord%3aOtherRecord%26rhSource%3d6061&ssrc=&backlabe=ReturnRecord](http://interactive.ancestry.com/6482/005247384_03254/9562743?backurl=http%3a%2f%2fsearch.ancestry.com%2f%2fcgi-bin%2fsse.dll%3fdb%3dWW1draft%26h%3d9562743%26indiv%3dtry%26o_vc%3dRecord%3aOtherRecord%26rhSource%3d6061&ssrc=&backlabe=ReturnRecord)

Any comment? I was going to do a small item on this.

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: 12/10/2015 6:12:23 AM

Subject: Re: TWEETS 12/10

Are they based in Wichita?

On Dec 10, 2015 10:08 AM, "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

New one. Really great Funny or Die video out mocking the Koch brothers climate change denial:

Hope the Koch brothers are enjoying this in Wichita, where it's 22° above the avg December temperature.

@funnyordie

[http://FunnyOrDie.com/m/a4lb?\\_ccid=6ckk0z.ny4lg2&\\_cc=\\_dbbt](http://FunnyOrDie.com/m/a4lb?_ccid=6ckk0z.ny4lg2&_cc=_dbbt)

On Thu, Dec 10, 2015 at 10:45 AM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Sounds good. Will be back with more later in the day.

Milia Fisher

[\(858\) 395-1741](tel:(858)395-1741)

> On Dec 10, 2015, at 10:43 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

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Where

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Date: 10/7/2015 12:52:18 PM

Subject: Follow Up to Chicago Meeting

Attachments: Elvir Klempic Resume.pdf  
Elvir Klempic Cover Letter.docx

John,

It was a pleasure meeting you in Chicago last week. As a follow up to our conversation, I am attaching the resume and cover letter of Elvir Klempic for the Ethnic Outreach position with Hillary for America. Elvir is a Bosnian American who is currently interning at the DNC's National Democratic Ethnic Coordinating Council. I am Co-Chair of this Council and would strongly recommend Elvir for this position.

Secondly, we also discussed Secretary Clinton's appearance in Chicago on November 2. Would it be possible to schedule some time for an ethnic event? Last Friday, Billy Lawless and I gathered over 75 ethnic leaders to meet with DNC CEO Amy Dacey. This event was a huge success. We brought together leaders from their respective communities, representing hundreds of thousands of Chicagoans. What about a small ethnic roundtable meeting highlighting the vast ethnic diversity of Chicago( "the faces of Chicago")? Billy Lawless and I would gladly work with you in putting this together.

Regards,

Maureen

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Date: 9/24/2012 4:41:29 AM

Subject: Meet the next Senator from Virginia this Sunday



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Subject: 3 Page information on the FFA- FINAL approved

Attachments: FFA Synopsis Final 1-18-08.pdf

This is the approved, legally vetted document for use by the FFA for fundraising and education puposes.

Please use only this document.

If you have any questions please contact me directly.

Thank you,

Amy

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Date: 4/21/2015 6:30:41 AM  
Subject: Re: TWEETS 4/21

Also:

Update: Climate Change Denial Disorder (CCDD) achieves immortality on @funnyordie. Thanks, @edbegleyjr <http://bit.ly/1OBqFvo>

On Apr 21, 2015, at 11:43 AM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

#### TWEETS 4/21

President Obama renewed his commitment to #ActOnClimate during his @WhiteHouse weekly address: [https://youtu.be/\\_csbIV1PJ4o](https://youtu.be/_csbIV1PJ4o) #EarthWeek (130)

*Note: Would make this tweet #2*

Day 2 in the granite state. @HillaryClinton, see you at the top? #livefreeordie XX PIC XX (120)

*Note: Can also use #HillaryinNH (the more official campaign hashtag)*

<mt washington.jpg>

.@NASA: don't forget my favorite spot in Lake Tahoe. #noplacelikehome #EarthWeek XX PIC XX (112)

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#### RETWEETS 4/21

Team Social Media asked us to retweet something as Tweets come out from @HillaryforNH

Retweet this from Deese:



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To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)  
Date: 2/26/2010 7:46:50 AM  
Subject: [big campaign] Rep. Steve King Sings The Praises Of Lobbyists On The House Floor: 'Somebody Needs To Stand Up' For Them

## [Rep. Steve King Sings The Praises Of Lobbyists On The House Floor: 'Somebody Needs To Stand Up' For Them](http://thinkprogress.org/2010/02/26/steve-king-lobbyists/)

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The Center for Public Integrity [reported](#) recently that the health care debate kept more than [4,500 lobbyists](#) employed at various points throughout the year, effectively [drowning out the voices](#) of the American public. Sen. Bernie Sanders (I-VT) said these lobbyists descend "into the offices of members of Congress and say, 'Don't vote for change. [Keep the status quo alive](#).'" ."

This afternoon, while speaking on the floor of the House of Representatives, Rep. Steve King (R-IA) defended the role of Washington lobbyists, saying that they "do a very effective and [useful job on this Hill](#) " and went as far as to say that "somebody needs to stand up" for them:

KING: The people of my district deserve every bit of as much representation in this Congress as the people do in any district. But this structure, this iron-fisted structure in this House of Representatives, that's what breaks down deliberative democracy and it undermines our constitutional republic and it denies the very legitimate knowledgeable input from all across this country. Think about how this works. Each of the 435 of us we go home to our districts. We build a network of advisors providing information for us ... in a whole series of ways. Town hall meetings, individual meetings, **individual lobbyists, yes lobbyists do a very effective and useful job on this Hill. ... Somebody needs to stand up for the lobby, it is a matter of providing a lot of valuable information.**

Watch it:

This isn't the first time King has lauded lobbyists. Last year, he praised astroturf lobbying group Americans for Prosperity for busing in protesters to Washington, DC, even [comparing them to Paul Revere](#) . And unfortunately, he isn't the only member of Congress who has taken it upon himself to defend lobbyists. During the Senate Finance Committee's mark-up session of its version of the health care bill, Sen. Pat Roberts (R-KS) demanded that the committee delay its votes to give health care lobbyists "[at least 72 hours](#) " to read the bill.

Of course, lobbyists hardly need members of Congress standing up for them. For the health care debate alone, "1,750 companies and organizations hired about 4,525 lobbyists — [eight for each member of Congress](#) — to influence health reform bills in 2009." Last year was a record year for lobbying expenditures, with [\\$3.47 billion](#) being spent to pay lobbyists to influence-peddle at every level of the federal government.

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Date: 5/10/2012 12:35:03 PM

Subject: Garcetti for Mayor Update Tomorrow!

Dear Garcetti for Mayor Supporter,

Thank you for your continued support of Eric's campaign for Mayor of Los Angeles. As we begin to transition from spring to summer, we would once again like to thank you for all of your generosity -- none of this would be possible without you!

Tomorrow, Eric will be hosting a brief conference call with our top supporters on the status of the campaign, and the next steps as we continue to grow.

WHO: Eric Garcetti

WHAT: Supporter call on status of campaign

WHEN: Friday May 11, 2012 @ 4:30pm (PST)

WHERE: Dial-in given upon RSVP

To receive the call in information, please email me at [dailysmith@gmail.com](mailto:dailysmith@gmail.com) . Please note that this call will be short, as we want to be respectful of your time. Thanks again!

Regards,

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Date: 6/16/2015 1:45:59 PM  
Subject: Future of the middle class  
Attachments: Hanauer-Rolf v2.pdf

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John,

I think you will find this piece on how to rebuild the middle class useful.

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To: ["Gabriel Guerra" <guerraassociates@yahoo.com>](mailto:guerraassociates@yahoo.com)

Date: 10/29/2015 4:19:35 PM

Subject: Re: Guerra

Thank you. will read.

On Thu, Oct 29, 2015 at 10:33 PM, Gabriel Guerra <[guerraassociates@yahoo.com](mailto:guerraassociates@yahoo.com)> wrote:

In case you missed today's Politico article on Senator Rubio by Anne Louise Bardach it is a fascinating excellent long investigative reporting on the Senator's family as well as his. And this was written before yesterday's debate. Gabriel

Sent from my iPhone

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Date: 10/23/2015 6:25:41 AM

Subject: Hope you can join us for Nov. 3rd Reception

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Subject: Fwd: 01.16.15 Friends & Allies Pre-Debate Talking Points

Attachments: .htm

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Subject: 01.16.15 Friends & Allies Pre-Debate Talking Points

All -

Please find attached pre-debate talking points for tomorrow evening's Democratic primary debate, which will air on NBC at 9:00pm EST.

Please let me know if you have any questions!

AE

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Date: 7/13/2015 4:06:42 AM

Subject: Re: La Raza remarks

thanks, joel. that's very helpful.

On Mon, Jul 13, 2015 at 9:58 AM, Joel Benenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)> wrote:

My one big concern is that we are tending to weaken the core argument of her campaign: When she says "to make the economy work for everyone" --- that sounds like something anyone could say and doesn't feel like it taps any values enough.

ALT – Trying to get something a little more visceral/emotional in here in what otherwise is still a pretty intellectual speech because we're largely using our econ speech.

I'm running to revive the basic bargain of America: if you do you work hard and do your part you should be able to get ahead and stay ahead. That bargain and the ideals that you and I believe in are what always made us great: that we are at our best when lift each other up and leave non one behind; when we have each other's back and don't turn our backs on each other; when we recognize that families are the backbone of our country and when families are stronger, America is stronger."

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**From:** Margolis, Jim [mailto:[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)] ]

**Sent:** Monday, July 13, 2015 9:43 AM

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**Cc:** Lauren Peterson

**Subject:** Re: La Raza remarks

Dan, I know time is tight. So just two quick notes.

1. When she does the value of fixing the immigration system: "Fixing our broken immigration system would lower the likelihood of exploitation and suppressed wages – and potentially create billions of dollars in additional tax revenue. And the positive effects will ripple out across our economy. "

I would add for emphasis at the end: **And the positive effects will ripple out across our economy, benefiting everyone in the nation.**

2. She better practice Basta or it's gonna sound like... "I have one word for you: bastard! "

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**From:** Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)>

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**Subject:** La Raza remarks

Afternoon remarks attached. Pls take a look at the Trump hit.

Thanks

Dan

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| Subject: | Re: Column: Pope Francis boosts Obama, Clinton, Kerry and Gore on climate change     Observer, I praise you personally as well as HRC and Clinton Foundations effusively, Brent |

Thanks Brent. Much appreciated.

On Thursday, June 18, 2015, Brent Budowsky <[brentbbi@webtv.net](mailto:brentbbi@webtv.net)> wrote:

<http://observer.com/2015/06/pope-francis-boosts-obama-clinton-kerry-and-gore-on-climate-change/>

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Date: 7/3/2015 4:02:51 AM  
Subject: Re: Hi

Maybe we could issue a challenge on social on the 4th, she could say in the media avail to get it in video on Saturday and hit it again with Brianna on Tuesday.

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On Jul 3, 2015, at 10:54 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Adding Amanda and Xotchil.

Haim is right - we should be jamming this all the time.

A and X - can we think about what else we should do? Issue a broader challenge? Do something tied to Fourth of July were we declared all equal? Get CHC to do a letter?

Sent from my iPhone

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Sent from my iPhone

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----- Forwarded message -----

From: Haim Saban <[kussa@saban.com](mailto:kussa@saban.com)> >  
Date: Friday, July 3, 2015  
Subject: Hi  
To: Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> >  
Cc: "[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> >  
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All good tx

John can share with you.

**From:** Robby Mook [mailto:[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)] ]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:01 PM  
**To:** Haim Saban  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Hi

Perfect. Let me know if you need anything from me!

On Thu, Jul 2, 2015 at 10:00 PM, Haim Saban <[kussa@saban.com](mailto:kussa@saban.com)> wrote:

On the phone with him

**From:** Robby Mook [mailto:[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com) ]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 6:50 PM  
**To:** Haim Saban  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Hi

Just talked to John. He's calling you shortly.

On Thu, Jul 2, 2015 at 3:53 PM, Haim Saban <[kussa@saban.com](mailto:kussa@saban.com)> wrote:

Resending to your current email. Tx.

[+1 \(310\) 557-5111](tel:+13105575111) .

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**From:** Haim Saban  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 12:27 PM  
**To:** 'Robby Mook' ([robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com) ); '[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) '  
**Subject:** Hi

Can one of you please call me at your earliest convenience? Tx

From: ["Gitenstein, Mark H." <MGitenstein@mayerbrown.com>](mailto:MGitenstein@mayerbrown.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/5/2008 1:50:03 PM

Subject: Re: My cap email is down

Thanx. So I should use this email? My cell is 202 316 0026

----- Original Message -----

From: john.podesta@gmail.com <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: Gitenstein, Mark H.

Sent: Wed Nov 05 20:32:53 2008

Subject: My cap email is down

Trying to let you know that we are holding till friday. I don't have your cell.

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

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**From:** "Nick Merrill" <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>  
**To:** "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>  
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"Philippe Reines" <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>  
"Nick Merrill" <[nmerrill.hrco@gmail.com](mailto:nmerrill.hrco@gmail.com)>  
"Kristina Schake" <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)>  
"Dan Schwerin" <[dschwerin@hrcoffice.com](mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com)>  
**Date:** 3/3/2015 12:41:07 PM  
**Subject:** Re: HRC joke on emails at Emily's List

+ Dan, who also floated it.

I don't think it's nuts if we can come up with the right thing. But it could also be nuts...

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**From:** Jennifer Palmieri <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Tuesday, March 3, 2015 at 2:37 PM  
**To:** Joel Benenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)>, Jim Margolis <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)>, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, Robby Mook <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>, Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>, NSM <[nmerrill.hrco@gmail.com](mailto:nmerrill.hrco@gmail.com)>, Kristina Schake <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)>  
**Subject:** HRC joke on emails at Emily's List

Greetings. I wanted to float idea of HRC making a joke about the email situation at the Emily's List dinner tonight. What do folks think about that?

From: ["Froman, Michael B" <fromanm@citi.com>](mailto:fromanm@citi.com)  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/11/2008 5:50:06 AM  
Subject: Fw: One more thought

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How would you like me to respond to this? I received a separate message on Jim J. I'll forward you.

----- Original Message -----

From: marklippert@yahoo.com <marklippert@yahoo.com>  
To: Froman, Michael B [CAI]  
Sent: Sat Oct 11 12:48:24 2008  
Subject: One more thought

Mike -

Denis and I were chatting and we thought that it would be good to get Jim S in the mix for a meeting with O, for a # of reasons:

1) O may end up preferring Jim over the other guy, 2) we want Jim to have a key role/big job no matter what the outcome of #1 and 3) the other guy could say no.

Jim was on the trip, but his ability to spend much time with O was quite limited. Despite all of us expressing our high regard for Jim, there is no substitute for a little face to face time w/ Jim. Another option might be to put Jim on the plane for a leg, under the guise of him briefing O on an issue (like McFaul did). O you can have a failry private chat on the plane at the table.

Thoughts?

Mark  
Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: "John Podesta" <jpodesta@americanprogress.org>  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 1/8/2016 2:01:19 PM  
Subject: Fw: Happy birthday!

Birthday message via your AmProg.

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**From:** Javier Font <jfont@ipublicaffairs.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 8, 2016 15:56  
**To:** John Podesta  
**Subject:** Happy birthday!

Happy birthday John!

I hope you are having a wonderful day!

Best regards,

Javier Font

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Podesta, John" <[John\\_D\\_Podesta@who.eop.gov](mailto:John_D_Podesta@who.eop.gov)>  
Subject: Re: Greetings from Spain  
Date: September 14, 2014 6:13:11 PM GMT+02:00  
To: "[jfont@ipublicaffairs.com](mailto:jfont@ipublicaffairs.com)" <[jfont@ipublicaffairs.com](mailto:jfont@ipublicaffairs.com)>

Great to see you and please stay in touch

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**From:** Javier Font [mailto:[jfont@ipublicaffairs.com](mailto:jfont@ipublicaffairs.com)]  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 13, 2014 12:22 PM  
**To:** Podesta, John  
**Subject:** Greetings from Spain

Dear John,

It was a great pleasure to meet you at the end of the National Clean Energy Summit in Las Vegas.

Please let me congratulate you on your impressive leadership in fighting climate change.

I hope this leadership will inspire our Spanish and European leaders, such as the new European Commissioner for Climate Action.

I wish you new major achievements in building political and business support for the carbon reduction we so badly need.

Best regards to you and your wonderful brother Tony,

Javier

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| From:    | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">"John Podesta" &lt;john.podesta@gmail.com&gt;</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| To:      | <a href="mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com">"marlon marshall" &lt;:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com&gt;</a><br><a href="mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com">"Amanda Renteria" &lt;arenteria@hillaryclinton.com&gt;</a><br><a href="mailto:tlewis@hillaryclinton.com">"Tracey Lewis" &lt;tlewis@hillaryclinton.com&gt;</a> |
| Date:    | 10/14/2015 3:11:25 PM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Subject: | Sebellius                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

Won't officially engage until end of year.

From: ["Sean Sweeney" <sfxsweeney@msn.com>](mailto:sfxsweeney@msn.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 7/15/2013 1:22:41 PM  
Subject: Test

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Is this the correct e-mail?

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: "[Kristina Schake](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)" <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "[John Podesta](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: 7/3/2015 3:51:17 AM

Subject: Re: Hi

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Date: Friday, July 3, 2015

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Cc: "[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

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All good tx

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**Subject:** Hi

Can one of you please call me at your earliest convenience? Tx



From: ["Ben Kobren" <benkobren@gmail.com>](mailto:benkobren@gmail.com)  
To: ["Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 8/6/2015 11:07:56 AM  
Subject: Re: post-KXL option memo  
Attachments: 15.8.06 LCV Questionnaire (Clean, Final).docx

We now have an updated ITC/PTC response reflecting a recent conversation Pete had with LCV. Please use this version when reviewing. Thank you.

On Thu, Aug 6, 2015 at 5:26 PM, Ben Kobren <[benkobren@gmail.com](mailto:benkobren@gmail.com)> wrote:  
John and Jake,

Attached is the updated LCV questionnaire with modified Arctic language (Q.8).

On Thu, Aug 6, 2015 at 3:51 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Thanks guys. It sounds like we are in a holding pattern again on KXL. That said, I agree with the approach in the memo and think we should deploy it at the right time.

Three things:

1. I believe we should establish our Arctic position soon. I agree with the approach in the memo and would just add at the front "Based on what I know now...." This would give her some flexibility later.
2. I'd like John to take a close look at our revised LCV questionnaire. Can one of you send it to him, with the modified Arctic language?
3. How are we looking on updating the CEC factsheet?

Thanks,

Jake

**From:** Pete Ogden [mailto:[progden@gmail.com](mailto:progden@gmail.com) ]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 6, 2015 1:32 PM  
**To:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> ; Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> >  
**Cc:** Trevor Houser <[tghouser.hrc@gmail.com](mailto:tghouser.hrc@gmail.com)> ; Ben Kobren <[benkobren@gmail.com](mailto:benkobren@gmail.com)> ; Corey Ciorciari <[cciorciari@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:cciorciari@hillaryclinton.com)> > ; Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> >  
**Subject:** post-KXL option memo

At Jake's request, we have refreshed here the post-KXL decision options memo and added an additional option calling for an end to offshore drilling in the Arctic (attached). Thanks.

--Pete

From: [sbay@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:sbay@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)  
[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)  
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[tgoff@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tgoff@hillaryclinton.com)  
[hstone@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:hstone@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 12/23/2015 7:00:48 AM

Subject: Updated Invitation: Monthly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting @ Wed Dec 23, 2015 11:15am - 12pm ([john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com))

Attachments: invite.ics

This event has been changed.

## Monthly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting

[more details »](#)

This weekly scheduling meeting will now serve as the monthly - thanks

Changed: Wed Dec 23, 2015 11:15am – 12pm Eastern Time

When

718-819-1528, NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa ([map](#) )

Where

[https://plus.google.com/hangouts/\\_/hillaryclinton.com/weekly-senior](https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/weekly-senior)

Video call

john.podesta@gmail.com

Calendar

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- sbay@hillaryclinton.com - organizer
- re47@hillaryclinton.com
- jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com
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[Yes](#) - [Maybe](#) - [No](#) [more options »](#)

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)  
Date: 3/22/2015 6:21:59 AM  
Subject: Re: For Review: Memorandum for Senior Staff - CDM Chop

I'm good with the edits other than jen's name spelled wrong. I'll fix. Should I get Kendall and or HRC to have eyes on this before sending, or do you think we can just move it?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Mar 22, 2015, at 12:55 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

JP

note my additions and my adjustment of the to community.

cdm

On Sat, Mar 21, 2015 at 4:57 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I made a few changes to your draft to eliminate confusion about how we will operate over the next month. See what you think. Did it on Mary's computer which is why her name is in the chain.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "Mary Podesta" <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)>  
Date: Mar 21, 2015 4:52 PM  
Subject: FW: Re: For Review: Memorandum for Senior Staff - CDM Chop  
To: <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Cc:

**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 21, 2015 1:51 PM  
**To:** [podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Re: For Review: Memorandum for Senior Staff - CDM Chop

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From: "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>  
Date: Mar 20, 2015 11:00 AM  
Subject: Re: For Review: Memorandum for Senior Staff - CDM Chop  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Cc:

my take attached for when we talk

On Fri, Mar 20, 2015 at 9:51 AM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

on with DEK for next hour - will call later today

On Fri, Mar 20, 2015 at 9:51 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

You going to call? Should I call you?

On Mar 20, 2015 3:28 AM, "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

Will call you later in am with reactions

cdm

> On Mar 19, 2015, at 10:05 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

>

> Per my voicemail to you just now. Would appreciate your thoughts before I share with Robby and the team. This is based on some conversations I had with HRC.

> <2015\_0319\_Memo for Senior Staff.docx>

<2015-03-22 Memo for Senior Personnel - rev.docx>

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Robert Wolf" <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)>

Date: 10/7/2015 10:40:19 AM

Subject:

Supposed to do a presentation in 5 minutes. Free after 8:30 but on a train. Probably could do a few minutes at 6:30. Either work for you?

On Oct 7, 2015 5:34 PM, "Robert Wolf" <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)> wrote:

How you looking now or tonight

On Oct 7, 2015, at 12:16 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Call me at 2:00 if it still works. [202-999-0738](tel:202-999-0738) .

On Oct 6, 2015 6:40 PM, "Robert Wolf" <[rwolf@32advisors.com](mailto:rwolf@32advisors.com)> wrote:

John-

Appreciate you coming back to me as I know how jammed you are. Great day for the Secretary yesterday –especially gun control & Benghazi response. As an fyi- my wife Carol works at Sandy Hook Promise with the woman Nicole who the Secretary introduced.

Best times for me tomorrow are 930am, 2pm or 5pm. May be best for me to call you.

Agenda:

1. Meeting w the Secretary & best way to interact directly with her (seldom of course).
2. Best way forward to integrate & interact with the team (economics, business, surrogate, debate...).
3. VP Biden update.

Speak soon,

RW

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| From:        | "Megan Rooney" <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>                     |
| To:          | "Mike Vlacich" <mvlacich@hillaryclinton.com>                    |
| Date:        | 10/15/2015 10:55:47 AM                                          |
| Subject:     | FOR THE BOOK: talking points for reception with Democrats in NH |
| Attachments: | 2015-10-15 draft NH young dems 6PM.docx                         |

This is ready for the book. Thanks.

On Thu, Oct 15, 2015 at 3:27 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
I'll adjust. Thanks Mike.

On Thu, Oct 15, 2015 at 3:26 PM, Mike Vlacich <mvlacich@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
Hi,

Want to clarify this is a joint event of Nashua Democrats and NH Young Democrats. Audience is broader than just young people.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Oct 15, 2015, at 3:17 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
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> Hi all -- these are points for her reception tomorrow. She'll have a wireless handheld and no podium.  
Please send edits by 6pm. Thanks.

> <2015-10-15 draft NH young dems 315pm.docx>

**From:** "Dan Schwerin" <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)>  
**To:** "Jake Sullivan" <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>  
"Turner, Katherine" <[KTurner@wc.com](mailto:KTurner@wc.com)>  
"Mandy Grunwald" <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>  
"Jennifer Palmieri" <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)>  
"Kendall, David" <[DKendall@wc.com](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)>  
"John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
"Adrienne Elrod" <[aelrod@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)>  
"Philippe Reines" <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>  
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"Phil Barnett" <[pbarnett@sb-atalaya.com](mailto:pbarnett@sb-atalaya.com)>  
"Matt Siegler" <[matt@sb-atalaya.com](mailto:matt@sb-atalaya.com)>  
**Date:** 10/18/2015 6:40:31 AM  
**Subject:** Re: DRAFT: Opening Statement  
**Attachments:** 2015-10-17 Benghazi Testimony - 130pm.docx

Flagging this draft again in hopes folks can take a look.

Thanks

Dan

On Sat, Oct 17, 2015 at 3:31 PM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Here's a revised opening statement based on our discussion this morning.

Dan

On Sat, Oct 17, 2015 at 10:23 AM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

This is a big line of Gowdy questioning. How did you strike balance? Elsewhere you so close up shop when things get dangerous.

On Oct 17, 2015, at 10:22 AM, Turner, Katherine <[KTurner@wc.com](mailto:KTurner@wc.com)> wrote:

One further thought on the current draft: we might consider softening the "Chris did not believe retreat was an option – and neither do I" line. I don't think we want to suggest that there was a commitment to be there at any and all costs; but rather, that the known risks were being balanced with the reasons for being there, regular assessments of this balance were made, and that the people on the ground were best-positioned to contribute to those assessments.

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**From:** Dan Schwerin [<mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>]

**Sent:** Friday, October 16, 2015 8:07 PM

**To:** Mandy Grunwald; Jennifer Palmieri; Kendall, David; Jake Sullivan; John Podesta; Adrienne Elrod; Philippe Reines; Sara Latham; Cheryl Mills; Heather Samuelson; Turner, Katherine; Brian Fallon; Huma Abedin; Phil Schiliro; Phil Barnett; Matt Siegler

10/18/2016



**Subject:** Re: DRAFT: Opening Statement

A few more edits after talking with Phil S

On Fri, Oct 16, 2015 at 7:42 PM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Here are some modest revisions. Am going to send this over to HRC so she can start thinking about it as well.

Thanks all.

Dan

On Fri, Oct 16, 2015 at 7:00 PM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

That "backs of dead Americans" line is stolen from Hard Choices, so maybe a good idea to tweak slightly anyhow. I'll play with some alternatives. If folks have other concerns before I send on to HRC, please let me know.

On Fri, Oct 16, 2015 at 6:13 PM, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

I also think it's strong.

I don't mind the "backs of dead Americans" because we need a bit of moral outrage.

I suppose we can dial the language back, but the sense of outrage should remain.

**Mandy Grunwald**

**Grunwald Communications**

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To: Kendall, David <[DKendall@wc.com](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)>

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Sent: Fri, Oct 16, 2015 6:04 pm

Subject: Re: DRAFT: Opening Statement

I think it is good. Imagine the clip they will use is the partisan slugfest sentence. I don't love "backs of dead Americans" in that sentence. I think that is too graphic and splashes back on her as appearing to exploit their deaths.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 16, 2015, at 3:40 PM, Kendall, David <[DKendall@wc.com](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)> wrote:

I like it. Just two thoughts.

We twice call the ARB “independent”—I’d prefer to call it “non-partisan” as we do once in the draft. [Hard Choices](#) did not call it “independent”, and since it’s appointed by and responsible to the Secretary, I think we open an avenue of attack by calling it “independent”.

Can we get some more numbers into the early “diplomacy is dangerous” discussion? Sixty-six American diplomatic personnel and over a hundred contractors and locally employed staff killed since the 1970’s (or whatever the numbers are). I recognize we have some numbers on page 3 (Beirut bombing, 1998 attacks).

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**Subject:** DRAFT: Opening Statement

Here is a draft of HRC's opening statement based on our discussion today. As Cheryl mentioned, we'd love to get this to HRC for a first read tonight or tomorrow, so quick feedback would be great.

Thanks

Dan

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: [ihogue@prochoiceamerica.org](mailto:ihogue@prochoiceamerica.org)

Date: 1/5/2016 7:49:24 AM

Subject: Thank you

Just wanted to say thank you for this important endorsement and all of your work to get us here. Looking forward to working together to elect Hillary in 2016. Come to Brooklyn!

-John

From: "Brad Johnson" <climatebrad@gmail.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
Date: 1/20/2016 3:38:11 PM  
Subject: Re: a bit hurtful

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One of us is blinkered. I hope it's me.

On Wed, Jan 20, 2016 at 10:23 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

We have put out a series of specific proposals that go beyond Obama and would put the country on a path of deep decarbonization. Sorry that it offended you that I referenced those through a series of screen shots. What offended me was that Bernie pissed all over Obama's extensive diplomacy that led to a hopeful outcome in Paris. It's easy to promise the moon. It's a lot harder to deliver.

On Wednesday, January 20, 2016, Brad Johnson <climatebrad@gmail.com> wrote:

John - feel free to ignore - but I honestly was hurt that you put your name to this:

<https://medium.com/@johnpodesta/the-sanders-campaign-asked-where-our-climate-plan-was-i-googled-it-for-them-5fd07c16d8a7>

I know you don't actually have contempt for serious climate policy—and I know the campaign has access to the smartest and deepest climate thinkers in the country; really the world—so I don't understand this.

Maybe I'm blinded by pro-Sanders partisanship; maybe I'm too old to get that a bunch of screenshots is how policy agendas are communicated now; but it doesn't feel like that.

yours,  
Brad

From: "Heather Boushey" <HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 7/26/2014 8:18:44 AM

Subject: Re: time to talk?

5:30. Mobile: 202-549-3452

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Heather Boushey  
[hboushey@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:hboushey@equitablegrowth.org)  
Twitter: @hboushey

On Jul 26, 2014, at 11:09 AM, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Are you free around 3:00 or 5:30?

On Jul 25, 2014 2:24 PM, "Heather Boushey" <[HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org)> wrote:  
Sure. What time works for you?

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Twitter: @hboushey

On Jul 25, 2014, at 2:13 PM, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Saturday?

On Jul 25, 2014 12:22 PM, "Heather Boushey" <[HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org)> wrote:  
Hello John,

I hope all's well! I'd like to get your input on some upcoming decisions. We're in the middle of negotiations with CAP over space and money and Steve asked me to make sure to include your perspective.

I'm sure things are a bit hectic for you with all the warring going on, but would you have time for a conversation?

Best,  
Heather

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: [jpodesta@who.eop.gov](mailto:jpodesta@who.eop.gov)

Date: 2/10/2015 12:48:36 AM

Subject: Fwd: still making news - awesome!

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From: "Megan Rouse" <[meganrouse@gmail.com](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)>

Date: Feb 10, 2015 12:41 AM

Subject: still making news - awesome!

To: "Mom" <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)>, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Cc: "Mae Podesta" <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>, "Gabe" <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)>

Here are some links, one to an article and one to a video. Very cool! Xo

<http://sanfrancisco.cbslocal.com/2015/02/07/president-obama-surprises-bay-area-teen-camille-chabot-camillestrong-battling-stage-4-cancer-in-a-tweet-from-air-force-one/>

<http://video.sfexaminer.com/President-Obama-Sends-Dublin-Teen-With-Stage-4-Cancer-A-Tweet-Of-Support-28519965>

From: "Michael Weil" <mweil@hillaryclinton.com>

To:

Date: 2/23/2008 11:10:33 PM

Subject: Campaign Clips, 02/24/2008

**Campaign Clips**  
**Sunday, February 24, 2008**

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**HRC**

**Soldiering On, but Somber as the Horizons Darken** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/us/politics/24mood.html?hp>

**Clinton Criticizes Obama Over Flies on Trade Pact Distributed to Votes in Ohio** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/us/politics/24ohio.html?ref=politics>

**Angry Clinton Criticizes Obama Ads** *LAT*

<http://www.latimes.com/news/politics/la-na-campaign24feb24.0.7152756.story>

**'Wrong' Clinton Says Over Obama's Campaign Mailings** *LAT*

<http://www.latimes.com/news/politics/la-na-clinton24feb24.0.3494226.story>

**Clinton Backs At Odds With Her on Fla., Mich.** *LAT*

<http://www.latimes.com/news/politics/la-na-govs24feb24.1.6189185.story>

**Clinton Takes Strong Exception on Tactics of Obama Campaign** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/23/AR2008022302178.html>

**Clinton Cites Husbands Record, 'Heart' on Race** *The Trail – WP*

[http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/02/23/clinton\\_cites\\_husbands\\_record.html](http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/02/23/clinton_cites_husbands_record.html)

**Simple Question Defines Complex Health Debate** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wpdyn/content/article/2008/02/23/AR2008022302026.html?hpid=topnews>

**Clinton Offers Regrets for Spouses Remarks** *The Caucus – NYT*

<http://thecaucus.blogs.nytimes.com/2008/02/23/clinton-offers-regrets-for-spouses-remarks/>

**Clinton Defends Husband on Racial Issues** *AP*

[http://ap.google.com/article/ALeqM5gHOdJ2WITR4K7\\_P1h4ynxhcjABRgD8V0E7N80](http://ap.google.com/article/ALeqM5gHOdJ2WITR4K7_P1h4ynxhcjABRgD8V0E7N80)

**Clinton Slams Obama's Tactics** *The Caucus – NYT*

<http://thecaucus.blogs.nytimes.com/2008/02/23/clinton-slams-obama-tactics/#more-4335>

**The Moment Interrupted** *The Caucus – NYT*

<http://thecaucus.blogs.nytimes.com/2008/02/23/the-moment-interrupted/#more-4334>

**Clinton Steps Up Criticism** *The Trail - WP*

[http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/02/23/clinton\\_unloads\\_on\\_obamas\\_dest\\_1.html?hpid=topnews](http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/02/23/clinton_unloads_on_obamas_dest_1.html?hpid=topnews)

**Hispanics Hold Key in Texas Primary** *Baltimore Sun*

<http://www.baltimoresun.com/news/nation/bal-te.hispanics24feb24.0.5030357.story>

**Clinton Attacks Obama Over Mailing to Voters** *Boston Globe*

[http://www.boston.com/news/nation/articles/2008/02/24/clinton\\_attacks\\_obama\\_over\\_mailings\\_to\\_voters/](http://www.boston.com/news/nation/articles/2008/02/24/clinton_attacks_obama_over_mailings_to_voters/)

**Democrats Rhetoric Turns Acrid in Ohio** *Dallas Morning News*

[http://www.dallasnews.com/sharedcontent/dws/news/politics/national/stories/DN-obamaclinton\\_24pol.ART.State.Edition1.46528c9.html](http://www.dallasnews.com/sharedcontent/dws/news/politics/national/stories/DN-obamaclinton_24pol.ART.State.Edition1.46528c9.html)

**Obama, Clinton Wrangle Over Trade Before Ohio Contest** *Bloomberg*

<http://www.bloomberg.com/apps/news?pid=20601087&sid=a7uQqWHrwPek&refer=home>

**Democrats Healthcare Debate Intensifies** *Washington Wire – WSJ*

[http://blogs.wsj.com/washwire/2008/02/23/democrats-health-care-debate-intensifies/?mod=googlenews\\_wsj](http://blogs.wsj.com/washwire/2008/02/23/democrats-health-care-debate-intensifies/?mod=googlenews_wsj)

**Shame on You, Clinton Tells Obama** *Reuters*

<http://www.nytimes.com/reuters/washington/politics-usa-politics.html>

**Ad watch: Clinton Ads in Texas, Obama** *AP*

<http://www.nytimes.com/aponline/us/AP-Clinton-Adwatch.html>

Editorial: **It Must Be Ohio** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/opinion/24sun1.html?ref=opinion>

Column: **The Audacity of Hopelessness** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/opinion/24rich.html?ref=opinion>

Op-Ed: **Thanks, Bill, For Taking Hillary Out of the Running** *Boston Herald*

<http://news.bostonherald.com/news/opinion/columnists/view.bg?articleid=1075582&svc=home&position=also>

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**Obama Raps McCain on Lobbyists** *AP*

<http://www.time.com/time/politics/article/0,8599,1716825,00.html>

**Obama: I Would Get Different Treatment if I Lost As Much as Clinton** *CNN Political Ticker*

<http://politicalticker.blogs.cnn.com/2008/02/23/obama-id-get-different-treatment-if-i-lost-as-much-as-clinton/>

**On a Roll Electorally, Obama Injects His Manner with a Bit of Cockiness** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/us/politics/24obama.html?ref=politics>

**Obama's Red-state Prospects Unclear** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/23/AR2008022302180.html?hpid=topnews>

**Could Obama Turn Red States Blue** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/23/AR2008022302274.html>

**Cool's Hot and Cold Constituency** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wpdyn/content/article/2008/02/22/AR2008022200624.html>

**Deconstructing an Obama Victory** *The Caucus – NYT*

<http://thecaucus.blogs.nytimes.com/2008/02/23/deconstructing-an-obama-victory/>

**Obama: It Takes a Knockout** *The Trail – WP*

[http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/02/23/obama\\_it\\_takes\\_a\\_knockout.html?hpid=topnews](http://blog.washingtonpost.com/the-trail/2008/02/23/obama_it_takes_a_knockout.html?hpid=topnews)

**Obama: Nader Bid Would Not Hurt My Campaign** *Washington Times*

<http://washingtontimes.com/article/20080224/NATION/512212251/1001>

**Obama Not Concerned By Possible Nader Bid** *Washington Wire – WSJ*

[http://blogs.wsj.com/washwire/2008/02/23/obama-not-concerned-by-possible-nader-bid/?mod=googlenews\\_wsj](http://blogs.wsj.com/washwire/2008/02/23/obama-not-concerned-by-possible-nader-bid/?mod=googlenews_wsj)

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<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/23/AR2008022301816.html>

Op-Ed: **I Voted for Obama. Will I Go Straight to...?** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wpdyn/content/article/2008/02/22/AR2008022202380.html>

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**Texas Women, With A Strong Legacy Size Up Democratic Field** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/us/politics/24women.html?ref=politics>

**In Toledo, Promises of Change Ring Hollow** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/23/AR2008022302164.html?hpid=topnews>

**Deafening Silence on Energy** *Houston Chronicle*

<http://www.chron.com/dispatch/story.mpl/business/5564022.html>

**How Would Jesus Vote** *WP*

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wpdyn/content/article/2008/02/22/AR2008022202386.html>

## GOP

## McCAIN

**Files and McCain Letters Show Effort to Keep Loophole** *NYT*

[http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/23/us/politics/23lobby.html?\\_r=1&bl&ex=1204002000&en=ae0d714ce3b8d3ae&ei=5087%0A&oref=slogin](http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/23/us/politics/23lobby.html?_r=1&bl&ex=1204002000&en=ae0d714ce3b8d3ae&ei=5087%0A&oref=slogin)

**McCain's Age May Figure in Choice of Running Mate** *NYT*

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/us/politics/24mccain.html?hp>



**What the McCain Article Didn't Say** *NYT*  
<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/02/24/opinion/24pubed.html?hp>

**Seniors Weigh in On Young McCain** *LAT*  
<http://www.latimes.com/news/politics/la-na-seniors24feb24.1.6956189.story>

**Former Paxson Exec. Denies McCain Meeting** *AP*  
<http://www.nytimes.com/aponline/us/AP-McCain-Lobbyists.html>

**Rough Week Continues for McCain** *ABC*  
<http://www.abcnews.go.com/Politics/Vote2008/story?id=4334984&page=1>

**McCain Disputed on 1999 Meeting** *WP*  
<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/22/AR2008022202634.html?hpid=topnews>

Column: **The Running Mate McCain Needs** *WP*  
<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2008/02/22/AR2008022202173.html>

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**Without a Prayer, What's Huckabee's Next Move?** *Houston Chronicle*  
<http://www.chron.com/disp/story.mpl/nation/5564055.html>

**Huckabee Lingers on Set of SNL** *AP*  
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**Texas Governor Perry Publicly Urges Huckabee to Withdrawal** *Dallas Morning News*  
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Subject: Liebo's piece

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John, some time ago we agreed to adapt HRC's December RFK speech into an essay for a forthcoming collection on criminal justice reform being published by Michael Waldman and the Brennan Center (my understanding is that several Republican presidential candidates are also submitting essays). HRC asked that we layer in some of her other relevant comments and past positions, which we've done, while keeping close to the original so that it doesn't seem like a new official pronouncement. Would you like to take a look before we ship it back to Brennan?

Dan

From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <JPalmieri@americanprogress.org>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/27/2008 3:48:04 PM

Subject: Re: Comet Ping Pong and OBAMA...and Podesta?.

Good Lord. Who is this guy?

Maybe Comet Ping Pong would be a good place for a c4 fundraiser, too.

----- Original Message -----

From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: James A (Personal) <[jamesacorp@gmail.com](mailto:jamesacorp@gmail.com)>

Cc: Juliana Gendelman; Laura Nichols; Jennifer Palmieri

Sent: Sat Sep 27 22:22:15 2008

Subject: Re: Comet Ping Pong and OBAMA...and Podesta?.

I can probably get there around 8:30. Love to do somethind after politics and prose. Catch up on that early in the week.

On 9/27/08, James A (Personal) <[jamesacorp@gmail.com](mailto:jamesacorp@gmail.com)> wrote:

> John,

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> Hello. Some young lawyer type friends of mine are hosting an Obama  
> Fundraiser at Comet Ping Pong on Thursday Night and then watching the  
> debate. Should be about 150 people and they are raising between 25  
> and 35 thousand dollars. Would you be willing to stop by around 8  
> o'clock or so and make a little speech. They (and I) would be  
> thrilled to have you of course. I understand if you are not available.

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> Also, I saw that you are reading at Politics & Prose soon. What can  
> we do afterward? Would you like to have a dinner at my places?!?

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> Big or small. What do you think?

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> See you soon.

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> Yours, James Alefantis

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Date: 10/3/2015 7:02:19 AM

Subject: Re: biden

Quick update. Made a couple calls today

1. Mitch thinks the Tewes rumor is beyond false, and they are extremely close
2. Most of the outreach I have heard about is very general in nature. No specific offers on any states.
3. Most of the folks who would do a campaign from Obama world we have already

Have more calls today and tomorrow. Will keep posted

On Oct 3, 2015, at 11:52 AM, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

No worries

I am doing some calls to my former colleagues today

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 4:55 PM, Margolis, Jim <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)> wrote:

Sorry marlon. Should have included u

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**From:** Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)>

**Date:** Friday, October 2, 2015 at 5:54 PM

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**Subject:** Re: biden

Adding Marlon. We should make those calls to Obama alums.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 4:53 PM, Margolis, Jim <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)> wrote:

Heard a few rumblings that Paul Tewes would manage a biden race.  
Not sure how reliable. Not sure whether it is "IF he runs" or "WHEN he runs".  
So don't put much weight on this.

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Hi everyone -

Sending this draft of remarks for tomorrow in Alabama. This is a stump speech based on the op-ed that was approved this morning.

Thanks to everyone who has given input so far. We'll send a draft to the book tonight, so if folks could weigh in ASAP, that would be very much appreciated.

Thank you!

Lauren

HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON  
REMARKS AT ALABAMA DEMOCRATIC CONFERENCE  
HOOVER, ALABAMA  
OCTOBER 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2015

Hello, Alabama Democrats!

What a week! Who watched the debate on Tuesday?

I don't know about you, but it made me proud to be a Democrat. When Republicans debate, they double down on trickle down. They demonize immigrants. And for people who say they love small government, they seem to spend a lot of time talking about how the government should regulate and restrict women's reproductive health.

But you heard something very different at the Democratic debate in Las Vegas, didn't you?

You heard real solutions to the problems that keep families up at night. Plans to raise wages and create good jobs ... make college affordable ... keep our communities safe from gun violence ... defend women's right to make our own health decisions ... take on economic inequality and racial inequality ...

That's what the Democratic Party is all about.

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We should all be proud of what we stand for and who we fight for – hard-working middle-class families, immigrants and entrepreneurs, teachers and nurses, students and factory workers, firefighters, veterans, everyone who's ever been knocked down but refused to be counted out. People of all races, all religions, gay and straight, rich and poor, young and old ... everyone, every American, has a place in our party. That's what makes us Democrats.

And, I know our Republican friends hate to hear this, but it's no accident that America's economy is stronger when there's a Democrat in the White House.

Unemployment goes down. The stock market goes up, and it goes up faster. Businesses do better. Deficits get smaller.

Under a Republican President, we're four times more likely to see a recession.

And then a Democrat has to come in and clean up the mess.

Just look at how far we've come in the past six and a half years.

I don't think President Obama gets nearly the credit he deserves. Remember the mess he inherited? The Great Recession could have become a Great Depression. But thanks to the hard work and sacrifice of the American people—and the President's leadership—we worked our way back from the brink. Saved the auto industry. Imposed tough new rules on Wall Street. Helped 16 million people gain access to quality, affordable health care.

America is stronger, healthier, more prosperous, more free and more fair today than we were before President Obama took office.

Now, I'm not running for President Obama's third term. And I'm not running for my husband's third term. I'm running for my first term. But you better believe that, as President, I'll proudly carry forward this record of Democratic achievement.

That doesn't mean resting on our laurels. Not at all. There's still so much left to do.

We're standing again. But we're not yet running the way America should.



For most people, paychecks haven't budged in years. The minimum wage may as well be called what it is: a poverty wage. Many women are still paid less than men—and women of color paid least of all. The cost of everything from college to prescription drugs keeps going up. Unemployment for African Americans is still more than double that of white Americans. Student debt is still holding too many people back. In many states, quality child care is even more expensive than college tuition. And even though it would help working families all across this country, paid family leave is not yet the law of the land.

I'm running for president to change all that.

I'm running to give hardworking families a raise. To fight for small businesses that create jobs. To make sure that when a company does well, it's not just the shareholders and executives who benefit—it's also the people who work at that company and make those profits.

I'm running to make life a little easier for working parents. To close the wage gap—because women deserve fair pay. To defend the Affordable Care Act, and make sure everyone in America has access to quality, affordable health care. To put a world-class education within reach for all Americans, from early childhood education all the way through college.

Under my plan cost won't be a barrier and debt will never hold you back.

If you live here in Hoover and want to go to the University of Alabama, you won't have to borrow a cent to pay tuition. And I want to do more to support Historically Black Colleges, which often have to scramble for resources.

I'm running for President to end the era of mass incarceration. We can't keep imprisoning more people than anybody else in the world.

I'm running to take on the racial discrimination that despite our best efforts and our highest hopes, still plays a significant role in determining who gets ahead in America and who gets left behind.

We need to stand up and say loudly and clearly that black lives matter. And we need to go further. We need to take on the systemic inequities so many Americans face—especially people of color—in health care, housing, education, and criminal justice.

I'm running for president to defend the most fundamental right in our democracy – the right to vote.

I was over in South Texas earlier this week. It's a place close to my heart. When I was 24 years old, I went there for the summer to register voters for Democratic National Committee. I went with my boyfriend – this tall, brilliant guy with a bushy head of hair a beard, and a passion for Democratic politics ...

Now, the people of South Texas and the Rio Grande Valley were a little skeptical of a blond girl from Chicago who didn't speak a word of Spanish. That was understandable. But as I drove around knocking on doors, people welcomed me into their homes. I sat at a lot of kitchen tables. I drank a lot of very strong coffee. And I listened as people talked to me about their hopes and fears and dreams for their families' futures.

And even though a lot of what I heard was new to me, a lot of it was familiar. I met mothers and grandmothers who worked long hours for not that much money. They were a lot like my mother. I met parents running small businesses, teaching their kids the value of hard work, that everything good in life is worth working for. They were a lot like my father.

A lot of the people I met that summer weren't registered because they didn't believe their vote would matter. And that's not because they were cynical – it's because they had never seen anything to convince them otherwise.

I spent a lot of time that summer thinking about why voting is important. Of course, elections help determine the direction of our country. But beyond that, there's something special about voting. Something powerful and sacred.

That moment when you cast a vote – that's a reminder that you count. That each and every one of us counts. That what we do and think and believe really does have an impact on our future.

We may be up against Super PACs and billionaires. But Donald Trump and the Koch Brothers, for all their money, they get only one vote on Election Day, just like everyone else.

One person, one vote. That's what we believe. And no one should be able to take that vote away from us.

That's why we can't close our eyes to attacks on voting rights across the country. They don't just threaten the trustworthiness of our elections. They threaten what it means to be a citizen. To be an American.

In Alabama, without an ID, you can't vote.

Yet Governor Bentley and his administration announced plans this month to close 31 driver's license offices across the state. They just so happened to include every single county where African Americans make up more than 75 percent of registered voters. What a coincidence!

The closings will make getting driver's licenses and personal identification cards much harder for many African Americans, putting up new barriers to voting.

As many Alabamans have said in recent days, that's just dead wrong.

The Governor and his administration are insisting the closings had nothing to do with race. Maybe they really believe that. But the facts tell a different story.

The efforts to roll back voting rights in Alabama are a blast from the Jim Crow Past.

Fifty years after Rosa Parks sat and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. marched and John Lewis bled, it's hard to believe Americans are still forced to fight for their right to vote—especially in places where the civil rights movement fought so hard all those years ago.

Governor Bentley and other Republicans in Alabama have offered the same excuses we've always heard to justify laws that disproportionately affect people of color—or, for that matter, low-income people, women, young people, and seniors.

It reminds me of that old saying: "You find a turtle on a fence post, it didn't get there on its own."

Institutionalized racism doesn't just happen. People make it happen.

But for every Republican governor working to dismantle voting rights, there are Americans determined to keep marching forward.

I'm proud of everyone in Alabama who leapt into action to confront this injustice.

So here's my message to you today: Don't give up.

Keep marching. Keep demanding justice. Don't stop until you get it. You've got people all over America rooting for you and standing with you. I am one of them. And I will never turn my back on you.

It's time for Governor Bentley and the Alabama legislature to listen to their constituents and reverse the decision to close the DMV offices. Not tomorrow. Not eventually. Right now.

And they should do more than that.

Alabama is one of 17 states with no early voting. That needs to change. If a family leaving church on the Sunday before Election Day feels inspired to go out and vote, they should be able to do that.

People who serve time should have their voting rights restored when they get out. They're citizens, too. Nothing about having been in prison changes that.

Alabama should stop requiring people to provide proof of citizenship when they register to vote. It's demeaning, it's discriminatory, and it has to end. Too many people don't have access to their birth certificate or passport—for example, college students who are living away from home.

We should be doing everything we can to get more people involved in our political process, not turning them away when they try to participate.

And I'm not just picking on Alabama. This state is not alone in limiting voting rights. I wish you were – but you aren't. Many states have passed laws that make voting harder.

And since the Supreme Court gutted a key provision of the Voting Rights Act, the situation has gotten even worse.

Some people seem totally fine with this situation. They'd keep pushing our country in this shameful direction. And that includes many of the Republican candidates for president.

Jeb Bush says he wouldn't reauthorize the Voting Rights Act because voting conditions have improved since it was passed. As Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg put it, that's like throwing away

your umbrella in a rainstorm because you're not getting wet. If a law is working, we should let it keep working.

When recently asked about voter ID laws, Marco Rubio replied, "What's the big deal?"

John Kasich restricted early voting in Ohio after the 2008 election, when 77 percent of early voters in the most populated county were African American.

What part of democracy are all these candidates so afraid of?

Many of the leaders and activists who marched and fought for the right to vote are no longer alive to stop these abuses. But we are. And we have an obligation to act.

First, Congress should put principle ahead of politics and pass the Voting Rights Advancement Act. This bipartisan bill would restore the full protections of the Voting Rights Act.

Second, we should set a standard across this country of at least 20 days of early, in-person voting—including opportunities for weekend and evening voting. We should make it easier for people to cast their ballots.

Third, we should enact universal, automatic voter registration, so every young person in every state is automatically registered to vote when they turn 18, unless they opt out. I applaud California for beginning to implement a similar approach last week. More states should follow their lead.

These steps alone won't solve everything. But we owe it to future generations to fight back against attacks on voting. We owe it to them to make sure our voting system works for a modern America.

We need to meet this moment with the bravery and determination of those who came before us. It's time for leaders in every party, at every level of government, to be on the right side of history.

And once again, the movement can start right here in Alabama.

I know the challenges we face are daunting. We're up against some pretty powerful forces who will do, say, and spend whatever it takes to stop us.

So progress is going to take every one of us doing our part.

I'm a progressive who likes to get things done. I know how to stand my ground and how to find common ground.

Some of you might remember we had a vigorous campaign back in 2008.

President Obama and I went at it pretty good. And he won and I lost. Then, to my great surprise, he asked me to be his Secretary of State. He wouldn't take no for an answer – believe me, I tried. In the end, he made that request, and I accepted it, because we both love our country. And that's how democracy is supposed to work.

Americans may differ, bicker, stumble, and fall. But we're at our best when we pick each other up.

We've got a long campaign ahead of us. And this isn't going to be easy. But I've been fighting for families and underdogs my entire life, and I'm not going to stop now. In fact, I'm just getting warmed up.

So I'm here to ask for your help. I'm not taking a single primary or caucus-goer for granted. I'm building an organization in all 50 states and territories to help Democrats win up and down the ticket, not just the presidential campaign.

It's time to rebuild our party from the ground up. And if you make me the nominee, that's exactly what we'll do.

I've been around long enough to know every county and local office counts; every school board and state house and Senate seat counts; every single one. So we have to compete everywhere. When our state parties are strong, we win.

So I hope you'll join me, because we're building something that will last long after next November.

Together, we can make sure that every person in America—no matter who they are, where they come from, what language they speak at home, or the color of their skin—has the chance to live up to his or her God-given potential.

We can build an America where there are no ceilings for anyone. Where no one is left out or left behind. And a father can look his daughter in the eye and say: You can be anything you want to be—even president of the United States.

Thank you.

From: ["Michelle Obama" <democraticparty@democrats.org>](mailto:democraticparty@democrats.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/12/2016 4:41:16 AM

Subject: Let Barack know you'll be watching

John, I want to thank you.

Over the past seven years, and through the course of seven State of the Union addresses, Barack has talked about his goals and our accomplishments -- from passing the Affordable Care Act and bringing health care to nearly 18 million people, to replacing No Child Left Behind with education reform that works for American families, to taking historic steps to address climate change -- the list goes on and on. And none of it would have happened without your generous support, your unflagging dedication, and your determination to create change.

At 9:00 p.m. ET tonight, Barack will deliver his very last State of the Union address, and when he stands up to talk to Congress and the American people, I know that he'll be thinking of you and everything you've done to make this journey possible.

So John, I hope you'll be watching as our President lays out his vision for the next year and beyond. Our work isn't finished yet, and Barack needs you by his side for his final year in the Oval Office. Add your name to say you're tuning in:

<http://my.democrats.org/State-of-the-Union>

Thank you, thank you, thank you -- for all that you've done, and for all that I know you'll continue to do to keep moving this country forward.

Michelle

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Subject: Strawman Talking Points

I have tremendous admiration for the way that SEIU and its allies and the workers have catapulted this issue and made it central to the discussion in this country. As I have sat down with workers, including those who SEIU introduced me to, I have seen the workers who are putting so much on the line in this fight.

, I have been unflinching in my support for the right of workers to organize for higher wages and dignity in the workplace - from fast food to home care to airports. This includes my support when I have met with workers in person, but also publicly speaking out in support for the Fight for \$15.

Throughout all these conversations, I have been clear about where I stand - I support \$12 per hour - more than any of the Republicans running for president, and support a higher wage in the larger cities - many of which have been the focus for this fight - NYC and Los Angeles.

But I want you to keep pushing for higher wages, keep pushing employers, and keep organizing, and I want to support you on that. I meant it when I said I want to be a "champion" in this fight.

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Date: 11/20/2015 10:15:22 AM  
Subject: Larry Harris Message

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Larry called me with the below message--

No need to call back but thanks for taking Senator Coleman's call.

(Larry) is very interested in continuing once again to work work for HRC at some point. You should feel free to call upon him when you want him back.

Have a nice vacation!

Office number: (202) 663-8982

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Date: 11/3/2011 4:28:45 AM  
Subject: memo on possible WJC meetings on energy / efficiency / climate

Not sure what you think about this memo from about a year ago – and somewhat OBE – but would welcome your feedback when we talk:

MEMORANDUM

TO: President Clinton  
FROM: Ami Desai  
CC: Bruce Lindsey, Laura Graham, Doug Band, Justin Cooper  
RE: YOUR leadership on climate change  
DATE: December 3, 2010

Mr. President:

As we look ahead to next year, below for your consideration is a possible mechanism for you to continue to lead climate change efforts, via the Clinton Foundation.

The idea would be for YOU to convene a few climate-specific meetings with different groups of CEOs, and to use these meetings in advance as opportunities to incentivize the CEOs to come to the table with their best ideas on climate issues and also their perspectives on the challenges. This would enable YOU to connect the dots and better organize and advance these efforts.

Currently there is a vacuum in this space and a lot of people and organizations are spinning their wheels, but no one has had the vision or capacity to pull together the key folks to drive forward on solutions. This process would put YOU into a central leadership role in this space, and position YOU as a leader continuing to drive forward toward solutions.

We could structure this either as multiple meetings with groups of CEOs in different sectors (details below), or we could structure it as one large meeting with CEOs from multiple sectors. Either approach would require significant advance staff work.

If you so desire, this needn't be just about policy; it also could be about specific projects; and about city- or state-level programs that could be advanced even in the absence of federal policy improvements.

As a new endeavor, it probably would be more manageable to focus this process on enhancing the leadership of US corporations, organizations, and governments on climate issues, rather than tackling global issues, although the companies involved certainly would be able to share multi-national perspectives and comparisons. This process would position YOU on the world stage as attempting to lead the US in the right direction.

We could choose to announce and market this process to the media, or we could do it behind the scenes. I would recommend behind the scenes until we have meaningful deliverables.

At best, this process could help to identify specific policies that could be “models”; specific projects and business models that could be advanced; and some ways to start showing, cohesively and compellingly, that investments in energy efficiency and clean energy actually are good for both economic growth – and job creation.

At a minimum, this process would help us to better understand the key challenges and opportunities, from the perspectives of the corporations and organizations that have the capacity to help effect the most change.

Part of the reasoning behind this idea is that we have had a series of interesting meetings with private companies – Honeywell and Owens Corning, for example – and they appear genuinely committed to expanding the market for energy efficiency, but as you know are encumbered by a variety of constraints. Also, there already are industry-specific groups that are doing work to identify the needed next steps, but they seem frustrated that no one in a senior leadership position is listening to them or advocating for solutions in ways that resonate with the public, the government, the media, the business community, etc. The objectives of the meetings would be to spur private sector leadership, distill a consensus around specific goals, establish timelines for next steps, and develop mechanisms to scale-up successful models.

Below are possible groups of CEOs with whom we could convene meetings:

- Labor unions
- Real estate developers
- Transportation companies
- Large manufacturers
- Banks
- Foundations
- Sovereign wealth funds
- Private for-profit investors
- ESCOs
- Energy efficiency products
- Cutting-edge technologies
- Clean tech / renewable energy companies
- Environmental groups

We'd welcome your feedback. Is this something that we should explore further? Under the construct outlined above, some next steps would include selecting the sectors to begin with (from above, or others), identifying the appropriate companies or organizations in those sectors, issuing invitations and conducting pre-meeting discussions to determine the CEOs' perspectives on key challenges and opportunities.

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Does anyone happen to be able to recommend a disability lawyer in the Boston area?

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### Sen. Clinton's Campaign:

CLINTON, OBAMA EMERGE FROM SUPER TUESDAY IN NEAR-DRAW. The Chicago Tribune (2/6, Ohlemacher, 607K) reports that after Super Tuesday, Sen. Hillary Rodham Clinton "held onto a relatively small lead over Sen. Barack Obama. However, there were still outstanding delegates to be awarded in Illinois and Georgia, where Obama fared well." Clinton "led with 763 Super Tuesday delegates to Obama's 731. In Missouri, the race was so close the two candidates split the state's 72 delegates evenly." Overall, Clinton "has 1,024 delegates, to 933 for Obama with 2,025 delegates required to claim the nomination in Denver at this summer's convention." McClatchy (2/7, Lightman, Talev) reports they "split popular votes almost evenly: Clinton got 7,347,971 (50.2 percent), while Obama got 7,294,851 (49.8 percent), according to one unofficial calculation by Time magazine."

ABC World News (2/6, story 4, 3:00, Gibson, 8.78M) reported, "Super Tuesday was designed to produce party nominees; it did no such thing. Look at the Democratic total vote from last night. Barack Obama came within 45,000 votes of Hillary Clinton. 45,000 out of fifteen million cast. Obama won more states than Clinton last night. But they just about split the number of delegates at stake."

On NBC Nightly News (2/6, story 6, 2:40, 9.87M), Tim Russert said the Democratic race is "essentially a dead even tie. When you add, Brian, the states they won in New Hampshire, Nevada, and Iowa and South Carolina for Obama, it's 887-902. Add on the super delegates that Andrea was talking about. Clinton says she has 261 publicly identified, Obama says 170. That gets you to 1,148 to 1,072, 76 delegate difference. And we're almost to the end of this. Now, Brian, you asked about where we are going after this? Andrea pointed out to these states. There are seven of them, this weekend on Saturday, Sunday, and Tuesday. The so-called Chesapeake primary and there they are. If Obama who is expected to win those states gets 58% of the delegates, this is what I scrub out, 1,347 for Clinton, 1,348 for Obama. This is all speculation. But it just tells you how close this race is."

The CBS Evening News (2/6, story 4, 2:15, Reynolds, 7.66M) reported, "After the cheers died down and the flood of Super Tuesday data receded, a couple of potential icebergs have emerged. For Clinton, it involves younger voters. Nationally, she ran double digits behind Obama among those 39 and younger. For Obama, it was Hispanics and white women. He ran almost 30 points behind among Hispanics and lost white women by a wide margin."

The Politico (2/7, Smith, Brown) reports the "clarity Democrats so desperately sought escaped them on Super Tuesday, as both candidates found cause to claim victory even as one of them cemented her front-runner status." By winning "critical contested strongholds in Massachusetts, New Jersey and - most important - California," Clinton "showed big-state muscle and remained the putative leader. Decisive red-state victories in Oklahoma and Tennessee bolstered her assertions of electability." But Obama "proved the breadth of his national appeal and national organization in winning six more primaries and caucuses than his rival."

USA Today (2/7, Kiely, 2.28M) reports in the "all-important race for delegates to win the Democratic nomination, Hillary Rodham Clinton won 641 this week and Barack Obama won 633, CBS reported Wednesday morning. No, wait: NBC declared that Obama won the lion's share of delegates in Super Tuesday balloting, 838 to Clinton's 834." By the "end of the day, CNN put Clinton's overall total at 1,113 delegates to Obama's 963. Meanwhile, the Associated Press count had Clinton at 1,045 and Obama at 960. AP, which USA TODAY uses as the official count, awarded Clinton 784 delegates in Tuesday's voting and Obama 764."

The New York Times (2/7, Healy, 1.18M) reports that with "no breakout winner in Tuesday's Democratic primaries," Clinton and Obama "on Wednesday began fortifying for a drawn-out nomination fight." The "narrow margin in delegates, and the growing likelihood that it will remain close, prompted concern on Wednesday from the chairman of the Democratic Party, Howard Dean, who said Tuesday night that Mr. Obama and Mrs. Clinton should avoid taking the nominating fight all the way to the party convention in August." On the NY1 cable news channel, Dean said, "I think we will have a nominee sometime in the middle of March or April, but if we don't, then we're going to have to get the candidates together and make some kind of an arrangement. Because I don't think we can afford to have a brokered convention; that would not be good news for either party."

The Los Angeles Times (2/7, Barabak, Nicholas, 881K) reports, "With seven more contests over the next six days, Clinton promised no respite, despite a voice raw from overuse. 'It's going to be a mad dash until Tuesday,'" Clinton "told reporters at her campaign headquarters outside Washington. 'Not a lot of time to catch your breath. We are full speed ahead.'" Obama, meanwhile, "waved off Clinton's proposal for a series of debates between now and March 4, when Texas and Ohio hold primaries. 'I don't think anybody is clamoring for more debates,' Obama said, noting there have been 18 so far. His priority, he said, was 'to spend time with voters.'"

*Close Delegate Count Could Throw Race To Superdelegates.* The Wall Street Journal (2/7, Kronholz, 2.06M) reports a "nightmare" scenario for the Democrats is that the "party's bigwigs, rather than its voters, may end up choosing the presidential nominee." If neither Obama nor Clinton "manages to pull decisively ahead in the next few weeks, the nomination could depend on the convention votes of 796 party leaders, or superdelegates, who are free to ignore the preferences of Democratic voters." Larry Sabato of the University of Virginia said, "To the public, that looks like a throwback to the old, corrupt system of smoke-filled rooms." The "chances of that happening grew larger Tuesday when Sen. Clinton and Sen. Obama battled to a near photo finish in the race for convention delegates." If "neither candidate scores a knock-out blow and they head into the April and May primaries, political experts predict the race will begin focusing on the superdelegates, who hold 20% of the votes at the convention."

The Los Angeles Times (2/7, Hook, Barabak, 881K) reports Obama said "that if the contest comes down to super-delegates, those state and local officials who have the liberty to switch allegiances, 'I think we're going to be able to say that we have more pledged delegates -- meaning that the Democratic voters have spoken,' Obama said." The Times adds that later in the day, Clinton "told reporters her victories Tuesday showed that she can do well with young voters, rural voters in Missouri and in generally Republican states."

CLINTON LOANED CAMPAIGN \$5 MILLION IN RUN-UP TO SUPER TUESDAY. The Washington Post (2/7, A1, Murray, Mosk, 723K) reports in a front-page story that Hillary Clinton "announced yesterday that she had lent her campaign \$5 million, a remarkable twist for a candidate who raised more than \$100 million last year that came as she and Sen. Barack Obama continued to spar over which of them was the Democratic winner in coast-to-coast Super Tuesday balloting." Clinton campaign chairman Terence R. McAuliffe "said the team had raised at least \$13 million in January, and noted that figure did not include the loan."

ABC World News (2/6, story 4, 3:00, Snow, 8.78M) reported, "This month, members of Clinton's senior staff

have volunteered to go without pay. One aide calling it a show of solidarity. Late this afternoon, Clinton acknowledged she loaned the money to her campaign out of necessity. In January, the campaign had raised just \$13 million, compared to Barack Obama's \$32 million."

NBC Nightly News (2/6, story 4, 2:15, Mitchell, 9.87M) reported, "With the two candidates virtually tied for delegates after last night and a race not likely to end any time soon, Hillary Clinton loaned her campaign \$5 million in January just to keep up with Barack Obama."

The CBS Evening News (2/6, story 4, 2:15, Reynolds, 7.66M) reported Clinton "has loaned her campaign \$5 million of her own money to see her through the near term."

On Hardball with Chris Matthews (2/6, 7:50 p.m.), Rodger Simon of The Politico said, "There was one troubling sign that came from today. That was Hillary Clinton had to lend \$5 million from her own campaign, possessing the best fund-raiser in the world, Terry McAuliffe, who can get blood from a stone, but couldn't get \$5 million out of Democratic contributors. That really surprises me. ... They're not like the Romneys, the Clintons don't have super wealth. They put together money for books and speeches, but that's a lot of dough for them."

*Obama Campaign Said To Be On Way To \$30 Million February.* The Politico (2/7, Cummings) reports Obama's campaign "is on track to raise another \$30 million in February, sources close to the Illinois senator say, while Hillary Rodham Clinton's spokesman revealed Wednesday that she had loaned her campaign \$5 million." Insiders in "both campaigns say the growing financial disparity virtually ensures that Obama will be able to significantly outspend Clinton in the critical primaries to come." Even before "all the Super Tuesday votes were counted, Obama began airing advertisements in Nebraska, Virginia, the District of Columbia, Maryland and Maine - the next round of primary and caucus states - before Clinton did. His campaign has raised \$2.2 million in less than 24 hours, sources say."

CLINTON FRIENDS SAY CAMPAIGN SHAKE-UP MAY NOW GO AHEAD. The Politico (2/7, Vandehei, Allen) reports there are "five big reasons" that Hillary Clinton "should be spooked by the current trajectory of the campaign. Longtime Clinton friends say she recognizes the peril in careening between near-death primary night experiences and small-bore victories." The friends "believe she may go ahead with the campaign shake-up she had been planning just before her surprise victory in New Hampshire. Her team is girding for trench warfare, telling reporters that the nomination will not be decided until at least the Pennsylvania primary on April 22, if then." The "five big reasons" are that Clinton "lost the delegate derby," she "essentially tied Obama in the popular vote," she "lost more states," she "lost the January cash war," and the "calendar is her enemy."

OBAMA SEEN AS HAVING ADVANTAGE IN NEAR-TERM CONTESTS. McClatchy (2/7, Lightman, Talev) reports Hillary Clinton "looked forward Wednesday to distant battles in big states and Barack Obama eyed contests in the South and mid-Atlantic, as the two Democrats began what's likely to be a prolonged struggle to round up delegates and votes." A "patchwork of skirmishes across a diverse group of states lies ahead, starting Saturday in Louisiana, Nebraska and the Virgin Islands." Louisiana and Nebraska demographics "probably favor Obama - a large black electorate in Louisiana and rural blocs in Nebraska - judging by Tuesday's results. He also seems well positioned for next Tuesday's primaries in Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia, all of which have large black populations."

ABC World News (2/6, story 6, 2:45, Stephanopoulos, 8.78M) reported, "the calendar works much better, especially in February, for Barack Obama. Look at these states coming up this weekend and next. This weekend, Nebraska is a caucus. He does very well in caucuses. Washington is a caucus. He does very well in caucuses. Louisiana, a primary, but a very African-American vote, next Tuesday, the Chesapeake primaries, Virginia, Maryland and Washington, DC. Again, very high African-American vote. Hillary Clinton's best chance in the next week are the Maine caucuses, next Sunday. Wisconsin will be a battleground at the end of the month."

*Mid-Atlantic States Poised To Be Next Democratic "Battleground."* The Washington Post (2/7, Turque, Kornblut, A1, 723K) reports, in an above-the-fold front-page story, that Virginia will be "a major battleground" for Clinton and Obama in the next week, noting that Obama has been favored to win the "Potomac primary," but that Clinton advisers are "now mapping out a strategy that does not exclude Maryland and the District but focuses heavily on fast-growing outer suburbs such as Prince William and Loudoun counties in Northern Virginia and the state's economically struggling rural southwest, where unemployment is high among white working-class

voters." Both will attend a Jefferson-Jackson dinner in Richmond, and both have links to top Virginia Democrats. The Post continues to break down the candidates' strengths in the states different regions and demographics.

OBAMA SAYS HE IS NOT COMMITTED TO HOUSTON DEBATE. The Houston Chronicle (2/7, Ivanovich, Hem, 524K) reports that Barack Obama said Wednesday he has agreed to meet rival Clinton "in at least one more Democratic debate, but wouldn't say whether he'll come for one planned Feb. 28 in Houston." The Clinton campaign has "said Clinton has accepted invitations to appear on ABC's This Week on Sunday; Fox News in Washington on Monday; CNN from Ohio on Feb. 27; and MSNBC from the George R. Brown Convention Center on Feb. 28." However, Obama "swatted away suggestions that Democrats are that hungry to see the two candidates go at it one-on-one." Obama said, "I don't think anybody's clamoring for more debates. ... We've had - what - 18 debates so far. We are still trying to sort through our schedule. ... Because, it's very important for me to spend time with voters."

DNC PRESSURING MICHIGAN, FLORIDA TO HOLD CAUCUSES. The AP (2/7) reports that DNC member Debbie Dingell of Michigan "said Wednesday the Democratic National Committee is pressuring Michigan and Florida to hold presidential caucuses so the delegates they lost for holding January primaries could be seated at the national convention." Dingell also "said it's unclear whether either state would hold caucuses since they've already held primaries, Michigan on Jan. 15 and Florida on Jan. 29. She said the committee is asking the states to consider such a plan." Mark Burbriski, Florida Democratic Party spokesman, "said the party has no intention of holding another election." Burbriski added, "We've said all along that we're going forward with our delegate selection program using the vote on Jan. 29. ... We've got more delegate applications than ever." Michigan Democratic Chairman Mark Brewer said, "Everybody involved, the candidates, the DNC and we, need to remain open-minded. So if someone comes up with a creative way that meets everyone's interests, we can do that and get the delegates seated."

The New York Post (2/7, Earle, 648K) reports that DNC chairman Howard Dean "is pushing Florida and Michigan to hold new elections so their delegates can get seated at the national party convention an act that would snatch two disputed victories from Hillary Rodham Clinton."

CLINTON'S "INDIVIDUAL MANDATE" SAID TO BE GOVERNMENT COERCION. The Wall Street Journal (2/7, 2.06M) says in an editorial that Hillary Clinton and Barack Obama "agree on most policy issues, but that makes their rare differences all the more revealing. To wit, their running scrap over Mrs. Clinton's 'individual mandate' for health care, which Mr. Obama has now had the nerve to expose for its inevitable government coercion." Clinton's proposal "requires everyone to buy health insurance, along with more insurance regulation, a government insurance option for everyone and tax hikes. Mr. Obama likes all that but his mandate would only apply to children." HillaryCare II "isn't all about 'choice,' but would require financial penalties for people to pay attention, including garnishing wages. To put it more accurately, the individual mandate is really a government mandate that requires brute force plus huge subsidies to get anywhere near its goal of universal coverage."

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To be clear, the request to the WH was to ask them to facilitate the use of the State Dept. Ops Center. We've been running all of our requests, regardless of the agency, through the Deputy WH COS. I'm happy to call Daniel Smith, unless someone else wants to deal with this.

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## McCain Events Calendar:

\*\*\*This is the ProgressiveAccountability.org (PAO) events memo that offers information on upcoming McCain events scheduled in the near future. The following events are currently scheduled during the rest of this week. Additional events may be scheduled\*\*\*

### ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME

#### Mon Jul 21, 2008

11:30am McCain: Fund Raiser in Kennebunkport, ME

Where: Walker's Point Ocean Avenue, Kennebunkport, ME

Description: Venue: Walker's Point & The Nonantum Resort

Cost: VIP Reception and Photo Opportunity - \$2,300 per person, Private Reception - \$1,000 per person,

General Reception - \$500 per person

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President and Mrs. George H. W. Bush

The Honorable Susan Collins

The Honorable Olympia Snowe

The Honorable John McKernan

12:30pm McCain: Media Availability in Kennebunkport, ME

Where: Kennebunkport, ME

Description: \*Coverage Pooled

2:30pm McCain: Public Event in South Portland, ME

Where: 513 Broadway, South Portland, ME

Description: Venue: Maine Military Museum

\* Start time approximate, doors open at 12:30pm EDT

6pm McCain: Finance Event in Buffalo, NY

Where: Buffalo, NY

#### Tue Jul 22, 2008

12pm McCain: Town Hall in Rochester, NH

Where: 31 Wakefield St, Rochester, NH

Description: Venue: Rochester Opera House

\* This is a public event, RSVP is requested at:

<http://www.johnmccain.com/ste/eventrsvp.aspx?guid=327b32c2-f54a-4491-84cf-04a7cb4f7005>

5:30pm McCain: Fund raiser in Baltimore, MD

Where: 100 Light Street., Baltimore, MD

Description: Venue: Center Club

Host: fmr. Gov. Ehrlich

6:30pm Brownback: Reception in Washington DC

Where: 51 Louisiana Avenue NW. Washington DC

#### Wed Jul 23, 2008

10am McCain: Town Hall in Wilkes-Barre, PA

Where: 71 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA

Description: Venue: FM Kirby Center on Public Square

12pm McCain: Finance Luncheon in Wilkes-Barre, PA

Where: 59 S Franklin St, Wilkes Barre, PA  
Description: Venue: Westmoreland Club  
Cost: 250-a-plate

4:30pm McCain: HQ tour in Harrisburg,PA  
Where: Harrisburg,PA  
Description: \*Coverage pooled

6pm McCain: Fund Raiser in Baltimore, MD  
Where: Baltimore, MD  
Description: Venue: Center Club  
Host: Governor Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.

Thu Jul 24, 2008  
11:30am McCain: Fund raiser in Canton, OH  
Where: 1800 Canton Ave NW, Canton, OH  
Description: Venue: Brookside Country Club

7pm McCain: Speech in Columbus, OH  
Where: Columbus, OH  
Description: Venue: Mershon Auditorium on the Ohio State University  
\* Closed to public, open t o the press, Summit delegates and Livestrong Army members

Fri Jul 25, 2008  
12pm McCain: Town Hall in Sacramento, CA  
Where: 1230 J Street, Sacramento, CA  
Description: Venue: Sheraton Grand Hotel, Sacramento, CA

2pm McCain: Speech in Denver, CO  
Where: 1750 Welton Street, Denver, CO  
Description: Venue: Grand Hyatt Denver Hotel  
Audience: American GI Forum's 60th national conference. (Hispanic veterans group that advocates for veterans' rights)

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 12/5/2015 11:19:51 AM  
Subject: Re: Stories we discussed

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Fun day yesterday. I hope it was productive for HRC. My main observation is that her personal story of her parents that she ended both speeches with is really compelling. The audiences were enraptured. Really zoned in. People think they know everything about her, and they don't. The more they learn about the personal stuff, and things like the anecdotes I shared yesterday and others are doing as well, then there will be a greater appreciation for the fact she is fighting for them. She is really good!

Off to Nevada Monday for her. Coincidentally, I committed previously to doing The Daily Show Tuesday, so this stuff might come up then.

Thx for looking out for Kalen. As you know, she is wonderful.

take care

tom

On Dec 3, 2015, at 10:49 PM, John Podesta wrote:

> Did you get what you needed from Xochitl? She was pulling the background together. Thanks for doing this and have fun tomorrow.

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From: ["Liz Blanchard" <lblanchard@saban.com>](mailto:lblanchard@saban.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 6/12/2015 12:52:35 PM  
Subject: RE: Haim Saban

Thanks!

**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:51 PM  
**To:** Liz Blanchard  
**Subject:** Re: Haim Saban

202-999-0738

On Friday, June 12, 2015, Liz Blanchard <[lblanchard@saban.com](mailto:lblanchard@saban.com)> wrote:

Can you please send the best number to call you at that time? Thanks!

**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) ]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:48 PM  
**To:** Liz Blanchard  
**Subject:** Re: Haim Saban

Yup

On Friday, June 12, 2015, Liz Blanchard <[lblanchard@saban.com](mailto:lblanchard@saban.com)> wrote:

Ok thank you. Can I confirm Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at 830am PST?

**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:29 PM  
**To:** Liz Blanchard  
**Subject:** Re: Haim Saban

9:00 pst tomorrow is right in the middle of the announcement speech so Monday is better.

On Friday, June 12, 2015, Liz Blanchard <[lblanchard@saban.com](mailto:lblanchard@saban.com)> wrote:

Hello,

Haim tried to reach you. Is it possible for you to speak with him tomorrow, Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 900am PST or Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am PST?

Thank you!  
Liz

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From: "Lillian Choi" <lillianchoi@kirstengillibrand.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/19/2012 4:45:46 AM

Subject: Fwd: filibuster

John – There are too many challenges that need to be met in the months ahead – creating new jobs, strengthening the middle class and immigration reform, to name a few.

That's why Kirsten has teamed up with several other senators to reform the filibuster and ensure that the process doesn't impede progress.

Kirsten and her colleagues are committed to seeing this through, but they need your help to do it. Reform is being debated right now and your voice is needed to send a message to both parties that you want this done now.

[Click here right now to add your voice to Kirsten's and demand filibuster reform. It's time to stop the gridlock.](#)

This has been put off long enough. It's time to make it happen.

Thank you,

Lillian

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Kirsten Gillibrand

Date: Thu, Nov 15, 2012

Subject: filibuster

Friend,

It's no secret Washington is broken and gridlock is obstructing progress in the Senate. Critical issues like the fiscal cliff, making sure our veterans have jobs when they come home and taking steps to combat climate change are stalled as a result.

There's no silver bullet. But there is something we can do immediately to make the Senate work better: reform the filibuster.

The recent transformation of the filibuster into a political weapon used for partisan aims is unacceptable. Our times, our challenges, even our opportunities, demand more of us.

That's why I'm joining with several Democrats to call on the entire Senate to reform the filibuster now.

We need your support to send a clear, unequivocal signal. These issues are being negotiated right now. Will you join us – immediately – and add your name to our petition?

[Click here to sign our petition telling the Senate to pass filibuster reform so we can overcome the gridlock and get the Senate working again.](#)

Throughout the Senate's history, we've seen the filibuster used an average of two to three times per year.

But things changed in the last Congress, when we saw more filibusters than were used in the 1950s, 60s, and 70s combined.

The filibuster has a role, absolutely, but it has to return to being a reasonable tool. That's the way it was envisioned and we have the opportunity, right now, to get back to that ideal.

There's momentum among the American people and among the Senate for action on this.

You can make that plain to your leaders and help us get this done. I stand ready, along with a tremendous group of senators and senators-elect, to make this happen.



Add your voice in support of filibuster reform and we'll fight for you.

[Let the Senate know you want the filibuster reformed by signing our petition now. We've got to stop the gridlock and start working on solutions to our challenges.](#)

Thank you so much,

Kirsten

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From: "[Kjersten Forseth, ProgressNow Colorado](mailto:info@progressnowcolorado.org)" <info@progressnowcolorado.org>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 8/26/2010 9:51:05 AM

Subject: RE: Return the dirty money now!

 ProgressNow Colorado

Dear Friend,

A shocking update to the story of John Suthers' questionable campaign donations from payday lenders was published in today's *Grand Junction Sentinel*. According to legal counsel for Governor Ritter, the rules Suthers' office wrote to regulate payday lending would actually allow lenders to charge *more* in fees, rather than *less* as the law intended.

## Proposed payday loan rule 'absurd,' says Ritter's attorney

[http://www.gjsentinel.com/news/articles/proposed\\_payday\\_loan\\_rule\\_absu](http://www.gjsentinel.com/news/articles/proposed_payday_loan_rule_absu)

Charles Ashby, *Grand Junction Sentinel*

...Under the old law, those fees and rates could amount to as much as 520 percent per year. The new law limits fees to \$7.50 a month for every \$100 loaned, and an interest rate of no more than 45 percent.

In a letter to Attorney General John Suthers' office this week, Welling said one rule could result in fees and rates far higher than allowed under the old law.

"A borrower who repaid a loan ... would pay a \$60 nonrefundable finance charge (on a \$300, two-week loan) as well as \$5.19 in prorated interest, for a total 565 percent annual percentage rate," Welling wrote.

"Increasing the annual percentage rate from 520 percent to 565 percent would frustrate legislative intent to the point of absurdity."

An advocacy group, Coloradans for Payday Lending Reform, echoed Welling's comments in a similar letter, saying that's not what the Colorado Legislature intended when it approved the new law during this year's session.

If true, it's a blatant subversion of the legislature's intent to crack down on abusive, predatory payday lenders--and after Suthers took over \$10,000 from payday lenders during the time his office was drafting the new rules, this reeks of the worst kind of corrupt backroom dealing. [If you haven't already, please sign our petition demanding that Suthers immediately return donations he received from the payday lending industry while his office drafted these proposed new rules.](#)

<http://progressnowcolorado.org/SuthersPayday>

And the time is now to make sure your friends and neighbors get the facts. Please forward this email widely, and post the above link to your Facebook page or website. With each passing day this scandal deepens, and these protections for Colorado's most economically vulnerable citizens are too important to be gutted behind closed doors. Thanks for doing your part.

Kjersten

----- Original message -----

From: Kjersten Forseth, ProgressNow Colorado <info@progressnowcolorado.org>

Date: Tue, Aug 24, 2010 at 9:33 AM

Subject: Return the dirty money now!

Dear Friend,

Last week, nonpartisan watchdog group Colorado Ethics Watch called on Attorney General John Suthers to immediately give back a sudden burst of donations he received from the payday lending industry—donations received at the same time his office is drafting new rules restricting predatory payday lending in Colorado. What's worse, a legislative staffer has asserted that the new rules are not as strict as the law requires! The obvious conflict of interest this represents is very serious. Click below to [demand Suthers immediately return the thousands he recently received from payday lenders](http://progressnowcolorado.org/SuthersPayday):

<http://progressnowcolorado.org/SuthersPayday>

As the state's highest law enforcement officer, Suthers has the strictest obligation to remain free of conflicts of interest. According to the *Grand Junction Sentinel* last week, with further reporting by the *Durango Herald*, Suthers received over \$10,000 from PACs and donors associated with the payday lending industry in recent weeks. Prior to this, Suthers had never received significant contributions from the payday lending industry (*Grand Junction Sentinel*, 8/14/2010).

At the same time Suthers' re-election campaign accepted these donations, Suthers' office was drafting new rules governing the predatory payday lending industry, as mandated by the Colorado legislature's passage this year of tough reforms to protect consumers, and limit the exorbitant interest charged by these lenders. Limits on payday lending had been sought for many years unsuccessfully by ProgressNow Colorado and a broad coalition of consumer advocacy organizations.

After everything we have fought for to reform predatory payday lending, is Attorney General Suthers stabbing Colorado consumers in the back? John Suthers opposed House Bill 1351, and has continued to disparage the legislation as a defense against questions about his office's handling of the proposed new rules. But according to a legislative staffer interviewed by the *Sentinel*, Suthers' proposed rules are not as strict on payday lenders as the law signed by the Governor.

We can't allow dirty payday loan money to influence the judgment of our highest elected officials. [Sign our petition—demand that Suthers immediately return these donations from the payday loan industry](http://progressnowcolorado.org/SuthersPayday).

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Under the old rules, payday lenders made \$75 to loan \$500 for two weeks or less. That means the payday lenders had to exploit nearly 140 Coloradans to give Suthers his \$10,000. That's reason enough for Suthers to be ashamed, but to take this money while weakening the new protections that ProgressNow Colorado members, and concerned citizens around the state fought for year after year, would be totally unacceptable.

[Don't let Suthers get away with it](#) . And thanks for standing up for integrity in Colorado's highest public officials.

Sincerely,  
Kjersten Forseth  
ProgressNow Colorado

 [Suthers Payday Lending](#)

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/14/2015 6:00:00 PM

Subject: Guerra

Good duo Hillary first and then you on spin time. Congratulations....And Paris, how tragic and sad.

Gabriel

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/23/2015 3:22:48 PM  
Subject: Fwd: can you comment?

No benefit from being in this story in post on lobbyist bundlers who Hillary is disagreeing with

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Katie Beck <[KBeck@podestagroup.com](mailto:KBeck@podestagroup.com)>  
Date: September 23, 2015 at 6:06:37 PM EDT  
To: Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)>  
Cc: Missi Tessier <[tessier@PodestaGroup.onmicrosoft.com](mailto:tessier@PodestaGroup.onmicrosoft.com)>, Kimberley Fritts  
<[fritts@podestagroup.com](mailto:fritts@podestagroup.com)>  
Subject: Fw: can you comment?

Tony, wanted to flag inquiry from the Post below. Deadline is ASAP if you want to contribute. Could do on background if not interested in providing a quote, given our policy of not speaking to the press about clients.

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**From:** Ho, Catherine <[Catherine.Ho@washpost.com](mailto:Catherine.Ho@washpost.com)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2015 4:34 PM  
**To:** Katie Beck  
**Subject:** can you comment?

Hi Katie,

I'm working on a story about Hillary Clinton's remarks yesterday on lowering prescription drug prices and opposing Keystone pipeline. A number of the lobbyist bundlers who raise money for her campaign lobby on behalf of pharmaceutical manufacturers and oil companies, including Tony Podesta, who represents Amgen, Merck and BP. BP has been in favor of Keystone. I'm wondering if this is something Tony can comment on? What does he think about HRC's position on these two issues? Will he continue supporting/bundling for her campaign?

On deadline asap. We'd like to post the story first thing tomorrow morning.

Thanks,  
Catherine

From: "Shalala, Donna E." <dshalala@miami.edu>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 8/18/2015 6:54:31 PM

Subject: Re: Catch up

Ok

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 18, 2015, at 7:46 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

No. Out West. Back to DC late Tuesday. Up to NYC Thursday.

On Tuesday, August 18, 2015, Shalala, Donna E. <dshalala@miami.edu> wrote:

Are you in DC this Friday or Saturday

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 18, 2015, at 10:51 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure. Out on the road till Thursday.

On Tuesday, August 18, 2015, Shalala, Donna E. <dshalala@miami.edu> wrote:

Any chance for a catch up next week?

Donna

From: [urgent@thehousemajoritypac.com](mailto:urgent@thehousemajoritypac.com) <[democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com](mailto:democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com)>

To: "[John Podesta](mailto:John.Podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <[podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)>

Date: 1/28/2015 3:09:03 PM

Subject: a NEW lawsuit?

## **Add your name to tell Speaker Boehner no more lawsuits.**

Speaker Boehner is rallying the House GOP to authorize ANOTHER lawsuit against President Obama. We need your help before he wastes even more time and tax dollars.

**NAME:** John Podesta  
**PETITION SIGNATURE:** [\*\*PENDING\*\*](#)

### **UNBELIEVABLE!**

Speaker Boehner is back to his old tricks. He wants to sue the president AGAIN. Instead of working with Democrats, he's wasting our time and our money with ridiculous lawsuits. We have to demand that Speaker Boehner stop wasting our time with these pointless lawsuits.

**[But we can't do it alone. Can you click here to tell Speaker Boehner to drop the lawsuit?](#)**

Playing partisan politics is no way to lead in Congress. Speaker Boehner is trying to grind the president's last two years to a screeching halt and we can't let him.

**[Add your name and tell Speaker Boehner it's time to drop his lawsuit.](#)**

Thanks for standing with the president,

Stop the Tea Party

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**Date:** 3/7/2015 3:44:00 PM

**Subject:** Call – 8:00am EDT

Reminder that Daylight Saving Time will begin on Sunday, March 8 at 2:00 AM (moving the clocks an hour ahead).

Please use the following conference line for this call:

Sunday March 8, 8:00 AM EDT  
(202) 765-0457 // PIN: 55421

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To: ["Sandler, Susan" <ses@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:ses@sandlerfoundation.org)

["Sandler, Jim" <james@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:james@sandlerfoundation.org)

["Daetz, Steve" <sdaetz@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:sdaetz@sandlerfoundation.org)

["Knaebel, Sergio" <SKnaebel@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:SKnaebel@sandlerfoundation.org)

Date: 2/9/2015 2:18:37 PM

Subject: David Brock resigns from Hillary Clinton PAC - Kenneth P. Vogel - POLITICO

[http://www.politico.com/story/2015/02/david-brock-resigns-priorities-usa-action-115028.html?hp=t4\\_r](http://www.politico.com/story/2015/02/david-brock-resigns-priorities-usa-action-115028.html?hp=t4_r)

From: "George Petasis" <George.Petasis@law.georgetown.edu>

To: "George Petasis" <George.Petasis@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 1/21/2016 4:31:32 PM

Subject: STATUS OF GEORGETOWN LAW CAMPUS FOR FRIDAY, JAN 22 - SUNDAY, JAN 24

Dear Members of the Georgetown Law Community:

Based on weather forecasts at this time, the Law Center is planning to close tomorrow, Friday, January 22, at 1:30pm through Sunday, January 24. Liberal leave will be in effect for this period for all non-emergency designated employees. No classes will occur on campus after 1:30pm. (Many classes will be held online. See below for more information regarding these classes. If a class is being held online, the faculty will contact students by email.) All other activities and services, including scheduled events (student organization meetings and events, CLE, and conferences), will also be canceled after 1:30pm. The Library, all administrative offices, the food services operation, fitness center, and Early Learning Center will be closed after 1:30pm. It is expected that only designated emergency employees will be at the Law Center. After 1:30 pm, with the exception of Gewirz residents and emergency personnel, no others will be allowed on campus.

Whenever inclement weather impacts the ability to hold classes physically at the Law Center, the Law Center will use Instructional Continuity as the means to continue its teaching mission through the use of technology. Faculty will be receiving detailed information from Academic Services as to how to use the technology necessary to run classes online. If faculty members will be using Instructional Continuity to teach their classes, they will contact students by email.

For more information on Instructional Continuity, click here: <http://www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-services/ist/communications/zoom/upload/Instructional-Continuity-Guidance-revised.pdf>.

**By 5:30 am on Friday, January 22, we will notify the Law Center community with any updates to the closing schedule, as forecasts become more precise. Please be sure to check for updates.**

From: "Lisa Reed" <lisa@progressiveaccountability.org>

To: [blog-cabal@googlegroups.com](mailto:blog-cabal@googlegroups.com)  
[bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)

Date: 10/29/2008 11:25:38 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Tracking Update: McCain Statement in Palm Springs, FL 10/29/08

Hello All,

Unfortunately we weren't able to send a tracker to this event. But good news: we were able to capture the event via online-streaming video. Below are the notes from that effort.

### Big Highlights

- Says in Obama's "infomercial", he'll try to sell you something, such as tax cuts, energy policy without drilling, spreading wealth
- Says Obama broke promise to accept public financing

### Palm Springs, FL: McCain Statement 10/29/08

(The following is a transcript of the entire statement)

JOHN MCCAIN: Happy to be here at Baron Sign Manufacturing and Jerry Fullon (sp) and Sandy and all the small business owners we just finished meeting with here. And I'm always happy to be with Gov. Crist and Tom Ridge and Lindsey Graham and of course, Sen. Mel Martinez. And we just had a very good meeting. They know what I know that our economy in trouble and people are hurting. I've laid out my plan. One, I will protect savings and retirement accounts to get the stock market rising again. Two, I will keep people in their homes and fix our housing market. And three, I will create millions of high-paying jobs through tax cuts that spur economic growth, particularly for small businesses, which create 70% of all new jobs in this country. Now tonight, you can all look forward to my opponent's performance in a television infomercial. It used to be that only rain or some other act of god could delay World Series. But, I guess the network execs figured an Obama infomercial was close enough. As with other infomercials, he's got a few things he wants to sell you. He's offering government run healthcare; an energy plan guaranteed to work without drilling [chuckles to self]; an automatic wealth spreader that folds neatly and fits under any bed [polite laughter]. When you're watching this gauzy, feel-good commercial, just remember that it was paid for with broken promises. Sen. Obama signed a piece of paper committing to public financing of his campaign if I did. Twice, he looked American people in eye and said he would sit down with me before he abandoned public financing. He didn't mean a word of it. When it was in his interest to break his promise, he tossed it to aside, like it didn't mean a thing. He is the first candidate since the Watergate scandal to abandon the public financing system. And his campaign is now being flooded with hundreds of millions of dollars in undisclosed and questionable donations. His campaign has directly profited from his broken promises and because of that, the American people have to ask: What does the broken promise behind tonight's infomercial say about the value of his other commitments? This is what concerns small business owners and people all over this country - Sen. Obama's word doesn't appear to mean that much. When he tells America tonight that he's going to cut taxes for the middle class people will wonder if he'll keep his word because his record, his record is supporting higher taxes on working families. He voted 94 times for tax increases or against tax cuts. When he tells America tonight, he's going to cut spending, people wonder if he'll keep his word because his record is one of supporting higher spending, time after time. Whether it's Joe the Plumber in Ohio or Andrew the Plumber and Sandra the Signmaker here in Florida we can't even afford tax hikes Obama admits to. His tax increases are exactly the wrong approach in an economic downturn. I am committed to not raising taxes on anyone. Thank you.

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["Roy Spence" <roy.spence@gsdm.com>](mailto:roy.spence@gsdm.com)
Date: 9/23/2015 9:52:55 AM
Subject: Hillary Speech

I'd suggest Hillary prepare a major speech with the theme of "Why I Run", similar to JFK's original New Frontier speech. To be delivered at a venue such as the JFK Library. It can be a direct campaign speech or a panoramic vision of the challenges and future of the nation that is not overly campaign linked but serves the same purpose. No polls, no focus groups, no positioning, something big and exciting and uplifting that is her raison d'etre for public life and transcends the hourly news cycles and daily email updates....

I hope she is thinking in terms of what would be her New Deal, New Frontier, Great Society etc....something big and bold that paints a portrait of an America under a Hillary Clinton presidency.....

It need not be rushed, when it is ready it is ready....when I send you my second pope column of the week, my first was a call for Francis to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, my column in The Hill tomorrow ahead of the joint session is answering George Will's attack on the pope in the Sunday Post....but my litany of big issues the pope champions with Biblical references wouldn't be the worst road map, issue by issue, what a panoramic program might begin to look like....my only reference to HRC in the column was tied to Obama and Gore and the pope on climate change....but the broader issue schematic in the column offers a nice version of a policy roadmap that can be expanded into more panoramic terms for the kind of New Frontier big picture speech I believe she needs to give.....Brent

Sent from my iPad

From: ["Patricia Espinosa" <pespinosac@hotmail.com>](mailto:pespinosac@hotmail.com)

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 12/3/2015 10:37:01 AM

Subject: Greetings from Berlin - Guido Westerwelle

Dear John,

This is Patricia Espinosa from Mexico, former Secretary of Foreign Affairs. I am now posted as Ambassador of Mexico to Germany.

I would like to congratulate you on the hard work you have been undertaking!

I do not want to take too much of your time but wanted to see whether you can help me to find a way to deliver to Secretary Clinton a copy of the former German Minister of Foreign Affairs, Guido Westerwelle's book, which he has signed and asked me to give to her on his behalf. Is there any address where I can send it?

I hope you are doing great and the campaign is not too exhausting. I follow it with great attention and I am very happy to see so much progress!

Keep up the good work and warmest regards from Berlin.

Patricia Espinosa
Ambassador of Mexico to Germany
Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Mexico





From: "Quinn Campaign" <info@quinnforillinois.com>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 7/31/2014 2:32:58 PM

Subject: Not in Illinois

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["Zach Schwartz" <zschwartz@shangrila.us>](mailto:zschwartz@shangrila.us)

Date: 4/6/2008 7:55:45 AM

Subject: Interesting Article on Independent Expenditures

We're mentioned, but more in passing, because of the "McSame" ad.

http://www.boston.com/news/nation/articles/2008/04/06/soft_money_battle_brewing/?page=full

From: ["Roy Erickson" <roymanvsp@yahoo.com>](mailto:roymanvsp@yahoo.com)
To: ["Patti Paule-Carres" <paulecarres@comcast.net>](mailto:paulecarres@comcast.net)
Date: 2/3/2016 1:12:31 PM
Subject: Re: Lane 50th reunion

Damn, I figured John would be working 40 hours a day by then but if you guys are in so am I.

We are headed to Australia and New Zealand for 3 weeks just following that. Who is up for that?

Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 3, 2016, at 7:10 PM, Patti Paule-Carres <paulecarres@comcast.net> wrote:

>

> I'm in.

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

> Sent: Wednesday, February 03, 2016 6:22 PM

> To: roymanvsp@yahoo.com; Glenn & Patti Paule-Carres

> <paulecarres@comcast.net>

> Subject: Lane 50th reunion

>

> Are we going? October 15.

>

> Sent from my iPhone

>

From: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/13/2014 12:07:50 AM

Subject: RE: Skype?

I'm driving back from NJ, planning to leave early, so certainly should be able to skype around noon, if that's not too late for you. It will be nice to see you/hear your voice.

Love,

Mom

My 1962 classmates are having a so-called "birthday party" this afternoon marking the year we all turn 70. At a place on Lincoln Blvd – finger food, birthday cake, soft drinks and buy your own liquor – and I signed up. Ready to hit the road to drive up. Having dinner with Cynthia tonight to catch up on cousin stuff.

From: Gabe Podesta [mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, September 13, 2014 6:39 AM

To: Mary Podesta; john.podesta@gmail.com

Subject: Skype?

Your Sunday morning? I should be largely free so just let me know what works best for you.

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Gabe Podesta

From: ["William M. Treanor" <wtreanor@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:wtreanor@law.georgetown.edu)

To: ["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 1/14/2015 7:26:55 AM

Subject: Reminder: Luncheon to Honor Phil Schrag for Receiving President's Award for Distinguished Scholar-Teachers

Dear Colleagues,

I am writing to remind you of our luncheon today at 12:00 p.m. on the 12th floor of Gewirz. President DeGioia will be joining us in order to celebrate Phil Schrag's many accomplishments. As many of you know, Georgetown University last fall recognized the remarkable accomplishments of our colleague, Phil Schrag, in bestowing upon him a President's Award for Distinguished Scholar-Teachers. By this award, Georgetown honors faculty members from across the University who have excelled in both scholarship and teaching, and combined them in imaginative ways, over many years. When the President's Awards were given out at the last Fall Faculty Convocation, Phil was unable to be present. President DeGioia has generously agreed to come to the Law Center to celebrate Phil's accomplishments with our faculty at our lunch today.

Please join us to celebrate a great career in legal education – I look forward to seeing you there.

Best,
Bill

From:	"Tamera Luzzatto" <luzzatto@aol.com>
To:	"Pam Fleischaker" <pfly0846@gmail.com> "David Fleischaker" <david@jolen.com> "Joey Fleischaker" <joeyfly@gmail.com> "Emily Fleischaker-home" <emily.fleischaker@gmail.com>
Date:	2/8/2015 2:16:24 PM
Subject:	Of all things, I'm watching the Grammys

But it's not Bach so looking at my old photos and ran into this wonderful with Pamelissa. Which means sending skies full of love and happiness to ye all and ESPECIALLY to our Pam. Xoxo



From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: [H <Hrod17@clintonemail.com>](mailto:Hrod17@clintonemail.com)

Date: 5/26/2014 10:12:13 PM

Subject: Re: a little help please for VA.

I'll get this in the mix. Thanks.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On May 26, 2014, at 8:05 PM, H <Hrod17@clintonemail.com> wrote:

John,

I'm forwarding this offer of help from Ned Powell who you may remember from his time as the Deputy for VA during the Clinton Administration. If the WH is putting together a team to deal with the charges, Ned would like to be considered. H

From: Huma Abedin

Sent: Monday, May 26, 2014 03:14 PM

To: H

Subject: Fw: a little help please

What do you think?

From: Edward Powell [<mailto:emapjr12@gmail.com>]

Sent: Monday, May 26, 2014 10:42 AM Eastern Standard Time

To: Huma Abedin

Subject: a little help please

Hi Huma,

hope this finds you well. I need a little help, at least I think I do. I am not so sure why I am doing this, but after last night I just can't help myself. We went to the Memorial Day Concert. While I like to think of myself as one who maintains a good deal of self control, I couldn't help being overwhelmed with the sacrifice of our troops. And, as you know, my tenure at the VA was the beginning of my career here in DC.

I am beyond sad about what is happening at the VA today. I probably shouldn't do this, but then again, it is hard for me not to do so. I can fix it. I helped do it once before serving President Clinton. I can do it again. I am uniquely positioned to do so for a whole list of reasons. General Shinseki is a wonderful man, dedicated, and honest; but not the right fit for the VA.

If you would be so kind as to let Secretary Clinton know of my interest, perhaps she will see fit to talk with President Obama. I have tried, and tried to serve this Administration to no avail. Actually, I have given up. But last night has encouraged me to try one more time.

Time is of the essence here, though. The President needs to mover quickly and not let Rick hang in the wind. The Department will only get worse. The new Deputy, Sloan Gibson, was my successor at the USO and has absolutely no idea what he has walked into. No experience with the VA at all, so his effectiveness will be limited without direction.

Ok, I am done. If I can help, I feel compelled to try. Thank you. All the best,
<Signature(Ned).jpeg>

Edward A Powell
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10/18/2016

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From: "Foot Locker" <Footlocker@e.footlocker.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/15/2015 11:41:21 AM

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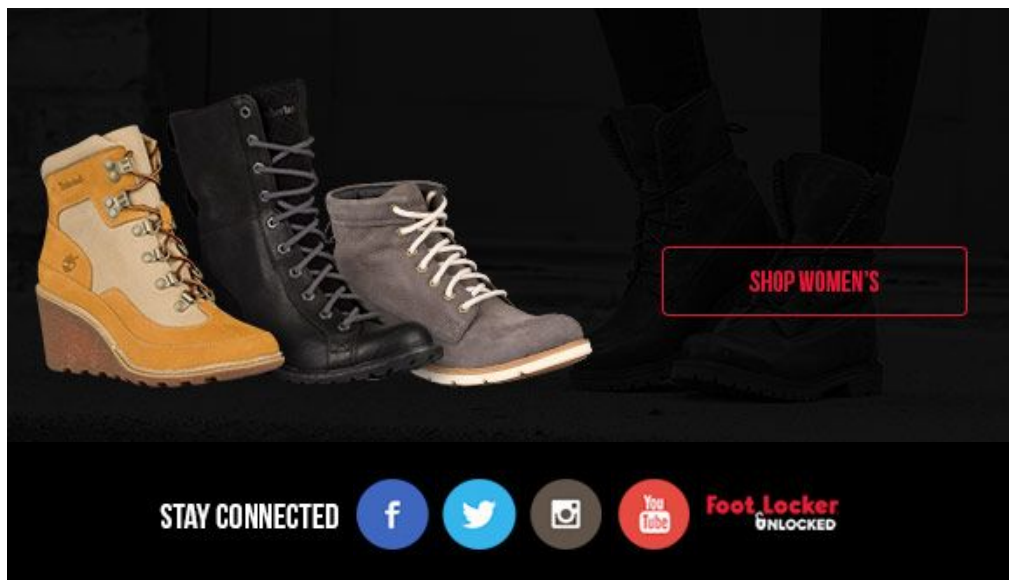
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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 2/18/2016 3:18:22 PM
Subject: That is preposterous



Dear John,

I'm not sure how to break it to the Republicans, but we had an election -- it was all the way back in the year 2012. Mitt Romney lost. Barack Obama won. They need to get over it.

But the Senate Republicans are still pushing this notion that President Obama should wait to appoint a new Supreme Court Justice. They say they want the American people to have a voice in the process, but newsflash... they already did. Otherwise they wouldn't have selected President Obama to serve another -- full four year -- term in office.

[That is preposterous. Add your name today to tell them to abandon this charade:](#)

ADD YOUR NAME

We cannot simply put an entire branch of the government on hold because Senate Republicans want to throw a tantrum. These petty, political games have to stop. Now.

Thank you,

Michael Beckendorf
Campaign Manager
Honda 2016

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10/18/2016

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

Date: 4/30/2015 12:46:27 PM

Subject: Re: Draft Letter

Roger. Thanks

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 30, 2015, at 7:14 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

for you two only at this juncture

On Thu, Apr 30, 2015 at 7:14 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

fysa

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

Date: Thu, Apr 30, 2015 at 7:12 PM

Subject: Draft Letter

To: David Kendall <DKendall@wc.com>, "Turner, Katherine" <KTurner@wc.com>

Cc: Heather Samuelson <hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com>, Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>

dear david/katherine

this draft has the benefit of my and heather's comments - does not yet have benefit of PIR's comments.

since this will largely end up being very political, it would be good I think to do a call with pir/jen and JP - if you agree I will try to pull that together.

cdm

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Chris Lu" <clu@barackobama.com>](mailto:clu@barackobama.com)

Date: 11/3/2008 8:59:02 AM

Subject: Fwd: Fw: hey

Chris,
I think you and Denis should take this on.
JP

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Denis McDonough <dmcdonough@barackobama.com>

Date: Mon, Nov 3, 2008 at 3:28 PM

Subject: Fw: hey

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Hey, John,

I know I'm like a broken record on this, but I think we should arrange a briefing on the cyber threat for all associated with your effort. We have a real security threat on our stuff here.

I would gladly work up something with our techie. We've developed a lot of expertise in this, unfortunately.

DM

From: Daniel Tarullo

To: Denis McDonough

Sent: Mon Nov 03 13:46:24 2008

Subject: Re: hey

I had never heard anything like this from either the campaign or the pre-transition effort and, in fact, have been receiving things of equal or greater sensitivity for some time from both sources. You guys are presumably much more likely to be made aware of such issues, so when the economic side of the transition gets named, you should probably get in touch with them to give guidance on this.

--- On Mon, 11/3/08, Denis McDonough <dmcdonough@barackobama.com> wrote:

From: Denis McDonough <dmcdonough@barackobama.com>

Subject: hey

To: tarullos4@yahoo.com

Date: Monday, November 3, 2008, 2:26 PM

Dan –

I was struck by the memo partly because it was first I had heard of it but much more because it was a sensitive doc bumping around on public email addresses.

There is a very real threat to the security of our documents (particularly sensitive ones like the one you worked up), and we need to protect them by at least encrypting them.

Thanks,

Denis.

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Jeff Gerth" <jeff.gerth@gmail.com>
"Brian Fallon" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 9/5/2015 6:02:10 AM

Subject: Re: finances/washington post

Brian Fallon is the best point of contact. Added here.

On Saturday, September 5, 2015, Jeff Gerth <jeff.gerth@gmail.com> wrote:

John,

Hope the summer has gone well. The national fissures seem a little like 1968 to me.

I've scoured the Clintons' tax returns and other financial documents and will be doing some work with the Washington Post in that regard.

Picking up on our chat a few months ago, who is best suited/most knowledgeable to be my interlocutor?

My timing is uncertain: an old pharmaceutical story of mine is coming back into the news with a trial in two weeks and I'm not yet sure what that means. Plus my daughter's wedding is in four weeks; full speed ahead there.

At my age I'm not letting the ball juggling overwhelm me, so I'm sure we can work out a mutually convenient arrangement.

BTW: are you aware of a forthcoming---in the next few days---massive examination of the Clinton Foundation by a conservative financial analyst? My understanding is that raises questions about the foundation's financial reports and its shift into areas---AIDs, for example---that exceeded its original authorization from the IRS. I'm not writing anything about it but curious if you have heard anything.

Thanks and enjoy your holiday weekend.

Jeff

From: ["Tom Matzzie" <tom@zzranch.com>](mailto:tom@zzranch.com)

To: ["Lindsay Shulman" <Lindsay.Shulman@one.org>](mailto:Lindsay.Shulman@one.org)
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["Bryan Fisher" <BFisher@gqrr.com>](mailto:BFisher@gqrr.com)
["Wallace, Laurelie" <lwallace@hatcreekent.com>](mailto:lwallace@hatcreekent.com)

Date: 11/21/2007 9:55:19 AM

Subject: Tuesday meeting--in-person

Susan and Paul have a Reid meeting on Tuesday AM. We need to find a time Tuesday PM to meet in person in DC and we can cancel the 11 AM.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Nichols, Laura" <Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org>](mailto:Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org)
Date: 1/16/2016 3:48:12 AM
Subject: Re: Have 5 min

Congrats

On Saturday, January 16, 2016, Nichols, Laura <Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org> wrote:

Ever so grateful, hope it wasn't too much of a stretch. It must have worked as I got an official offer. Haggling a few details but very excited esp to go back to some do-gooding. Have been missing. Good luck with debate. Assume you are buried but would love to see you when you can come up for air. Thanks again for your support. Xo

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 16, 2016, at 9:02 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Good talk with Fox lady

On Tuesday, January 12, 2016, Nichols, Laura <Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org> wrote:

So sorry to miss u - will be up late if u have a few min free otherwise I'll ring you after Evelyn's service.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 12, 2016, at 2:03 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure call you later? Best number?

On Tuesday, January 12, 2016, Nichols, Laura <Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org> wrote:

For a quick chat - may have a new job and would like to use you as a reference. Xo

Sent from my iPhone

From:

"Steve Glickman" <member@linkedin.com>

To:

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date:

6/3/2015 9:46:11 AM

Subject:

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Steve Glickman

Co-Founder and Executive Director at Economic Innovation Group

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 9/28/2015 9:42:39 AM
Subject: RE: WEd Mock

Can you do both? No prep needed, and I won't use you that much. Basically, as Chaffee, attack HRC as untrustworthy. As Webb, attack her as being wrong on foreign policy. I am copying Tony who will have someone write material for you.

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, September 28, 2015 12:41 PM
To: Ron Klain
Subject: Re: WEd Mock

Yes. Rather do Chafee. I won't have time to prepare.

On Sep 28, 2015 11:01 AM, "Ron Klain" <ron.klain@revolution.com> wrote:
JDP – Are you coming Wed afternoon? If so, could you do Webb/Chaffee?

From: ["Georgetown Law Events" <rsvp2@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:rsvp2@law.georgetown.edu)

To:

Date: 10/7/2014 11:58:30 AM

Subject: Reception in honor of Professor Don Wallace, Jr.

*Please join us
for a reception in honor of*

Professor Don Wallace, Jr.



and the publication of a Festschrift in his honor entitled

**[A Revolution in the International Rule of Law:
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From:	"Alexandria Phillips" <aphillips@hillaryclinton.com>
To:	"Alexandria Phillips" <aphillips@hillaryclinton.com>
Date:	6/5/2015 4:07:14 AM
Subject:	H4A State News Clips 6.5.15
Attachments:	IA Clips 060515.docx New Hampshire Morning Clips 06.05.15.docx SC Clips 6.5.15 .docx NevadaClips6.5.15.docx

Hi all –

Attached are today's State News Clips.

Regards,
Alexandria

Alexandria Phillips

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From: "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
"Marlon Marshall" <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 3/5/2016 6:26:48 AM

Subject: Fwd: WJC Sunday Schedule

FYI

SUNDAY, MARCH 6TH

10:45am-11:15am: Drive time to Greater Grace Church (17 miles, built in some cushion)

11:15am-12:00pm: GREATER GRACE CHURCH SERVICE (arrive, greet, remarks, depart)

12:10pm-12:30pm: Drive time to Greater Quinn AME Church (12 miles)

12:30pm-1:15pm: GREATER QUINN AME CHURCH SERVICE (arrive, greet, remarks, depart)

1:25pm-1:45pm: Drive time to Milestone Grill (17 miles, 17831 East Nine Mile, Eastpointe)

1:45pm-2:45pm: HFA ORGANIZING EVENT WITH SENATOR PETERS/MACOMB COUNTY

3:00pm-3:20pm: Drive time to Pronto (16 miles, 608 South Washington Avenue, Royal Oak, MI)

3:30pm-4:45pm: HFA ORGANIZING EVENT WITH LGBT COMMUNITY/ROYAL OAK

5:00pm-5:15pm: Drive time to Retail Stop

5:15pm-5:45pm: RETAIL STOP

5:45pm-6:00pm: Drive time to Retail Stop

6:00pm-6:30pm: RETAIL STOP

6:30pm-6:50pm: Drive time to Detroit Coleman Int’l Airport

7:05pm: Wheels Up Detroit (1 hour & 35 minute flight)

8:40pm: Wheels Down Raleigh NC

8:55pm-9:10pm: Drive time to TBD Hotel in Raleigh

RON: Raleigh NC

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 8/3/2015 5:29:06 AM

Subject: Re: TWEETS 8/3

Will have to shorten to something like:

New goals will address poverty, gender equality, governance, peace & security, oceans, climate change & food insecurity by 2030 (2/3) (143)

On Mon, Aug 3, 2015 at 12:24 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

IF we are going to do 3, let's add to the 2nd improve governance, address peace and security, protect our oceans, fight climate change & ensure food security by 2030.

On Monday, August 3, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

These are great! We'll just have to split them up into three separate Tweets. Will schedule to go out in quick succession at around 12:30 pm pt.

Great news on #post2015 sustainable development goals--the agenda to extend extreme poverty agreed to by reps of 193 countries (1/3)

New goals will seek to end poverty, secure gender equality & ensure food security by 2030 (2/3)

Kudos to youth advocates who lobbied governments for more just and sustainable societies (3/3)

On Mon, Aug 3, 2015 at 12:00 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Let's change 1st one to: Great news on #post2015 sustainable development goals--the agenda to extend extreme poverty agreed to by reps of 193 countries.

Then the 2nd one could be. New goals will seek to end poverty, secure gender equality, ensure food security by 2030. Kudos to youth advocates who lobbied governments for more just and sustainable societies.

On Monday, August 3, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I just checked in with Teddy/Katie and Lauren Peterson. They just sent up tweets for her approval, so I'll monitor and make sure that we retweet when it posts. They will also retweet you.

Would you like us to put her statement up online so we can tweet out the link? Right now it's not online.

SDG agreement has indeed gotten some press. How about:

I applaud the huge success of the #post2015 sustainable development agenda-- agreed to yesterday with the support of 193 countries (1/2)

This next set of hugely ambitious goals will seek to end poverty, secure gender equality & ensure global food security by 2030 (2/2)

On Mon, Aug 3, 2015 at 11:08 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

These are ok but we should do something connecting to HRC. Did she tweet? Can we retweet? A link to her statement?

Can you see if the SCG agreement has generated press. Should do something on that too.

On Monday, August 3, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

TWEETS 8/3

The #CleanPowerPlan is a historic step to fight climate change by reducing emissions that are dangerous to human health & the environment. (140)

The plan will grow our clean energy capacity while lowering energy costs for families. Read the fact sheet: LINK (131)

Tune in as @POTUS unveils the #CleanPowerPlan. <https://youtu.be/RQ6N8zN3RCA> (70)
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From: ["Scott Nathan" <scott.nathan@gmail.com>](mailto:scott.nathan@gmail.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/9/2014 2:17:43 PM

Subject: tomorrow's Chief of Mission conference

Hi John. I wanted to let you know that tomorrow will be my first day at the State Department. The process seemed to go on endlessly but, finally, late Friday the logjam broke and I was cleared to start. I will be sworn in tomorrow morning and will be able to make it to your lunch at the COM conference. I hope to get a chance to say hello and, especially, thank you for everything you did to help get me this opportunity to serve. Your guidance and support were crucial to me throughout. I'm very excited about launching this next chapter of my career. After I settle in, I would welcome the chance to get together to get your advice and see if there is any way that I can help you with what you are doing.

All the best,

Scott

From:	"Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date:	10/2/2014 8:39:18 PM
Subject:	Policy outreach
Attachments:	2014-10-02 - Overall Topics and Thought Leaders.docx

John, thanks again for brainstorming with me about energy contacts and “smart government,” both of which we’ll follow up on. As promised, I’m attaching our master list, which is very much a living document and aspirational, but reflects our current goals for outreach. Would love your thoughts.

Best,
Dan

From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: "Tara McGuinness" <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com>

Date: 2/28/2015 2:01:16 AM

Subject: Re: Dinner Sunday

We are driving back from NYC, 7 pm is great. Any delicacy you need from Little Italy markets?

Sent from my iPad

On Feb 28, 2015, at 8:51 AM, Tara McGuinness <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure! The earlier the better. The little lady starts down for bed around 8.

Can't wait.

Tara

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 28, 2015, at 8:16 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

7:00 ok? I think Leslie and Mary may come.

On Feb 19, 2015 8:49 AM, "Tara McGuinness" <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com> wrote:

Unfortunately Friday doesn't work either.

Next weekend?

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 18, 2015, at 5:44 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Friday?

On Feb 18, 2015 5:30 PM, "Tara McGuinness" <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com> wrote:

Would love to but we have family coming in town sat-sun for nora viewing.

Tara

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 18, 2015, at 12:15 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Dinner this weekend? Bring the baby?

On Feb 18, 2015 11:30 AM, "Tara McGuinness" <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com> wrote:

John-

Happy Ash Wednesday! If you are working from brandywine these days and need a break, let me know and the gal and I will arrange a visit.

I don't have a car but we do walk in rock creek, near pierce mill.

Hope all is well. Life is incredibly busy, savoring my days before my return.

Best to you and Mary,

Tara

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Stephanie Daily, EricGarcetti.com" <info@ericgarcetti.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 2/14/2013 2:27:07 PM

Subject: Before you leave to pick up flowers



John --

I'm sure you've noticed that it's Valentine's Day. While some people are skeptical, I think it's nice to take the time to do something for the person you care about. This year, wouldn't it be great to tell them that you are supporting a candidate who's trying to move Los Angeles, the city you both love, forward?

[Before you pick up flowers or chocolates on the way home, contribute now to support Eric's campaign.](#)



For the cost of a dozen roses, this campaign can buy two dozen lawn signs. For the cost of a box of chocolates, we can buy the supplies for a team of canvassers. Even the cost of a card helps this campaign.

[On a day when you take stock of what's important to you, I hope we can count on your support.](#)

Los Angeles is a city that we all love. Like anything we love, we love it despite, or even because of, some of its flaws. Eric is the candidate with the vision and the proven results to help fix the problems of Los Angeles. He can't do it unless you decide to invest in our vision for the future.

After the flowers have withered and the candy is eaten, isn't that a gift they will really appreciate?

–Stephanie

Stephanie Daily
Finance Director
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From: "Josh Shapiro for Attorney General" <info@joshshapiro.org>

To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 2/18/2016 12:59:36 PM

Subject: John, here's your Thursday briefing:



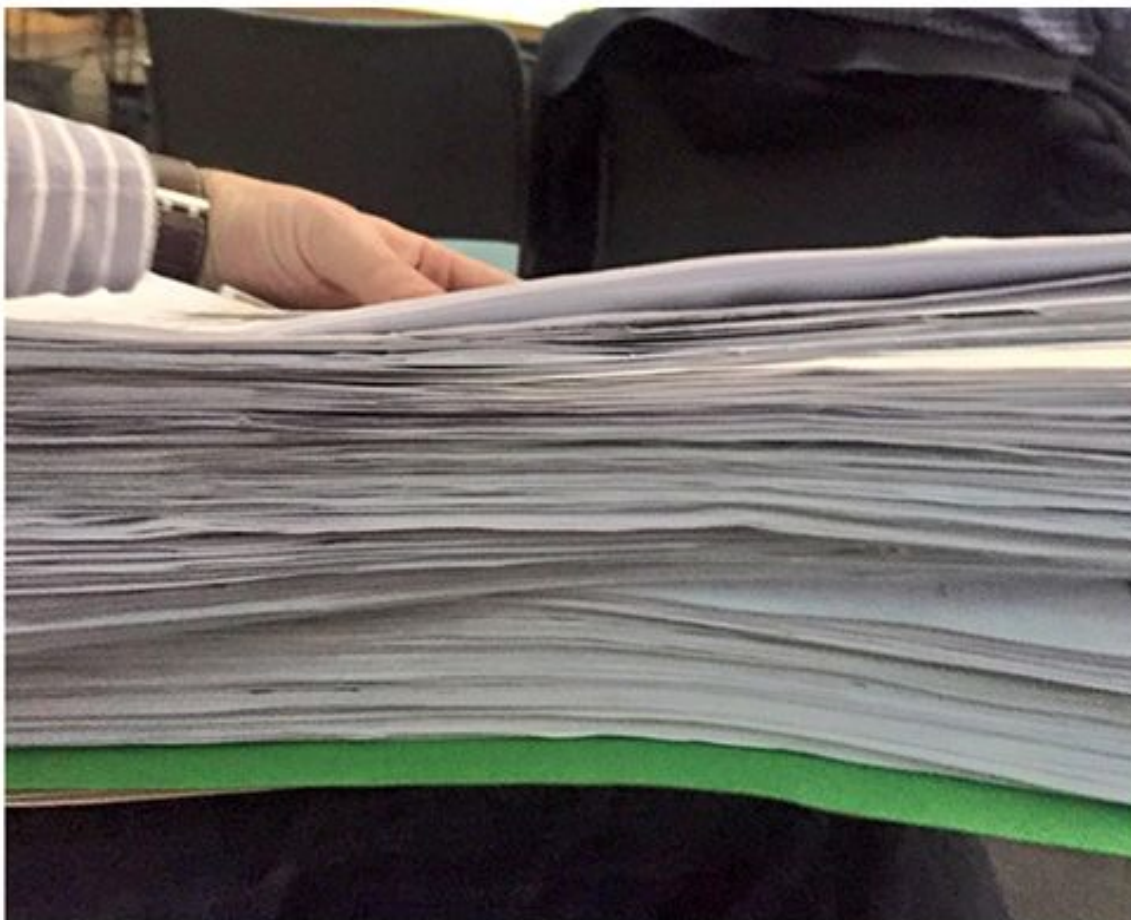
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From: "David S. Bennahum" <davidsol@gmail.com>

To: "Big Campaign" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>

Date: 9/2/2008 6:40:18 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Palin vetting?

Our reporter in Alaska has a stunning nugget... she's the first person to ask for the ex-mayor's records from city hall in Wasilla (!!!!):

<http://www.washingtonindependent.com/3867/vetting>

We're going through it all now....

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From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/14/2015 8:00:46 AM

Subject: Re: John may get pulled tomorrow morning

got it

YOU are still on for MSNBC / post debate with Steve Kornacki

Alex is on site at the debate, so will send you an email shortly about the plan, sounds like we have a green room a few floors up from the debate hall, and our staff ofc is in a different building.

so she's got a plan to gather you and all our surrogates for a huddle w/Fallon, post debate on way to spin room.

On Sat, Nov 14, 2015 at 1:27 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

We are trying to figure out what if anything she does.

On Saturday, November 14, 2015, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

You're off the hook for tomorrow!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Adrienne Elrod <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: November 14, 2015 at 1:09:08 PM EST

To: Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>, Alexandria Phillips <aphillips@hillaryclinton.com>

Subject: Re: John may get pulled tomorrow morning

John has officially been pulled from MTP. (But they would happily take HRC)

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 14, 2015, at 12:56 PM, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Any word on Robby?

On Nov 14, 2015, at 11:01 AM, Adrienne Elrod <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Just heard from MTP. At very least his hit time will be far later in

the show. Should know more soon.

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: [DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>](mailto:DMCOS@who.eop.gov)

Date: 8/14/2015 2:33:40 AM

Subject: Re: You back and around on Monday?

I can do 6:30 if you want to, but can come later if you have no reason to be there that early.

On Friday, August 14, 2015, DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Yes, back in office on Monday. Happy to meet early (0630?) for coffee or later up til midday.

DM

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, August 14, 2015 8:42 AM

To: DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> >

Subject: You back and around on Monday?

got any time to meet either early or mid-day?

From: ["Jolene Ivey" <jolene@iveyforcongress.com>](mailto:jolene@iveyforcongress.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/14/2016 4:01:43 AM

Subject: Happy Valentine's Day



Happy Valentine's Day from the Iveys!

Hope you have a lovely Valentine's Day planned!

We wish you the very best!

Love!

Jolene

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Date: 10/13/2015 5:44:49 AM

Subject: RE: FYI schedule of today's talkers calls - all in EDT

Updated Schedule below:

12 PM - Pre-Debate update, House/Senate Chiefs - **Amanda / Adrienne / Finney**

4:00 PM - Pre-Debate Top Talkers only - **Reynolds / Adrienne**

4:30 PM - Leadership Councils (political folks) / Policy (Ed M. groups) - **Reynolds**

6:00 PM - Womens Talkers Call (Mini's) – **Reynolds/Political**

6:30 PM - Grassroots call – **Reynolds/Digital**

8:45 PM - Pre-debate Finance call - **Robby and Dennis**

10:45 PM - Post-Debate, Hill and Top Talkers groups call combined - **Reynolds / Amanda / Adrienne**

**note - we need 3 take-away lines for post-debate press for this!*

Debate ends 11:00pm EDT

11:10 PM - Post-debate call for the watch parties and finance - Reynolds

Twitter reminder use: #demdebate

From: Christina Reynolds [mailto:creynolds@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 13, 2015 11:52 AM

To: Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> ; 'Robby Mook' <re47@hillaryclinton.com> ; Heather Stone <hstone@hillaryclinton.com> ; Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> ; Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> ; Adrienne Elrod <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com> ; Dennis Cheng <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com> ; Marlon Marshall <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com> ; Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> ; Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com> ; 'John Podesta' <john.podesta@gmail.com> >
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Apologies—and a Women for Hillary activists call at 6:00 EDT

From: Christina Reynolds [mailto:creynolds@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 13, 2015 11:50 AM

To: Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> ; 'Robby Mook' <re47@hillaryclinton.com> ; Heather Stone <hstone@hillaryclinton.com> ; Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> ; Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> ; Adrienne Elrod <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com> ; Dennis Cheng <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com> ; Marlon Marshall <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com> ; Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> ; Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com> ; 'John Podesta' <john.podesta@gmail.com> >
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10/18/2016

Subject: RE: FYI schedule of today's talkers calls - all in EDT

There's also a grassroots call at 5:00 EST, a pre-debate finance call with Robby and Dennis and a post-debate call at 11:10 for the watch parties and finance with me.

I thought I was supposed to be doing the noon call—am I not doing that anymore?

From: Sara Latham [<mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com>]

Sent: Tuesday, October 13, 2015 11:48 AM

To: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>; Heather Stone <hstone@hillaryclinton.com>; Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>; Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>; Adrienne Elrod <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>; Dennis Cheng <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com>; Marlon Marshall <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>; Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>; Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>; Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 9/24/2014 1:42:47 PM
Subject: WE'RE GOING CRAZY HERE, John

Simply put, we're in trouble John.

We've got less than 3 hours left before the banks close and it's absolutely crazy here at the office.

Ali and Jess are working the phones, and they suggested I shoot you an email and explain WHY we're going crazy.

1. House Democrats have FINALLY been able to pull even with the GOP in the generic congressional ballot.
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To: ["Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:aelrod@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 2/17/2016 3:32:12 PM
Subject: Fwd: Phone conversation

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From: WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com>
Date: Wednesday, February 17, 2016
Subject: Phone conversation
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Okay. No problem. But hope you are right.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 17, 2016, at 7:35 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I was there last weekend. Hard for me to be sure. HRC did some heavy hits with Dreamers. Emmy Ruiz thinks we are pretty saturated with Hispanic surrogates (Becerra, Dolores Huerta, Gutierrez, Kevin Deleon + HRC and WJC. We are way more naked in Texas so I think it is a higher priority to get someone of your stature there. Could be making a mistake but seems right to me.

On Wednesday, February 17, 2016, WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com> wrote:

Scheduled for Texas next week. Adrienne basically said you have enough surrogates in Nevada but I just saw poll re dead heat. I am willing to go to Nevada and perhaps do a Hispanic press conference (I am a telemundo contributor) and that's it to not disrupt the organizers etc. Wont be offended if I just do Texas but I'm worried re Nevada and Hispanics.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 11, 2016, at 8:41 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Bill

Was trying to reach you to see if you could do a Texas swing for us. Adrienne will make sure you get our points and can plug you into our top surrogate scheduling operation if you can free up some days.

John

On Thursday, February 11, 2016, WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com> wrote:

Since we are having trouble connecting , the reason I was calling was that I need someone to send me talking points and the campaign line as I am frequently on talk shows and the print press. I am also somewhat perplexed that no one has asked for my help in anything whatsoever. Maybe that is by design. Maybe you guys don't need any extra help given recent results. You don't need to respond if you're too busy. Just have someone send me the talking points.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 24, 2016, at 7:02 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Yes

On Sunday, January 24, 2016, WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com> wrote:

Are you available to talk on phone re campaign tomorrow?

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 9/24/2015 1:58:59 PM
Subject: Re: Update: Planned Parenthood

Yes. That's better.
Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 24, 2015, at 8:29 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Adding Jake on health care ideas. But I think it will be hard to do on this timeframe. We could do a Telemundo or other Hispanic outlet interview on health care.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 24, 2015, at 7:59 PM, Alex Hornbrook <ahornbrook@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Amy Taylor just called me back. After consulting with their lawyers and discussing further internally they are now NOT comfortable moving forward with the event on Monday. Cecile is testifying before Congress on Tuesday and will be highlighting how their health work is not related to their political activity. She is even highlighting an affiliate in CA (though not the one HRC would visit). They are still very enthusiastic about the concept but do not feel like this is the right time for this event. Looks like we are back to the drawing board for Monday morning. Given the short time line I think we will need to stick with something in the small meeting / OTR family of events. Is there value in reconsidering a tech related meeting or are there ideas in the healthcare space that would be feasible to pull off in this timeframe?

On Thursday, September 24, 2015, Alex Hornbrook <ahornbrook@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Just spoke with Amy. She is just consulting their lawyers to make sure we know all the rules but is on board with the kind of event we are envisioning.

On Thu, Sep 24, 2015 at 5:38 PM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
excellent

On Thu, Sep 24, 2015 at 5:37 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
yep - that's what I pulled Alex from your office about

John spoke to Cecile, she was thrilled with the idea
he didn't promise we'd do, said we were thinking about it, had time on monday
probably only an hour / described the roundtable etc and asked for contact so our advance
team etc could figure it out

On Thu, Sep 24, 2015 at 5:31 PM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
they say yes?

On Thu, Sep 24, 2015 at 5:29 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
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From: "Cecile Richards" <cecile.richards@ppfa.org>
Date: Sep 24, 2015 5:21 PM
Subject: Amy Taylor
To: "John Podesta" <John.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc:

This is the person at Planned Parenthood Action Fund to reach out to.



From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: ricesusane@aol.com
Date: 6/19/2008 8:50:17 AM
Subject: Re: Obama/National Security

Happy to talk by phone.

On 6/19/08, ricesusane@aol.com <ricesusane@aol.com> wrote:

I bummed but I understand. Gayle will backfill you and as soon as you can, we will want you fully engaged. Perhaps we can also chat soon by phone?

Many thanks

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: Ricesusane@aol.com <Ricesusane@aol.com>
Sent: Thu, 19 Jun 2008 3:24 pm
Subject: Re: Obama/National Security

Susan,

I think it is better if I pass today and clean up the matters we discussed which I am in the process of doing, but keep me on the list.

John

On 6/16/08, Ricesusane@aol.com <Ricesusane@aol.com> wrote:

I hope you will be able to join us for a private discussion on campaign strategy and national security issues.

The initial meeting will take place this coming Thursday, June 19, 5-6:30 pm at the offices of the Albright Group --1101 New York Ave NW (really 1101 "I" St) suite 900 phone.

Wendy Sherman, who is providing the space, can be reached at 202-842-7222, if need be.

Please let me know if you will attend.

Many thanks,

Susan Rice

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From:	"Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date:	1/12/2015 4:27:00 PM
Subject:	Values--Draft
Attachments:	Team Values.docx

Stiill needs some work, but it's getting there...

From: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 9/26/2015 1:10:24 AM
Subject: Just got a call from DEK

Can we talk? If so can we dial in at 830am at 605-475-4700; code 30684&

cdm

From: ["Bonnie Rubin" <brubin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:brubin@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)
["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)
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["Karen Finney" <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:kfinney@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 2/23/2016 8:22:59 AM

Subject: 8:20pm ET Call with HRC Today

Hi All,

We'd like to have a call with HRC at **8:20pm ET** today to prepare for tonight's CNN Town Hall.

Dial-In: 718-406-9705

Participant Code: 14417

Thanks!

Bonnie

Bonnie Rubin

Hillary for America

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From: ["President Barack Obama" <info@barackobama.com>](mailto:info@barackobama.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/26/2009 10:37:48 AM

Subject: My Supreme Court nominee

John --

I am proud to announce my nominee for the next Justice of the United States Supreme Court: Judge Sonia Sotomayor.

This decision affects us all -- and so it must involve us all. I've recorded a special message to personally introduce Judge Sotomayor and explain why I'm so confident she will make an excellent Justice.

[Please watch the video, and then pass this note on to friends and family to include them in this historic moment.](#)



Judge Sotomayor has lived the America Dream. Born and raised in a South Bronx housing project, she distinguished herself in academia and then as a hard-charging New York District Attorney.

Judge Sotomayor has gone on to earn bipartisan acclaim as one of America's finest legal minds. As a Supreme Court Justice, she would bring more federal judicial experience to the Supreme Court than any Justice in 100 years. Judge Sotomayor would show fidelity to our Constitution and draw on a common-sense understanding of how the law affects our day-to-day lives.

A nomination for a lifetime appointment to the highest court in the land is one of the most important decisions a President can make. And the discussions that follow will be among the most important we have as a nation. You can begin the conversation today by watching this special message and then passing it on:

<http://my.barackobama.com/SupremeCourt>

Thank you,

President Barack Obama

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"John Anzalone" <john@algpolling.com>
"David Binder" <David@db-research.com>

Date: 1/19/2016 3:30:12 PM

Subject: RE: UPDATE -- new outline - 430pm

Mandy and I were on phone when this came through so she was sending some small comments from both of us. .

This is very good.

From: Dan Schwerin [mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Tuesday, January 19, 2016 4:49 PM

To: Mandy Grunwald; Jim Margolis; Joel Benenson; John Podesta; Huma Abedin; Jennifer Palmieri; Jake Sullivan; Robby Mook; Oren Shur; John Anzalone; David Binder

Subject: Re: UPDATE -- new outline - 430pm

After getting feedback from WJC, Jake, Mandy, and Binder, I've filled this out considerably. Please take a final look before we send forward to HRC/WJC.

Thanks

Dan

On Tue, Jan 19, 2016 at 1:29 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Circling back around with everyone for an update. After further discussions here this morning, folks came to two conclusions: First, that we should back off the explicit revolution language because it will get us into a fight we don't want; second, that we need to give her a full argument and a new speech, not a brief insert. We then sketched out the attached outline. I'm going to fill in some of the language with the goal of getting her a more robust document later this afternoon (although still an outline). Could everyone take a look and weigh in now on the direction and argument? And I'll recirculate before sending to her in a couple hours?

Thanks very much.

Dan

From: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Karen Finney" <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:kfinney@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 10/30/2015 2:39:36 AM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: Atlanta Rally - revised

its in there on page 10, but just one line for now.

On Fri, Oct 30, 2015 at 9:38 AM, Karen Finney <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Beautiful.

Love the line about kitchen table to peace table.

Did the editor in chief not want to say anything about guns? (Or did I totally miss it?)

Sent from my iPhone

> On Oct 30, 2015, at 9:21 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> The Secretary wanted to rework this speech so here's a new draft. If possible, would love comments in next hour pls.

> MAYA/JAKE/COREY, pls take a close look at ban the box and rest of policy section.

> <2015-10-30 Atlanta rally - 9am.docx>

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)
Date: 5/22/2015 12:59:05 PM
Subject: Re: Do you honestly want me to do a fundraiser in Japan?

Yup. Glenn can organize.

On May 22, 2015 5:08 PM, "Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

From: ["Jesse Lehrich" <jlehrich@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jlehrich@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["HRC Rapid" <hrcrapid@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:hrcrapid@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 7/16/2015 3:48:21 PM

Subject: July 16th Nightly Press Traffic Summary

July 16th Nightly Press Traffic Summary

- There are a bunch of FEC stories in the works after last night's release of our numbers, including:
 - Rebecca Ballhaus (WSJ) is writing on the overlap between our campaign bundlers and Clinton Foundation donors.
 - Matea Gold and Anne Gearan (WaPo) are doing a piece on how we spent our money in our first quarter as a campaign.
 - Peter Nicholas (WSJ) is doing a comparison of how we spent our money as compared to the Sanders campaign.
 - Bloomberg is doing a piece on our willingness to take money from lobbyists, especially from those with ties to organizations like Monsanto that may create tension with our positions.
 - Fredreka Schouten (USA Today) is writing on the fact that a handful of campaigns, us included, seem to be having difficulty attracting small dollar donors
 - Tarini Parti (Politico) is also writing about our difficulties with low-dollar donors
- Amy Chozick is working on a story about Hillary Clinton's father and where he fits into her narrative in this campaign
- The Des Moines Register will run a story tonight about the state's only two statewide Democratic elected officials (AG and treasurer) endorsing Hillary Clinton
- Maggie Haberman is doing a piece on Ready For Hillary staffers that thought they would get jobs on the campaign, but didn't end up being hired.
- Cosmo is giving our Latino outreach director, Lorella Praeli one of their annual "Fun Fearless Latina" awards. They'll be interviewing her about her experience.
- Arelis Hernandez (WaPo) is working on a story about Hillary Clinton registering voters in Texas in the early 70s.
- Sam Frizell (TIME) is doing a story about how union leadership may be lining up behind Hillary Clinton, but there is less enthusiastic support among rank-and-file members.
- Other outstanding stories include:
 - Los Angeles Times on Amanda Renteria and the Latino vote
 - Ben Geman on Hillary/climate change
 - David Freedlander profile on Dennis Cheng
 - CNN's long-form story about Hillary Clinton/Bernie Sanders' appeal to minority communities
 - Sarah Ellison from Vanity Fair on Hillary Clinton's advisors
 - Eric Garcia on Fernando Rajiv
 - Laura Meckler on our organizing process

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From: "Ken Mehlman" <Ken.Mehlman@kkcr.com>

To: "Anna James" <aj66@nyu.edu>
"John Podesta \"(John.podesta@gmail.com)\" <John.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/14/2015 8:27:37 AM

Subject: Last night

Your mom/boss did really well last night. She obviously prepared well and thoughtfully. Know your inboxes are inundated with people telling you things so positive feedback is always nice too. Hope you are all having nice days

Ken

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To: ["Gary HIRSHBERG" <GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com>](mailto:GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com)
Date: 2/7/2016 2:31:25 PM
Subject: Re: Monday night's rally at Alvirne

Hi Gary,

The program is fairly set with regard to introduction, but we would be grateful if you would be willing to speak to the audience. Would you be available to do that? It would set the right tone and send the right message as you describe.

Let me know if that is possible and we will work with you on remarks etc.

Thank you for everything you have done for us.

-Mike

On Sun, Feb 7, 2016 at 8:38 PM, Gary HIRSHBERG <GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com> wrote:

Hi John and Mike, I just found out that there's a last minute rally being organized for Monday night in Hudson. I want to offer to kick off the rally with a spirited introduction if you'd like. I think it would be very smart on this final night for the campaign to have one of NH's best known progressives introduce her with the obvious message being that "what's really progressive is electing the first woman president". I do think it would get some attention to have me do it. Let me know. Gh

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

Date: 7/27/2015 2:51:34 PM

Subject: Re: Follow up from Valerie

Ok, back to plan A, right?

On Jul 27, 2015 4:54 PM, "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

"I think that the folks who came up with the idea just weren't focusing on how busy he is. Please tell him not to give it a second thought. But I appreciate his willingness to do it if it was important to us. Definitely not."

Sorry--PPO made it sound like this was Valerie's idea (not the first time someone has played that card though).

From: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 8/9/2015 11:28:29 AM

Subject: Re: Nightly Labor Update

I'm going to circle back with Tony tonight to find that out (about HRC praise). I would be wary of trying to attack them as fringe but I think pointing out the nurse support we do have (I'll have that ready with AFT) and HRC's record should help. But you know the press will love this story. Finding a creative way to shake it I think is worth the effort.

On Sun, Aug 9, 2015 at 6:24 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

On the nurses--can we be ready w background for the press team on how fringe they are? Also have they praised HRC before?

> On Aug 9, 2015, at 6:21 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> National Nurses United

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Nikki Budzinski
Labor Outreach Director
Hillary for America
646-854-1442 (direct)

From: "Stephanie Hannon" <hannon@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 9/1/2015 3:32:23 AM

Subject: Re: [Update] 10AM Daily Senior Staff Meeting

Alex and I are on the conf line, if someone dials in from the room :)

On Tue, Sep 1, 2015 at 10:31 AM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
This is starting now. Apologies for time bumping around.

On Sep 1, 2015, at 10:21 AM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

This will start at 10:30am. Thanks.

On Tue, Sep 1, 2015 at 9:57 AM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
UPDATE: This meeting will start at 10:15am at the earliest.

I'll send an email when we are ready to convene. Apologies!

On Tue, Sep 1, 2015 at 9:53 AM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
See below for the action items to be discussed during today's 10AM Senior Staff Meeting. Thanks!

Senior Staff			
Who	Action Item	Status	Due Date
Tony	Circulate Video of DNC Meeting Speech	DONE	
Marlon/Kate	Women for Hillary Launch: Circulate Plan (including surrogates/endorsements)	DONE	
Marlon/Heather	Women for Hillary Briefing on 9/1 Agenda	DONE	
Adrienne/Marlon	Memo to HRC -- Top 10-15 Surrogate Target List for Media (including local media)		
Adrienne	Send Talkers Petraeus op-ed, with Heads Up re Email Release	DONE	
Huma/Marlon	Amanda to join Dick Ravitch Call with HRC re: PR	DONE	
Marc	Marc to follow up on Missouri JFA		
Beth	JFA Meeting re: Budget Specifics	DONE	
Elan/Marlon	Call with NH re: new model when released		9/4/2015
Marlon	Shift JFA Calls to "half-day" cycles	DONE	
Marlon	Follow up with Andrew Brown re: VAN	DONE	
Marc	Groundwork Contract Signed by next Tuesday		9/8/2015

On Tue, Sep 1, 2015 at 8:19 AM, <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Dear all,

Today's Senior Staff meeting will be at 10AM. Thanks!

Kate

Daily Senior Staff Meeting

Link to Department Update Slides:
<https://docs.google.com/a/hillaryclinton.com/presentation/d/1C9iszQGILL7nT9ldSOt49AhDcyMucIhkA6BZ9Yf9jAwY/edit?usp=sharing>

Purpose: Flagging major issues, department daily updates and needs.

Agenda:
1. Robby's major issues
2. Major issues today
3. Department updates

When	Tue Sep 1, 2015 9am – 9:30am Eastern Time
Where	Iowa Conference Room / or Dial-In Number: (718) 766-5165 (no pin) (map)
Who	• Robby Mock - organizer • Marissa Astor - creator • Oren Shur • Beth Jones • Elan Kriegel • Jennifer Palmieri • Amanda Renteria • hstone@hillaryclinton.com • Huma Abedin • Brian Fallon • Kristina Schake • charlie.baker@deweysquare.com • marlon marshall • Charles Baker • Dennis Cheng • Karen Finney • Katie Dowd • Teddy Goff • Jake Sullivan • jake.sullivan@gmail.com • Lona Valmoro • John Podesta • Tracey Lewis • Tony Carrk • ahornbrook@hillaryclinton.com • Marc Elias • Christina Reynolds • Stephanie Hannon • Maya Harris • aoleary@hillaryclinton.com • lbull@perkinscoie.com - optional • Sawsan Bay - optional

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Marshall Matz" <:mmatz@ofwlaw.com>](mailto:mmatz@ofwlaw.com)

Date: 3/12/2015 12:17:02 AM

Subject: Re: The Logan Act--on Iran

Been discussing with various people including my old colleagues. Thx.

On Mar 12, 2015 7:02 AM, "Marshall Matz" <mmatz@ofwlaw.com> wrote:

[John](#), there is the Logan Act, [Marshall](#)

The **Logan Act** (1 [Stat.](#) [613](#) , [18 U.S.C.](#) [§ 953](#) , enacted January 30, 1799 (1799-01-30)) is a [United States federal law](#) that forbids unauthorized citizens from negotiating with foreign governments. It was intended to prohibit unauthorized United States citizens from interfering in relations between the United States and foreign governments.^[2]

The Act was passed following [George Logan](#) 's unauthorized negotiations with [France](#) in 1798, and was signed into law by [President John Adams](#) on January 30, 1799. The Act was last amended in 1994, and violation of the Logan Act is a [felony](#) .

From: "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
To: "Robert Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>
Date: 2/24/2015 8:56:57 AM
Subject: Re: Equal Pay - Foundation

thanks

i sent the story to Ian and flagged it for them as this was where they needed to look next

On Tue, Feb 24, 2015 at 2:41 PM, Robert Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com> wrote:
FYI

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Ian Mandel <ian.mandel@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Feb 24, 2015 at 2:19 PM
Subject: Fwd: Equal Pay - Foundation
To: Tony Carrk <tony.carrk@gmail.com>, Robert Mook <robbymook@gmail.com>

Guys - Given the story yesterday about pay equity at the State Department, I wanted to flag something that came out of our research on pay equity at the Foundation. There are huge discrepancies, and it wouldn't surprise me if they went here next. See a summary below from Karuna.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Karuna Seshasai <karuna.seshasai@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Feb 24, 2015 at 2:14 PM
Subject: Equal Pay - Foundation
To: Ian Mandel <ian.mandel@gmail.com>

Attached is the equal pay hit pulled from the Foundation book. Essentially here are the key take aways:

3 out of the 11 highest paid employees of the Foundation are women.

Avg salary of the highest paid men is \$294,157.50, while the avg salary of the highest paid women is \$181,576.66 (\$112K difference)

Median salary of the highest paid men is \$346,106, while the median salary of the highest paid women is \$185,386 (\$190K difference)

Chart and citations are on the attached doc. And I included the original 2013 990, where the #s come from.

From: "Verizon Wireless" <verizonwireless2@email.vzwshop.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 6/18/2015 3:48:28 AM

Subject: iPhone 6 Offer extended: Get \$200 off now!



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["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)

Date: 9/20/2015 5:34:18 AM

Subject: Just got back to town..

have dessert for tonight (carrot cake)

will be going to NP for the 2 o'clock pre-concert lecture by Mariissen, who was Gen's prof a swarthmore..if anyone else wants to come early. No ticket necessary for that..

if not see you at concert.

K

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From: ["Zayneb Shaikley" <zshaikley@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:zshaikley@clintonfoundation.org)

To: ["Hannah Richert - PC" <hannah@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:hannah@presidentclinton.com)

Date: 1/9/2013 8:08:43 AM

Subject: FOR WJC (URGENT): CGI Infrastructure Decision Memo

Attachments: WJC January 2013 CGI Infrastructure Decision Memo.docx

Hannah,

Attached for President Clinton's review is a brief decision memo from CGI regarding the US Conference of Mayors Infrastructure Task Force, which Mayor Emanuel has asked President Clinton and CGI to co-lead. Mayor Emanuel has asked President Clinton to co-sign a letter related to the Task Force, and would like President Clinton's approval on this by **this Friday, January 11**. As such, we'd appreciate anything you can do to expedite President Clinton's review of the attached.

Thanks in advance for your help with this!

Best,

Zayneb

Zayneb K. Shaikley

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From: "Amrita Mahbubani" <amrimah@hotmail.com>

To: "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>
ashok@mtronics.com

Date: 6/2/2015 10:44:31 AM

Subject: RE: Dinner in DC

Don't have to: we can manage w/o it if necessary. Improvising is not difficult.

From: podesta@podesta.com

To: ashok@mtronics.com

CC: podesta.mary@gmail.com; john.podesta@gmail.com; amrimah@hotmail.com

Subject: Re: Dinner in DC

Date: Tue, 2 Jun 2015 20:26:57 +0000

do you want to use the outdoor pizza oven at all?

From: Tony Podesta

Sent: Monday, June 1, 2015 9:21 PM

To: Ashok Mahbubani

Cc: Mary Podesta; John Podesta; Amrita Mahbubani

Subject: Re: Dinner in DC

Address

2438 Belmont rd NW

Washington 20008

Up street from mosque

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 1, 2015, at 3:02 PM, Ashok Mahbubani <ashok@mtronics.com> wrote:

Hi Tony! We're flying into National Fri, 05-Jun-2015 – have a dinner engagement that evening.

Staying at the Palomar 2121 P St NW – not too far from you, I think.

Please Email your address.

Amrita typically shops for fish/meats here at Costco where she knows where to find what she wants.

I see the closest one is at 1200 South Fern Street, Arlington, VA 22202

Maybe you have a preferred place closer to home that you could suggest?

Looking forward to seeing everybody on Sat, 06-Jun-2015 evening. Best, always. Ashok

From: Tony Podesta [<mailto:podesta@podesta.com>]

Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 7:40 PM

To: Amrita Mahbubani

Cc: Ashok Mahbubani; Mary Podesta; John Podesta

Subject: Re: Dinner in DC

10/18/2016

Yes

Sounds good

I am in Australia

Happy to shop and chop

Back Sunday

Sent from my iPhone

On May 12, 2015, at 7:30 AM, Amrita Mahbubani <amrimah@hotmail.com> wrote:

Hello, Tony

Hope all is well.

Ashok and I are back from the CGI, Middle East and Africa event, held in Marrakech, Morocco.

If we are still on for dinner on Saturday, June 06

Possible menu _ Indian: suggestions welcome.

1. Mixed grill of Tandoori chicken, lamb, and Lahori fish: Pizza oven.
Garnished with ribbon onions in lemon mint chutney.
2. Garlic Naan (freshly baked, pizza oven @ 550 degrees)
3. Greek Yoghurt with shredded cucumber and fresh coriander garnish.
4. Basmati rice Pilaff with fresh green peas, Saffron and roasted pine nuts garnish.
5. A lentil dish.

Dessert: A block of Vanilla Ice cream heaped with mixed seasonal berries and Roasted Almond praline spikes, drizzled with Amaretto.

or with fresh sweet mango.

*if preferred, we can shop together earlier for meats/fish. etc.

Best

Amrita

From: podesta@podesta.com

To: amrimah@hotmail.com

CC: ashok@mtronics.com ; podesta.mary@gmail.com ; john.podesta@gmail.com

Subject: Re: Dinner in DC

Date: Sat, 2 May 2015 08:22:16 +0000

Of course!!!!

Thank you so much for the cookbook

Soon

Tony

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 30, 2015, at 2:24 PM, Amrita Mahbubani <amrimah@hotmail.com> wrote:

All,

Looking forward to it!

Tony, should the plan be Indian cuisine? If yes, I will send you a list of dishes we can decide on, some of which we can make in the pizza oven.. The shopping list will follow.

Trust you received the Army Cook book I sent to you, by now.

Warm regards

Amrita

From: podesta@podesta.com
To: ashok@mtronics.com
CC: amrimah@hotmail.com ; podesta.mary@gmail.com ; john.podesta@gmail.com
Subject: Re: Dinner in DC
Date: Sun, 26 Apr 2015 22:21:23 +0000

June 6 works great!

Let's plan

Tony

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 21, 2015, at 6:12 PM, Ashok Mahbubani <ashok@mtronics.com> wrote:

Hi Tony! A special pleasure to meet you and Kate for the first time.

Please give her our contact information, as well.

We're committed to finding an evening when we can cook at your place.

We can do it on a weekend – ideally, one when you know Mary and John will be in town.

With our travel plans here's what might work in May & June:

May 16/17;

June 6/7; and

June 13/14.

Do let us know what looks like it might work on your end.

Warm Regards and Best Wishes, Ashok

Amrita & Ashok Mahbubani

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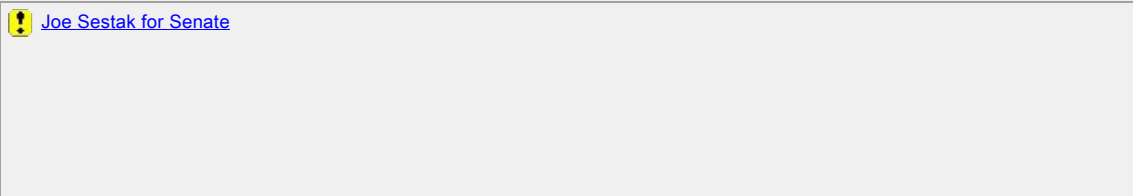
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Cell: + 1 256 337 1953 (Amrita)

Cell: + 1 256 468 9103 (Ashok)

This email was scanned by BitDefender.

From: "Joe Sestak" <info@joesestak.com>
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 12/15/2009 3:11:27 AM
Subject: Where We Stand



Dear John,

This week is the five-month marker to the May 18th primary.

It's "people-power" versus "the political establishment" and, by any measure, we've outworked and outthustled Arlen Specter with energy, passion, determination, and true leadership on the issues.

Key to this race is our fundraising the next three weeks ... before year-end. We are working seven days a week to prepare for the last 20 weeks left in our campaign, bringing the change in leadership that Pennsylvanians seek.

[We urge you to please make a contribution now. Your contribution before 31 December fuels our "people-powered campaign" that has stunned the political establishment. Please contribute \\$15, \\$25, \\$50, \\$75, \\$100, whatever you are able to afford.](#)

Warmly,



Joe Sestak

P.S. *Washington Post's ForeignPolicy.com* is out with its list of "The Winners and Losers of 2009". Tucked in between President Barack Obama and Secretary of State Hillary Clinton on its list of the ten "Big Winners", was the following:

- **"Representative Joe Sestak: He's my pick for Sleeper of the Year. Watch the former Admiral closely; he's the real deal ... brilliant, hard-working congressman who is headed for bigger things if the people of Pennsylvania and the leaders of the Democratic Party know what's in the national interest."**

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From: "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 10/6/2015 2:56:12 PM
Subject: Fwd: INVITE: Hillary for America / October 6

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Michael Barr <msbarr@umich.edu>
Date: October 1, 2015 at 10:53:38 PM EDT
To: Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com>
Subject: Re: INVITE: Hillary for America / October 6

Wish I could join you! Hope you all are doing well. M.

On Thu, Oct 1, 2015 at 5:49 PM, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Wanted to flag a dinner I'm doing at my house on October 6 for Hillary.

Doing a fundraiser at my house with my brother John on October 6 at my house, John and I are cooking along with guest chefs James Alefantis of Comet Ping Pong Pizza and Buck's Camping and Fishing, Amy Brandwein of Centrolina and Massimo Fabbri of Ristorante Posto.

Would love if you could go online and make your contribution here: <https://www.hillaryclinton.com/donate/?raiser=49983>.

Hope you can make it.

Look forward to an exciting year.

Best,

Tony

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NO SLACK: The Financial Lives of Low-Income Americans, available at:

<http://www.brookings.edu/research/books/2012/noslack>

From: esepp@equitablegrowth.org

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/30/2015 9:17:19 AM

Subject: Fw: Summary of coal case John asked me to prepare

Attachments: 15-03-29 Memo re Litigation.docx

Eryn —

Last week John asked that I prepare a summary of the current status of litigation in the US District Court for the District of Columbia seeking a supplementary programmatic NEPA statement on the federal coal program.

I am attaching the summary in the hope it will get through to John. Should he wish to contact me, I will be here all week this week.

Richard Ayres

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AyresR@AyresLawGroup.com

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile -----Original Message----- From: "Richard E. Ayres" Date: Mon, 30 Mar 2015 12:10:55 To: Subject: Summary of coal case John asked me to prepare Eryn Last week John asked that I prepare a summary of the current status of litigation in the US District Court for the District of Columbia seeking a supplementary programmatic NEPA statement on the federal coal program. I am attaching the summary in the hope it will get through to John. Should he wish to contact me, I will be here all week this week. Richard Ayres Ayres Law Group LLP 1707 L Street, N.W., Suite 850 Washington, D.C. 20036 202-452-9200 AyresR@AyresLawGroup.com

From: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)
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Date: 8/25/2015 8:37:49 AM

Subject: Core Message / Theory of the Case

Attachments: 2015-08-25 Memo for HRC.docx

Jim and I just talked about the need to get HRC new thinking on core message and the theory of the case. He asked me to send around this brief memo I've been noodling on since last week. It does not aim to provide a definitive answer to the big strategic questions, but it does try to be responsive to the challenges the Clintons gave us on August 13. I heard three imperatives on that call:

- 1) Better align our core affirmative message with her unique strengths as a candidate, her record, and her passions, in a way that no one else could deliver and that generates an emotional connection with voters.
- 2) Define and drive a contrast with Bernie and the Republicans that makes it clear why only she can be President.
- 3) Go on offense on emails.

I don't think there's anything in this memo you haven't seen before, but maybe you'll find it a helpful distillation of our discussions on the first two issues.

I'll also do more thinking on "theory of the case."

Dan

From: ["Brian Galle" <bdg9@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:bdg9@law.georgetown.edu)
To: ["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 11/16/2015 12:15:26 PM
Subject: No L&E Colloquium this week

We are also off for thanksgiving; our next (and last) meeting of the semester will be Friday, Dec. 4, when we'll be joined by Joshua Fischman of Northwestern Law School. Please feel free to bring any leftover pecan pie to the Dec. 4 session.

-BDG

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From: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 6/7/2015 1:28:26 PM

Subject: Re: Remarks at AFSCME

Hi Dan-Great statement. I have just a few suggestions.

1. At the top of her opening when she thanks "Lee and all of you", I think it would be good to recognize Secretary Treasurer Laura Reyes and the Executive Board specifically.
2. The Supreme Court has not yet decided whether they are taking the Freidrich's case yet. They will soon. In your remarks it reads like that is decided.
3. If you could add some heft (one more positive sentence) to the mentioning of defined benefit plans/pensions I think that would be helpful. AFSCME is very sensitive to the crisis their members face in many states around pensions. I think adding something additional here about her opposition to privatization of the social security system would be good here too.
4. I would take out the partnership piece on ACA. AFSCME is effected by the Cadillac tax issue and so would be complicated to bring up.
5. I thought the story of Hillary's mother really resonated with the audience at AFT. It connects. I think if there was a way for her to connect this tomorrow, it would be great.

Hope that helps!

Nikki

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 7, 2015, at 7:53 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Hi all, would love your thoughts on this opening statement for HRC at AFSCME.

> Thanks

> Dan

> <2015-06-07 AFSCME - 730pm.docx>

From: "Jeff Harris" <jeff@progressiveaccountability.org>

To: "big campaign" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>

Date: 9/15/2008 4:56:22 AM

Subject: [big campaign] MCCAIN OFFERS THIRD TERM OF FAILED BUSH ECONOMIC POLICIES

Attachments: IssuePage-Economy.doc

Third Term On The Economy.doc

MCCAIN OFFERS THIRD TERM OF FAILED BUSH ECONOMIC POLICIES
Despite an economy burdened with rising gas and food prices and a housing and credit crisis, McCain wants to continue the same failed policies that got the economy in this trouble. If Americans like the Bush economy, they will love the McCain economy.

Today McCain repeated his claim that the "fundamentals of our economy are strong." On the campaign trail in Jacksonville, Florida, the Senator declared this morning that "the fundamentals of our economy are strong."

***See attached documents on how McCain policies would be like a third Bush term.

McCain And Bush on the Economy - Both Ignore Reality, Push Pro-Corporate Policies
Fundamentals

Bush: "The Fundamentals Are Strong." While speaking about recent economic troubles in Kansas City, President Bush said, "The fundamentals are strong. We're just in a rough patch." [[Los Angeles Times](#), 2/2/08; emphasis added]
McCain: "I Still Believe Our Fundamental Underpinnings Of Our Economy Are Strong." In a report on [CNN](#) McCain said, "I still believe our fundamental underpinnings of our economy are strong." [[CNN](#), 1/22/08; emphasis added]

Recession

Bush: "I Don't Think We're Headed To A Recession." According to [CBS News](#), President Bush said, "I don't think we're headed to a recession, but no question we're in a slowdown." [[CBS News](#), 2/28/08; emphasis added]
McCain: "I Don't Believe We're Headed Into A Recession." During a [Fox News](#) Republican debate, McCain said, "I don't believe we're headed into a recession. I believe the fundamentals of this economy are strong, and I believe they will remain strong." [[Fox News](#) GOP Debate, South Carolina, 1/10/08; emphasis added, [To View](#)]

McCain's economic plans, like Bush's, put CEOs and multibillion dollar corporations, before American families.
McCain's economic plan does more for the Fortune 200 than American families. Fortune 200 companies who would get \$45 billion in tax cuts under McCain's economic plan according to a [new report from the Center for American Progress Action Fund](#) -- enough to lift [9 million Americans](#) from poverty.
McCain, like Bush, offers billions in tax cuts for Big Oil, but no relief for families. According to the [Center for American Progress Action Fund](#), McCain's tax plan gives nearly \$4 billion in tax breaks to the top five American oil companies, but gives families very little. Economists have panned McCain's gas tax holiday, saying it won't help families with gas prices.

McCain Said He 'Doesn't Understand the Economy' - He will Read Greenspan's Book. Greenspan says McCain tax cuts would harm the economy.
McCain Said He Doesn't Understand The Economy As Well As He Should. McCain admitted to reporters "[T]he issue of economics is not something I've understood as well as I should." [[Boston Globe](#), [12/18/07](#)]
McCain Said He Wasn't An Expert On Wall Street. During a town hall meeting in Concord, New Hampshire, McCain said, "Now, I am, I am not an expert on Wall Street. I am not an expert on some of this stuff." [McCain Town Hall Meeting in Concord, New Hampshire, [12/17/07](#) , [To View](#)]
McCain Said He Knows "A Lot Less About McCain Said He Would Learn About The Economy By Reading Alan Greenspan's Book." "The issue of economics is not something I've understood as well as I should," McCain said. "I've got Greenspan's book." [[Boston Globe](#), [12/18/07](#)]
Greenspan Says McCain Tax Cuts Bad Idea "I'm not in favor of financing tax cuts with borrowed money," Greenspan said during an interview with Bloomberg Television. "I always have tied tax cuts to spending." [AP, [9/13/08](#)]

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Marlon Marshall" <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 12/22/2015 1:41:21 PM
Subject: Re: Trump on Hillary---have clergy call on Trump to apologize....

He walked it back. Said we all misunderstood him and schlong just means she got a drumming.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 22, 2015, at 7:34 PM, Marlon Marshall <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Jen if cool, we can poke around on this with some folks

On Dec 22, 2015, at 3:18 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

This may rattle around re Cruz as well. Might be worth thinking about.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Brent Budowsky <brentbbi@webtv.net>
Date: Tuesday, December 22, 2015
Subject: Trump on Hillary---have clergy call on Trump to apologize....
To: "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>, "roy.spence@gsdm.com" <roy.spence@gsdm.com>

Suggest we find some clergy to call on Trump to apologize to HRC. Getting women to do it is obvious, but getting some clergy would be very powerful.

I can't even imagine what he suggesting HRC was doing in the ladies room, but it was a gift!

Sent from my iPad

From: "Anna Gelpern" <ag1348@law.georgetown.edu>

To: "Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 9/4/2014 3:05:15 AM

Subject: Workshop Today, Thursday, September 4 - Tuesday-Style (Hotung Dining Room)

Today, Thursday, September 4, Laura Donohue will present her paper "Section 702 and the Collection of International Telephone and Internet Content." The paper was attached to an earlier email. The paper is also available on line [here](#) and, in hard copy, at Faculty Support. This is a **Tuesday-style** workshop, held in the Hotung Faculty Dining Room beginning at Noon. Lunch will be served.

Best regards,

Anna and Bill

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From: "Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>
To: "Robby Mook 2015 (robbymook2015@gmail.com)" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>
"John Podesta \"(john.podesta@gmail.com)\" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 2/21/2015 8:12:28 PM
Subject: Wash Post story -- Sorry to write this on a Saturday night

But this is by far the most damaging story and most damaging type of story we can have.

The press will love writing these. I did when I was a reporter.

I think we need a paradigm shift in how this world operates we have to convince HRC and probably WJC that her meeting with 200 people doesn't help her. Hiring corporate wizards has never been a successful strategy in campaigns. And anyone whose name is in the paper 48 hours after they meet with her needs to be cut off completely from her campaign. .

Almost everyone on this team that has been assembled has been busting their tail to make this work and to work against this kind of stuff and it's going to get demoralizing in a hurry.

I'm open to all and any alternatives on how to truly solve this but I really feel that when she is back from CA we have to solve this.

Thanks,
Joel

http://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/the-making-of-hillary-50-marketing-wizards-help-reimagine-clinton-brand/2015/02/21/bfb01120-b919-11e4-aa05-1ce812b3fdd2_story.html

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Clift, Eleanor" <Eleanor.Clift@thedailybeast.com>](mailto:Eleanor.Clift@thedailybeast.com)
Date: 3/30/2015 11:26:02 AM
Subject: Re: media inquiry

I'm in China. Try Bill McKibben.

On Mar 30, 2015 2:13 PM, "Clift, Eleanor" <Eleanor.Clift@thedailybeast.com> wrote:

Hi John, I'm writing piece for Daily Beast on unusual alliance of Lawrence Tribe and Mitch McConnell on EPA regs on coal – Tribe saying they're unconstitutional and McConnell urging states not to adopt them. You helped push the administration's climate policies into high gear when you were in the White House, and I'd be interested in your perspective on this case of odd bedfellows, and what happens next. We can do it on background if you prefer.... Also, I'd like to establish a line of communication with you before you decamp to NY and take over the reins of the Clinton campaign, and things get crazy. My direct line at the Beast is [202-626-2030](tel:202-626-2030) ; my cell is [202-257-6388](tel:202-257-6388) – Please let me hear from you, Thanks so much, Eleanor Clift, DB, Washington

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 11/24/2015 5:06:30 AM
Subject: Dec 14th - another foodie fundraiser featuring you, in Brooklyn!

I've been trying to lock in a NYC chef / Brooklyn foodie fundraiser with you, which the donors I live with offered to host.

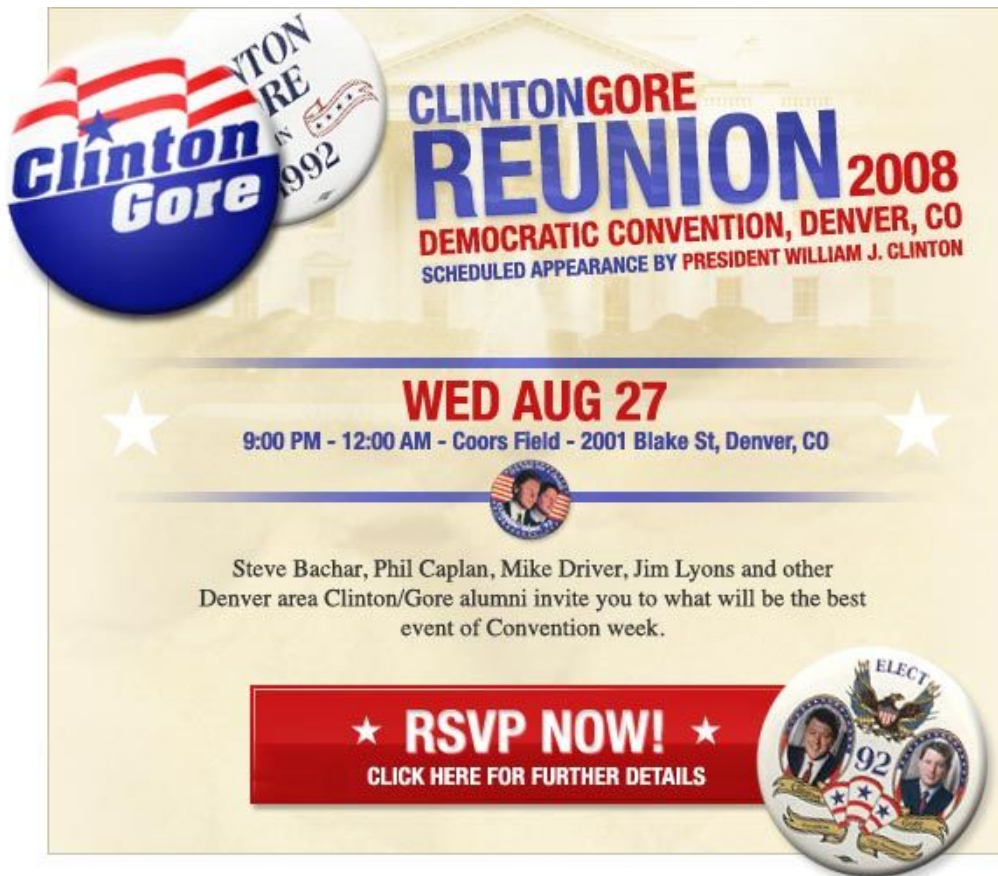
Dec 14th was one of the dates we offered ATP, which didn't work for him.

we're close to confirming Marcus Samuelson, co-owner of the Red Rooster in Harlem, and will make the call today - so that a round of emails can go out pre-thgiving.

I'm also seeing if our Brooklyn-alum gang want to join as hosts or attend - Noa Meyer, Jordan and Michael, and Waldman and Liz and Jaycee.

<http://www.cbsnews.com/news/marcus-samuelsson-living-the-dream/>

From: "[Clinton Gore Reunion 2008](#)" <info@clintongoredenver.com>
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 8/15/2008 3:48:50 PM
Subject: Clinton Gore Reunion 2008 - RSVP Today!



The graphic features a yellow background with a faint city skyline. At the top left is a circular button with a red and white striped top half and a blue bottom half, reading "Clinton Gore 1992". To its right is another button with "CLINTON GORE REUNION 1992" and a ribbon graphic. The main text reads "CLINTON GORE REUNION 2008" in large blue and red letters, followed by "DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION, DENVER, CO" and "SCHEDULED APPEARANCE BY PRESIDENT WILLIAM J. CLINTON". Below this, the date "WED AUG 27" is in large red letters, with "9:00 PM - 12:00 AM - Coors Field - 2001 Blake St, Denver, CO" underneath. A small circular inset shows a photo of two people. The text "Steve Bachar, Phil Caplan, Mike Driver, Jim Lyons and other Denver area Clinton/Gore alumni invite you to what will be the best event of Convention week." is centered. At the bottom is a red button with "★ RSVP NOW! ★" and "CLICK HERE FOR FURTHER DETAILS". To the right of the button is a circular button with "ELECT 92" and portraits of Clinton and Gore.

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: Wendy <wabrams1@gmail.com>

Date: 1/4/2015 2:29:01 PM

Subject: Re: 2015 Challenge--California Halfs

What's flat?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Jan 4, 2015, at 4:13 PM, Wendy <wabrams1@gmail.com> wrote:

Josh

Id love to! April 19th would be my first choice. Mar 28th second. (It's Emily's bday on feb 7 (and have something planned for her on the 8th so that weekend doesn't work for me but obviously do what's best for you)

I was running the hills in Hawaii last week thinking of Mile 10!

Happy 2015!

Xo

W

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 4, 2015, at 10:43 AM, Josh Fryday <jfryday@nextgenclimate.org> wrote:

Anyone up for a race? Here are a few options. If none of them work, or seem interesting, I'll look for some others...

Feb 7th at China Camp (in Marin County near me)

<http://www.urbancoyoteracing.com/china-camp-2015.html>

February 8th (Sausalito, Goes across the Golden Gate Bridge, and is on my B-day)

<http://www.halfmarathons.net/california-golden-gate-trail-run-marathon-half-marathon-50k-30k-5-mile/> /

March 28th-Livermore (Near John's Family)

<http://runlivermore.com>

April 19th — Napa (Beautiful trail and Good wine after)

<https://raceroster.com/events/2015/3010/2015-napa-valley-silverado-half-marathon-10k-and-5k>

Happy New Year!

JF

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From: podesta.mary@gmail.com
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/21/2016 6:03:57 AM
Subject: Re: Amtrak: eTicket for Your 01/22/2016 Trip - JOHN PODESTA

Good luck. Hope trains are running and get you home safely.

On Jan 21, 2016, at 9:12 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Should be home around 10:30 tomorrow.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: Thursday, January 21, 2016
Subject: Fwd: Amtrak: eTicket for Your 01/22/2016 Trip - JOHN PODESTA
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

E-ticket for Friday's train. The next regional wasn't until 7:40 so I thought this looked better. It's going to be a doozy!

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From: <etickets@amtrak.com>
Date: Thu, Jan 21, 2016 at 1:27 AM
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To: MFISHER@hillaryclinton.com

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From: ["Polce, Kelly" <Kelly.Polce@gmmb.com>](mailto:Kelly.Polce@gmmb.com)

To: ["Polce, Kelly" <Kelly.Polce@gmmb.com>](mailto:Kelly.Polce@gmmb.com)

Date: 7/2/2015 9:15:40 AM

Subject: Competitive

Marco Rubio Primary Spending:

BROADCAST ONLY

Total: \$8.6M

IOWA

Total \$4.7M

60s:

11/24-12/14 (2.5 weeks)

Des Moines ~830 GRPs; \$290K

Cedar Rapids ~860 GRPs; \$185K

Davenport ~390 GRPs; \$105K

Sioux city ~680 GRPs; \$105K

Rochester ~300 GRPs; \$35K

Omaha ~400 GRPs; \$110K

1/19-2/2 (2 weeks)

Des Moines ~770 GRPs; \$256K

Cedar Rapids ~1300 GRPs; \$260K

Davenport ~1000 GRPs; \$272K

Sioux City ~580 GRPs; \$83K

Rochester ~450 GRPs; \$48K

Omaha ~700 GRPs; \$180K

:30s

12/15-2/2 (7 weeks)

Des Moines ~4775 GRPs; \$800K

Cedar Rapids ~6300 GRPs; \$652K

Davenport ~3680 GRPs; \$476K

Sioux City ~4200 GRPs; \$310K

Rochester ~2000 GRPs; \$110K

Omaha ~3100 GRPs; \$406K

New Hampshire

Total \$137K

:30s

12/15-2/9 (8 weeks)

Burlington ~1500 GRPs; \$137K

*WMUR in Manchester is still confirming orders

Nevada

Total \$215K

:30s

1/26-2/23 (4 weeks)

Las Vegas ~540 GRPs; \$151K

Reno ~500 GRPs; \$66K

South Carolina

Total \$3.6M

:60s

12/15-12/28 (2 weeks)

Greenville ~600 GRPs; \$141K

Columbia ~400 GRPs; \$63K

Charleston ~470 GRPs; \$61K

Myrtle Beach ~420 GRPs; \$61K

2/9-2/20 (2 weeks)

Greenville ~1620 GRPs; \$341K

Columbia ~650 GRPs; \$100K

Charleston ~770 GRPs; \$97K

Myrtle Beach ~775 GRPs; \$107K

:30s

12/29-2/20 (8 weeks)

Greenville ~8700 GRPs; \$917K

Columbia ~4400 GRPs; \$348K
Charleston ~5200 GRPs; \$331K
Myrtle Beach ~4800 GRPs; \$330K
Augusta ~4600 GRPs; \$297K
Savannah ~5700 GRPs; \$413K

Believe Again PAC (pro Bobby Jindal)
7/13 – 8/2
Total \$630K – Broadcast and Cable

IOWA
7/13 – 7/19
Total \$207K
Des Moines, ~565 GRPs, \$88K
Cedar Rapids, ~615 GRPs, \$60K
Sioux City, ~680 GRPs, \$46K
Davenport, ~65 GRPs, \$8K – Cable only
Omaha, ~17 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only
Ottumwa, ~40 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only
Rochester, ~45 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only

7/20 – 7/26
Total \$205K
Des Moines, ~550 GRPs, \$85K
Cedar Rapids, ~606 GRPs, \$60K
Sioux City, ~690 GRPs, \$47K
Davenport, ~65 GRPs, \$8K – Cable only
Omaha, ~17 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only
Ottumwa, ~40 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only
Rochester, ~45 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only

7/27 – 8/2
Total \$216 K
Des Moines, ~585 GRPs, \$90K
Cedar Rapids, ~630 GRPs, \$61K
Sioux City, ~740 GRPs, \$50K
Davenport, ~65 GRPs, \$8K – Cable only
Omaha, ~17 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only
Ottumwa, ~40 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only
Rochester, ~45 GRPs, \$2K – Cable only

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To: ["Reed Hundt" <rehundt@gmail.com>](mailto:rehundt@gmail.com)

Date: 12/13/2015 12:32:27 PM

Subject: Re: you and Todd Stern

Pretty happy.

On Dec 13, 2015 4:14 PM, "Reed Hundt" <rehundt@gmail.com> wrote:
are definitely getting into heaven. Well done!! Reed

Sent from my iPad

From: "Buffy Wicks" <buffyw@gmail.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 2/6/2016 11:40:41 AM
Subject: Re: Tahoe

Josh Fryday beat me to the punch!!

Thank you for checking - hopefully I'll see you in Nevada!

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 6, 2016, at 5:03 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Checked and sorry but the place has filled up. My son and Josh Fryday got dibs. If I do get there maybe we can all try to have dinner Saturday.

On Saturday, February 6, 2016, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Buffy,
This is the one weekend since August that Mary will be there. I think there still may be room. Let me check. I may make a guest appearance on Saturday night. Supposed to be in Vegas Friday and may go for meetings in Reno Saturday.
John

On Saturday, February 6, 2016, Buffy Wicks <buffyw@gmail.com> wrote:

John!

While you're running around making sure we save America from it's self, Peter and I are planning a last minute trip to Tahoe with our friends Pia and Leanne (maybe you know Pia from Gabby Gifford's world?). We're trying to find a place to stay (for the holiday weekend 2/12 thru 2/16 - eek!) and how could I forget that you kindly offered up your place last time I saw you in the Perkins Coie lobby :)

If it's available, we'd love to stay there. And no worries if not, we have a couple other places we're trying to Airbnb.

Oh and btw, I'm off to Nevada for the campaign Feb 17-20. Love that NV team!

Thanks for considering John!

Sent from my iPhone

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Date: 9/22/2015 11:35:06 AM

Subject: Agenda for Mock Debate Prep Session, Thursday, 9/24

Attachments: HRC16-Debates-Prim-Mock0924-Agenda-rev.docx

Here is a preliminary agenda for Thursday's session with HRC.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

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Date: 6/19/2015 6:03:18 AM

Subject: Re: WP op-ed and new CEA Report: The Surprising Decline in Oil Consumption

Already tweeted it.

On Fri, Jun 19, 2015 at 12:15 PM, Furman, Jason L. <Jason_L_Furman@cea.eop.gov> wrote:

Brian Deese and I have an [op-ed](#) in today's Washington Post (pasted below) that draws on a new [CEA report](#) (attached) on the underappreciated surprise in the U.S. oil market: that the consumption of petroleum was slightly lower in 2014 than in 1997 in fact was 6.6 million barrels per day less than what was forecast in 2003. This surprise is nearly twice the surprising increase in petroleum production—and the consumption surprise is expected to grow over time, in part due to policies like the heavy duty truck rule being released today by the [EPA and DOT](#).

The boon of reduced oil consumption

By Brian Deese and Jason Furman

The average American family is on pace to save about \$700 at the pump this year. One reason for this has been widely reported: A historic increase in U.S. oil production has increased global supply and put downward pressure on prices.

But a potentially even more important reason has gotten far less attention — a historic decline in the amount of oil that our economy is consuming. Indeed, in 2014 Americans used less petroleum than they did in 1997, despite the fact that the economy is nearly 50 percent larger than it was 17 years ago. A new report this week by the Council of Economic Advisers documents that this drop in consumption is one of the biggest surprises in global oil markets in the past decade. If it continues, it will have positive implications for our economy, our national security and our efforts to combat climate change.

After a half-century in which it generally rose, U.S. oil consumption leveled off and has begun to decline. No one expected this development. The Energy Information Administration (EIA), which produces some of the most influential and well-regarded forecasts in the field, until recently consistently projected increases in oil consumption. In fact, U.S. consumption in 2014 was 6.4 million barrels per day below the projection it made in 2003 — an amount greater than the oil produced by Iraq and Kuwait combined and about twice the magnitude of the unexpected increase in U.S. oil production. Importantly, that decline in consumption is not expected to be just a passing phenomenon: The latest forecasts for U.S. oil consumption through 2025 are relatively flat.

We are already seeing the benefits of this. The drop in consumption relative to expectations has helped reduce U.S. net imports of petroleum by nearly half, reducing our dependence on foreign oil and our macroeconomic vulnerability to rises and falls in the world price of oil. By reducing net U.S. oil usage by the equivalent of about 10 percent of global production, these developments have contributed to the decline in the global price of oil over the past year. And the decline in the consumption of oil has contributed to the nearly 10 percent decline in overall U.S. carbon emissions from 2005 to 2014, one of many ways in which smart energy policies can also be good for our efforts to mitigate climate change and protect the health of our children.

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Moreover, this is a truly American story. Over this period, we have not seen similar declines in most other advanced economies. For example, the percentage reduction among European economies has been roughly half of that in the United States.

So what is behind this trend and what can we do to continue it? The majority of the decline in oil consumption has been in the transportation sector, but the industrial, residential and commercial sectors have come in below expectations as well. To date, about three-quarters of the decline in the transportation sector has been due to a reduction in the number of miles driven, which is explained not only by the fallout from the Great Recession and gasoline prices that exceeded pre-crisis levels until mid-2014 but also demographic shifts, such as the aging of the population and the retirement of the baby boomers, that are likely to persist. The other quarter of the decline is due to increased efficiency, in part because of new rules requiring a more fuel-efficient fleet. Moreover, the fact that we have replaced about 10 percent of our transportation fuels with biofuels, thanks to a bipartisan law enacted by Congress in 2007, has further reduced our reliance on imported fossil fuels.

Efficiency is expected to matter even more — it is projected to account for nearly half of the reduction in consumption in 2025 relative to past projections — as the vehicle mileage rules continue to phase in.

New policies the administration is announcing Friday to improve fuel efficiency for heavy-duty vehicles will help build on this trend. Heavy-duty trucks are the fastest growing component of the transportation sector and are responsible for about one-fifth of its energy use and carbon emissions.

In addition, the president is pushing for Congress to increase our investments in transportation infrastructure, including a 70 percent increase in transit investments that would help reduce miles traveled by expanding transportation options. Together with other policies to reduce emissions from power plants, cut methane emissions from the oil and gas sectors and phase down the use hydrofluorocarbons, this would help us hit the U.S. goal of reducing carbon emissions by 26 percent to 28 percent below 2005 levels by 2025 — a goal the president formalized this year as part of our efforts to lead the world toward a global agreement on climate change. And as the recent trends have shown, it would put to rest the idea that we must choose between fighting climate change and growing our economy: Improving fuel efficiency standards for cars, trucks and other vehicles allows us to do both.

From: "Office of the CIO" <officeofthecio@georgetown.edu>

To: podesta@georgetown.edu

Date: 5/7/2015 1:46:49 PM

Subject: UIS Service Center Satisfaction Survey

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Regards,

Lisa Davis
Chief Information Officer
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<https://secure.ccmcsurvey.com/Georgetown-UIS-Survey/?survey=FYZ587FJV163>

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From: ["Barack Obama" <info@barackobama.com>](mailto:info@barackobama.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/2/2008 12:55:48 PM

Subject: VP debate tonight

John --

Tonight at 9:00 p.m. Eastern, we'll hear from the two candidates for vice president.

My running mate Joe Biden and the Republican nominee, Governor Sarah Palin, need to be ready to step in as president at a moment's notice, and this is the only time they'll appear side-by-side before Election Day.

This debate is also extremely important because early voting began this week in eight states -- including the crucial battleground state of Ohio.

In fact, the votes cast in Ohio this weekend could ultimately decide who wins this whole election. There are only four days left in the narrow window of opportunity when voters can register and vote early all in one step.

Republican operatives tried to shut down one-stop early vote in court this week, but they failed. And now you can help provide the resources for an intensive four-day Get Out The Vote operation before the window closes.

[Make a donation of \\$5 or more today to help Get Out The Vote in Ohio and other early vote states.](#)

Early voting will play a bigger role this year than ever before.

And after tonight's debate, voters will be motivated to cast their ballots for the change this country needs.

Joe Biden and I share a vision for the future of this country, and it's very different from the vision of our opponents.

I'm sure you'll see that contrast in tonight's debate.

But there's another contrast that you can see in every aspect of this campaign. Joe and I know that real change comes from the bottom up, not the top down. That's why we've always put our faith in supporters like you.

Make a donation of \$5 or more right now to help reach Ohio voters and Get Out The Vote in other early vote states.

<https://donate.barackobama.com/thevpdebate>

You've built an unprecedented grassroots movement, and that's what will make all the difference in the next 32 days.

Thanks for everything you're doing, and make sure you tell everyone you know to watch tonight's debate.

Barack



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Date: 8/16/2015 9:58:09 AM
Subject: Re: In review: substance abuse op-ed
Attachments: Substance Abuse Fact Sheet Final.docx
08.14 Substance Abuse Op-Ed ALL EDITS CLEAN - AOL.docx

Hi all -

Sorry I was out of pocket for a few hours. On a flight now to raise \$\$ for all of us in Oklahoma - the things we do!!

Anyhow, here is the deal:

(1) The American Academy of Pediatrics came out with a [strong policy statement in 2011](#) that every child/teenager should be screened for substance abuse disorders when they visit the doctor for their annual child check up or for an accute care visit in which it might be suspected. HRC has a long history of working with AAP and supporting their efforts to do more screenings. When she was First Lady, she worked on the Newborn Hearing Screening to make sure all babies get hearing screenings, and in the last several years she has pushed for and supported the AAP's effort to screen young kids for symptoms of "toxic stress." This is not "mandatory," but it is part of prevention and wellness and it is about supporting the AAP in making this happen by raising awareness, making sure pediatricians get reimbursed for their time in doing these screenings, etc. I have tried to clarify with edits to the speech, pasted below and attached.

(2) On Mandy's question about mental health parity, I have added a line.

(3) On Karen's question of whether we reached out to urban leaders, we talked to a number of policy experts who serve urban communities. Maya is going to work with political to be sure we do political outreach to leaders in next 48 hours.

(4) On Karen's suggestion, that she alludes to problems in her own family - I have modified accordingly.

(5) On Nick's question about specialized care, we are good with it as Kristina noted - but let me know if you have further concerns.

I am also attaching our final fact sheet. If all are good, we should get her this draft op-ed together with the fact sheet. Let me know if you have more questions or concerns.

Thanks,
Ann

DRAFT substance abuse op-ed

WC: 822 words

I was on my first trip to New Hampshire this spring, in a Keene bakery, when a retired doctor spoke up. I had just announced I was running for president, and I had traveled to Iowa and New Hampshire to hear directly from voters about their concerns, their hopes, and their vision for the future. He said his biggest worry was the rising tide of heroin addiction in the state, the result of a wave of prescription drug abuse. He said hospitals were seeing more babies born addicted, that police officers were responding to more overdoses, that families were being torn apart.

To be candid, I didn't expect what came next. In several states, this issue crept up again and again – from so many people, from all walks of life, in small towns and big cities.

In Iowa, from Davenport to Council Bluffs, people spoke to me about meth and prescription drugs, and scores of lives upended. In South Carolina, a lawyer spoke movingly about the holes in the community left by generations of black men who ended up imprisoned for non-violent drug offenses rather than getting the treatment they needed.

These stories shine light on some harrowing statistics. Nearly 23 million Americans suffer from addiction, but in 2014, only 2.5 million were able to receive treatment at a specialized facility. Fifty-two million Americans over the age of 12 have abused prescription drugs, including one in four teenagers. In 2014, more Americans died from overdoses than car crashes.

Enough is enough. It's time we recognize as a nation that we have a quiet epidemic on our hands. Plain and simple, drug addiction is a disease, not a moral failing—and we must treat it as such.

It's time we recognize as a nation that there are gaps in our health care system that allow too many sufferers to go without care—and invest substantially more in prevention and treatment.

It's time we recognize as a nation that our state and federal prisons, where 65 percent of inmates meet the medical criteria for substance use disorders, are no substitute for drug treatment—and reform our criminal justice system.

That's why I'm releasing a comprehensive strategy [\[LINK\]](#) to confront the drug addiction crisis head-on. My plan sets four goals: first, ensuring every American family has access to affordable and effective treatments; second, ensuring that we work with pediatricians to be sure that every child and teenager is educated about and screened for substance use disorders as part of their annual doctor's visit, just as we do for hearing, eyesight, developmental delays and so much more; third, ensuring all first responders have access to naloxone, which stops overdoses from becoming fatal; and fourth, requiring that all health-care providers receive training in recognizing substance use disorders and consult a prescription drug monitoring program before providing opiates.

Achieving these goals won't be easy. It's going to take real commitment from all corners—law enforcement, doctors, insurance companies, schools, and governments. That's why my plan starts by increasing funding for the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant by 25 percent, so states and localities have more resources to work with, and changing rules that arbitrarily limit how many patients can be treated with medication assisted treatment, a proven intervention for opiate addiction. I will also direct the federal government to re-evaluate Medicare and Medicaid payment practices, to remove obstacles to reimbursement for patients seeking help and promote greater coordination of care. And I will make sure that our mental health parity laws are fully enforced so that insurance practices are not a barrier to substance abuse treatment.

But we can't stop there. As President, I will do everything I can to partner with states and communities across America to meet the four goals—treatment, prevention, overdose intervention, and improved prescriber practices. We'll ask states to design ambitious plans for tackling these four goals using the programs that make most sense for their citizens' needs and challenges. In return for strong plans to address the substance abuse crisis, the federal government will draw on a new \$5 billion fund to help states meet their goals.

Every town I've visited so far in this campaign has stories of families upended by drug addiction. But across the country, I've also heard about second chances. The young mother who overcame addictions to alcohol and heroin so her son would never see her with a drink or a drug in her hand. The man who served 11 years in prison who is now serving others through a prison ministry.

They all say the same thing: no matter how much time has passed, no matter how different their lives are today, they're all still in recovery. It's a process—one that began when a family member, a friend, a doctor, a police officer extended a hand to help. As one New Hampshire woman said, "We're not bad people trying to get good, we're sick people who deserve to get well."

There are 23 million Americans suffering from addiction. **There are untold millions more. No one is untouched – we all have family and friends who are affected.** We can't afford to stay on the sidelines any longer—because when families are strong, America is strong. Through improved treatment, prevention, and training, we can end this quiet epidemic once and for all.

On Sun, Aug 16, 2015 at 3:57 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

On the screening point, will let policy get into details, but it's the major pillar of the 'prevention' goal. Would folks be more comfortable if it said something like [CAPS=ADDITION] "ensuring every child and teenager is annually screened for substance use DISORDERS, JUST AS THEY ARE ALREADY SCREENED FOR OTHER ILLNESSES"?

schools and doctors regularly screen for all sorts of diseases, and substance abuse screening /= random drug testing.

On the "specialized facilities," the stat comes from the NIH's National Institute on Drug Abuse and includes all facilities licensed or certified by state substance abuse agencies to provide treatment. So think it's easy to answer Politifact when they try to get cute.

+ Ann, per Maya's add

On Sun, Aug 16, 2015 at 6:45 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I'm piling on at this point, but without knowing the background or the particulars, the mandatory testing piece is troubling to me. Not to mention I probably wouldn't have passed at times in my younger years...I bet I'm not the only one.*

And on the statistic about 2.5 million people receiving treatment at a "specialized facility," can someone explain what that means? Just want to make sure we're not trying to be too cute, that there aren't perfectly viable treatment alternatives that lie outside of the term. Our friends from PolitiFact as always in the back of my mind.

*(Joel?)

On Aug 16, 2015, at 6:13 PM, Jesse Ferguson <jferguson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Flagging - goal had been to get this to HRC on Saturday night but it has been held till tonight as the other elements of the rollout (video, etc.) are debated.

AKA - ideally would like to send it in tonight for her review so we can have final on Monday for Wednesday AM placement.

-----Original Message-----

From: Mandy Grunwald [mailto:gruncom@aol.com]
Sent: Sunday, August 16, 2015 5:47 PM
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Subject: Re: In review: substance abuse op-ed

And one more thing. Should we mention the growing problem of synthetics?

Mandy Grunwald
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>> On Aug 16, 2015, at 5:18 PM, Karen Finney <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com >
> wrote:

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> Last question/comment I promise - did we engage urban leaders in the
> development of the plan?

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Aug 16, 2015, at 5:15 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com > wrote:
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>> Democrats are going to have a field day with it. It is also probably
unconstitutional violation of 4th amendment, isn't it?

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>> Sent from my iPad

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>>> On Aug 16, 2015, at 3:10 PM, Karen Finney <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com >
wrote:

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>>> The only thing that stood out to me was annual drug screening for
>>> children and teenagers, could see the GOP having a field day. Can we
>>> explain that one a little more?

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>>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>>> On Aug 15, 2015, at 6:42 PM, Kristina Costa
<kcosta@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

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>>>> Folks --

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>>>> At Dan's request, passing along a draft HRC op-ed to accompany the
substance abuse prevention initiative fact sheet rolling out midweek.

Maya, Ann, Sara, Zach, and Ian have all reviewed, edited, and commented.
It's now with Tony/research for a fact-check before going up in the book.

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>>>> Thanks,

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>>>> Kristina

>>>> <08.14 Substance Abuse Op-Ed ALL EDITS CLEAN.docx>

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Date: 1/25/2015 12:13:33 PM
Subject: Re: Ellen Herbst @ Commerce

I don't know her personally. Easy to ask. I'm with Penny Pritzker; assume you don't want me to ask her.

On Jan 25, 2015 3:58 PM, "Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com> wrote:
| She's the CFO there...have you heard of her?

From: ["Nides, Thomas R" <Thomas.Nides@morganstanley.com>](mailto:Thomas.Nides@morganstanley.com)

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Date: 6/24/2015 12:47:23 PM

Subject:

U in china? Just returned last night. When you get back let's chat.

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Date: 3/13/2015 1:24:00 PM

Subject: RE: Call

David and John -

I just spoke with Susanne Grooms, who is resisting the idea of a telephone call. John, I am not sure David is available right now to discuss -- is there a number where I can reach you? You can reach me at 202.434.5487. Thanks.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Heather Samuelson [<mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsGroup.com>]
Sent: Friday, March 13, 2015 4:19 PM
To: Kendall, David; Turner, Katherine
Cc: John Podesta; Huma Abedin
Subject: Call

David/Katherine:

She is available between now and 8pm.

Or Saturday between 8a and 10:30a or 2p to 5p.

Added Huma here who can provide best number and coordinate.

Thanks
Heather

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 9/30/2013 9:25:27 AM
Subject: We'll make this quick:



Hi John --

We'll make this quick:

1. **Our fundraising deadline is at midnight. Right now, we're 108 donations short of our goal. [You can chip in here >>](#)**
2. Last year, Tea Party ex-Congressman Bobby Schilling and outside groups spent over \$6.8 million attacking us.
3. Mr. Schilling is back -- applauding the partisan standoff in Washington -- and a recent report calls our race a dead heat.

We knew that this campaign wasn't going to be easy -- but if each of us pitches in what we can, when we can, Cheri is going to win.

Can we count on your support?

[MIDNIGHT DEADLINE: Chip in \\$5 right now to support Cheri and help her fight back against Bobby Schilling >>](#)

Our campaign depends on grassroots supporters -- the best ones in Illinois and across the country.

Please, pitch in \$5 right now to show Cheri she can count on you:

<http://action.cheribustos.com/Midnight-Deadline>

Thanks for standing with us,

Team Bustos

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To: "[John Podesta](mailto:John.Podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 9/23/2014 6:08:32 PM

Subject: RASMUSSEN POLL:

A NEW POLL SHOWS *DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS TIED IN A* GENERIC CONGRESSIONAL BALLOT!!!

This is just the shimmer of light Democrats around the country needed. Despite millions in Koch-fueled attacks, the GOP can't gain a lead because we are on the air providing support against their negative ads.

If we want to keep this momentum going we need your help, friend.

[We need an additional \\$22,000 in the bank by COB tomorrow if we want to keep defending Democrats. Can you click here and donate before it's too late?](#)

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To: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)
john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 7/12/2014 12:19:08 AM
Subject: Skype

I'll be around your morning if you all are free. I am leaving the office around 2 pm my time (7 am for you guys). So mostly any time after that is good. Hope to catch you all! Gabe

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Gabe Podesta

From: ["Sara Solow" <ssolow@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:ssolow@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Dennis Cheng" <ddcheng@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:ddcheng@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 11/29/2015 12:45:56 PM
Subject: Re: DRAFT: Women senators TPs

It was the highest moment in the last debate... But interested to hear if people think the Bernie number should change the use of this stat, also for debate purposes.

> On Nov 29, 2015, at 7:00 PM, Dennis Cheng <ddcheng@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> I think the 60% stat is very impressive and we should include unless

> Comms disagrees

>

>> On Nov 29, 2015, at 6:53 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>> Hi everyone,

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>> Attached are talking points for the women senators event tomorrow. These have been reviewed by Dan, Maura, Mini, and Angelique.

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>> These include a longer section on Planned Parenthood, and some love for Senator Mikulski, fresh off of her presidential medal of freedom.

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>> We were debating whether to include the women donors stat, but wondering whether we should leave out since this is open press and Bernie does in fact have more women donors than we do (by number). Let me know if folks have thoughts on that.

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>> Please send your edits in the next hour if possible.

>>

>> Thank you!

>>

>> LP

>> <20151129 Senators Fundraiser 645 pm.docx>

From: ["Bob Glovsky" <rglovsky@thecolonygroup.com>](mailto:rglovsky@thecolonygroup.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/28/2016 7:47:19 AM

Subject: Congratulations

John,

Great day yesterday. On to Tuesday.

Bob

Robert Glovsky
Vice Chair
The Colony Group
617-723-8200(o)

From: "Ross Offinger" <ross@kirstengillibrand.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 7/29/2010 3:43:40 AM

Subject: this week

John --

Kirsten said it best: "When the radical, right-wing fringe launches its attacks against Democrats, there's only one good way to respond -- FIGHT BACK."

This week, Republicans blocked the DISCLOSE Act in the Senate. This was one of our best chances to rein in the unlimited power the Supreme Court gave to corporations and special interests in their Citizens United decision. Republicans know that progressives like Kirsten have a better plan and message, which is why they'll do anything to protect their money flowing in from mega-corporations. We need you to help Kirsten so she has the resources to stand up to them in November.

We're just three days from our critical goal of 500 donors before July 31, and we need your help before it's too late.

[Click here to rush your contribution of \\$250, \\$500, or more to Kirsten's campaign. Your donation will help Kirsten continue to fight back.](#)

Thanks,
Ross

From: Kirsten Gillibrand
Date: July 26, 2010 10:08:20 AM EDT
Subject: Obvious
To: Ross Offinger



Dear Friend,

When the radical, right-wing fringe launches its attacks against Democrats, there's only one good way to respond - FIGHT BACK.

I've proven that I'll always fight for Democratic values. When health care reform was on the ropes, I was at the forefront of the fight for the public option. When BP tried to duck responsibility for the oil spill, I helped lead the effort to guarantee a thorough investigation to hold them accountable. I'm doing everything I can to repeal "Don't Ask, Don't Tell."

But taking on the usual right-wing bullies means they will surely come after me. I need help from 500 donors before July 31 to make sure I can fight back.

[Click here to make a contribution today of \\$250, \\$500, or more to my campaign. Even a small contribution from you helps show the extreme right wing that we'll never back down.](#)

The reason these national Republicans spend all their time attacking us is obvious. They don't have a real plan for getting Americans back to work and moving this

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THE RADICAL RIGHT WING**

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OUR PROGRESSIVE VALUES**

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country forward.

Their only response to any problem is to figure out what Democrats are for, and then rant and rave about repealing it. That's not leadership. That's just flat-out obstruction.

So instead of real ideas for creating jobs or finally doing something about climate change, we get the right-wing media running sideshow stories 24/7. Their only interest is making Democrats look bad and scaring us into backing down from the values we hold dear.

They don't scare me, and I'll never give up our core principles. I need your help before the end of the month to show them once and for all: we're sick of their scare tactics, and we're fighting back.

[Click here to make a contribution of \\$250, \\$500, or more to my campaign. Even a small contribution from you helps show the extreme right wing that we'll never back down.](#)

I know politics is a tough business. But the truth is that hearing the radical right say some nasty words about me is nothing compared to the struggles New Yorkers face every day trying to put food on the table and to give their kids a better life.

That's who I'm fighting for. I know I can count on you to stand with me every step of the way.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Gillibrand

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To: ["John D Podesta" <podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU>](mailto:podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU)

Date: 2/25/2016 12:00:00 PM

Subject: Register Today! March 14-15 Administrative Law Institute | 9.0 CLE Credit Hours



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To: "[John Podesta](mailto:John.Podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 11/28/2015 6:53:36 AM

Subject: the secret to huge Republican victories →

PROGRESSIVE TURNOUT PROJECT

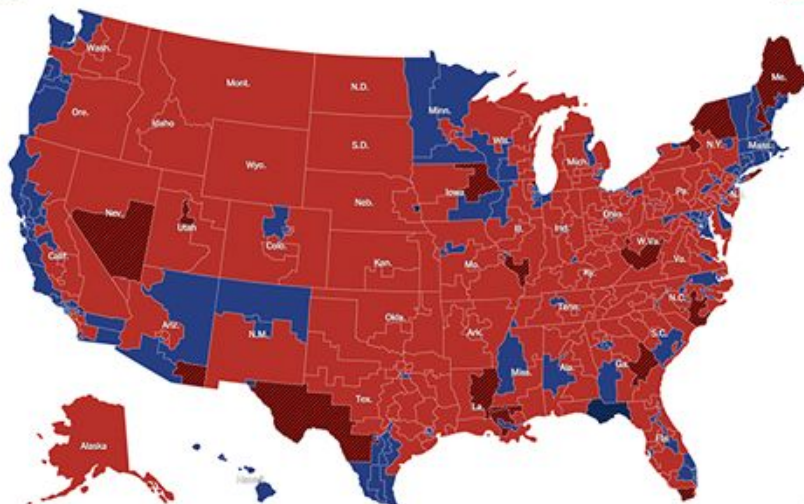
The Republican strategy to make voting more difficult has wiped dozens of Democratic districts off the map.

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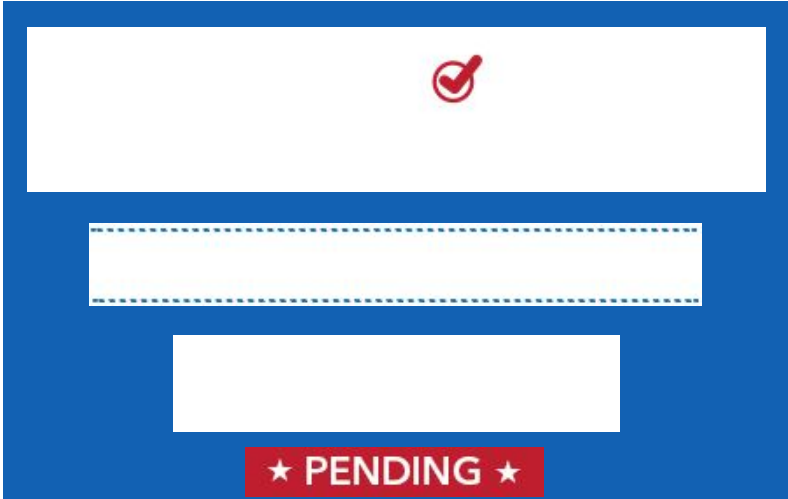


*New York Times
2014 Election Results*

The only way to guarantee that this doesn't get even worse in 2016 is by investing in voter turnout right now.

And we know you're with us on this. When we checked this morning, we noticed we are in range of hitting our goal of 10,000 Original Members ahead of our critical end of month deadline!

If you help us hit this goal, we'll have the resources needed to deploy a winning strategy and boost voter turnout in 2016.



Chip in \$5 or more today to become an Original Member of the Progressive Turnout Project >>

\$5	\$35	\$50
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The GOP strategy to keep Democrats from the polls is working.

Republicans across the country have pushed legislation to make it more difficult for voters to register and cast ballots. Their strategy has resulted in:

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- Republicans claiming the largest majority in Congress in over 70 years.

How do we fight back?

If we hit this goal today, we'll be able to deploy a strategy combining state-of-the-art technology with face-to-face conversations to get more Democrats to the polls.

When Democrats have the tools to compete, and if every eligible Democrat is able to cast their ballot, we can win -- no matter how tight the race.

But we need your support right now if we're going to do it.

Chip in \$5 (or more!) to become an Original Member before our Monday deadline:



<http://go.turnoutpac.org/Donate>

Always moving forward,

-The Progressive Turnout Project

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Emails are a crucial way to stay in touch with our top supporters. If we're going to increase turnout in 2016, we need you with us every step of the way.

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Gary HIRSHBERG" <GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com>
Date: 7/7/2015 4:39:26 PM
Subject: Re: Fw: Details for next Hillary trip to NH

Thanks for a great event and for giving her a glass of wine and a chance to relax. Heard you had a good conversation.

On Jun 30, 2015 1:53 PM, "Gary HIRSHBERG" <GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com> wrote:

John, not to be a broken record, but since Hillary doesn't have anything after our event friday night, please let her know that she is more than welcome to hang out with the dozen or so very close friends and family who will be here to celebrate Meg's birthday. We will be christening her birthday present...a motorized barge out on the lake... It will be fun for her and it will be very casual and relaxed. My good friend John Hickenlooper and his son will also be here...



Gary Hirshberg
Chairman, Stonyfield Farm
Chairman, Just Label It

From: Kari Thurman <kthurman@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: Details for next Hillary trip to NH
Date: June 30, 2015 at 8:48:31 AM EDT
To: Kari Thurman <kthurman@hillaryclinton.com>

Good morning -- hope all is well! I wanted to send along details for our next trip with Hillary! See all the details below.

This information is not public at this time, so we ask that you please not share until later this afternoon.

Similar to previous trips, our big focus is to make sure that local folks get to meet and talk with Hillary. If you have any suggestions of people that we should reach out to or if you would like to reach on behalf of the campaign, we would love to have them join us!

As always, don't hesitate to call or email me anytime with questions or ideas -- [603-731-2174](tel:603-731-2174) .

All my best,

Kari

Hillary Clinton will participate in a grassroots organizing event in Hanover

WHERE: 29 Rope Ferry Rd. in Hanover, NH

EVENT START: 1:30 PM ET, Friday, July 3rd

Hillary Clinton will participate in a grassroots organizing event in Glen

WHERE: 50 Forest Ledge Rd in Glen, NH

EVENT START: 9:30 AM ET, Saturday, July 4th

Hillary Clinton will march in the annual Gorham Fourth of July parade

WHERE: Dublin Street in Gorham, NH

Event Start: 2:00 PM, Saturday, July 4th

Sent from my iPhone

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Ryan Fleury

Hillary for America

New England Finance Director

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From:	"Andrew Baumann" <ABaumann@gqrr.com>
To:	"Begala, Paul" <pbegala@hatcreekent.com> "David Brock" <davidbrockdc@gmail.com> "Tara McGuinness \ (CDA\)" <TMcGuinness@progressivemediausa.org> "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> "Susan McCue" <susan@one.org>
Date:	6/13/2008 11:33:03 AM
Subject:	Plan for McCain research
Attachments:	DCorps Presidential Battleground Research Plan 061308v2.pdf

All,

Please find attached Democracy Corps' plan for 7 surveys on John McCain between now and Election Day. Your comments and suggestions are most welcome.

Thanks,
Andrew

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From: "Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 8/2/2014 10:09:12 PM

Subject: Fwd: Nicki Minaj Doesn't Think Her Butt Is Unacceptable | ThinkProgress

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>

Date: August 2, 2014 at 7:12:39 PM PDT

To: Herbert Sandler <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>

Cc: Susan Sandler <ses@sandlerfoundation.org>, Steve Daetz <sdaetz@sandlerfoundation.org>

Subject: Re: Nicki Minaj Doesn't Think Her Butt Is Unacceptable | ThinkProgress

Yes, I agree with your point.

ThinkProgress started a culture vertical 4 yrs ago, and it was hugely successful as a feminist critique of culture. Our first writer was lured by the Washington Post. But it takes a lot of judgment to oversee this area. I will check in with Judd on quality control.

Thanks for sending.

From: Sandler, Herbert <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>

Sent: Saturday, August 02, 2014 7:46:13 PM

To: Neera Tanden

Cc: Sandler, Susan; Daetz, Steve

Subject: Nicki Minaj Doesn't Think Her Butt Is Unacceptable | ThinkProgress

Is this Think Progress or the Huffington Post. Am I missing something?

<http://thinkprogress.org/culture/2014/08/01/3466202/nicki-minaj-album-artwork-double-standard/>

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Date:	9/15/2015 6:24:53 AM
Subject:	Updated Invitation: Integration Meeting @ Weekly from 8:30am to 9am on weekdays from Tue Sep 1 to Tue Sep 15 (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Integration Meeting

[more details »](#)

When

Changed: Weekly from 8:30am to 9am on weekdays from Tue Sep 1 to Tue Sep 15 Eastern Time

Where

718-514-6773, NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa ([map](#))

Video call

https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/integration

Calendar

john.podesta@gmail.com

Who

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From: "Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 7/11/2015 7:09:53 AM

Subject: Re: HRC just asked John and me if Jake and Marlon could be in DC on Tues with her

good flag

we are just working on staff numbers for tuesday and figuring out how to manage to get everyone taken care of

On Sat, Jul 11, 2015 at 1:53 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Perfect

On Jul 11, 2015, at 1:14 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I'll be doing a breakfast with econ journalists in DC that morning and then can come join.

From: Robby Mook [mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Saturday, July 11, 2015 1:13 PM

To: Huma Abedin; Jake Sullivan; Marlon Marshall; John Podesta

Subject: HRC just asked John and me if Jake and Marlon could be in DC on Tues with her

Jake and Marlon, that possible?

From: ["Tom Steyer" <tsteyer@fahrllc.com>](mailto:tsteyer@fahrllc.com)

To: ["John Podesta \(john.podesta@gmail.com\)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["John?? Podesta \ \(John_D_Podesta@who.eop.gov\\)" <John_D_Podesta@who.eop.gov>](mailto:John_D_Podesta@who.eop.gov)

Date: 8/4/2014 8:56:54 AM

Subject: business council

John—worried this is falling through cracks. Talk, esp re Walmart? Tom

From: ["Heather Stone" <hstone@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:hstone@hillaryclinton.com)
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["Teddy Goff" <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:tgoff@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 11/16/2015 12:27:51 PM

Subject: Message Planning Notes - 11/16

Attachments: Message Planning Notes 11.16.docx

Attached please find the notes from our message planning meeting. I added some notes for the coming weeks from last week's planning meeting.

Thanks,
Heather

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 10/5/2015 5:00:16 AM

Subject: Re: TWEETS 10/5

Ok

On Monday, October 5, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

TWEETS 10/5

30,000 gun deaths every year shouldn't be "normal" in America. Read @HillaryClinton's plan to take on gun violence: hrc.io/1Z3qlpU

Thankful for the leadership of @SteveBenjaminSC, police, firefighters & relief workers as SC recovers from extreme weather. Stay safe.



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Milia Fisher

Special Assistant to the Chair

Hillary for America

mfisher@hillaryclinton.com

c: 858.395.1741

From: [Safeway <safeway@favorites.safeway.com>](mailto:Safeway<safeway@favorites.safeway.com>)To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 7/23/2008 1:47:33 PM

Subject: MARY, savings for you

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Attachments: McCain Was No Critic.doc

From: ["Adam Blickstein" <ablickstein@nsnetwork.org>](mailto:ablickstein@nsnetwork.org)

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 11/18/2009 5:11:32 AM

Subject: [big campaign] FW: Conservatives Terrified of Bringing Terrorists to Justice



Conservatives Terrified of Bringing Terrorists to Justice

Washington, D.C. - A comprehensive strategy and architecture to bring terrorists to justice should be a source of national pride - not fear-mongering. Whether it's inane assertions that terrorists will kidnap Mayor Bloomberg's daughter, or that Illinois will be ground zero for terrorist attacks and jihad recruitment, conservatives are simply unhinged when it comes to combating terror. But while they demonize our judicial system and lambast the ability of the men and women of our prison and law enforcement systems to keep our communities safe, they neglect the fact that trying terrorists in civilian courts-and following the rule of law-is one of our best strategies for combating violent extremism. Pursuing this takes critical recruitment tools away from the terrorists, brings us allies and partners around the world, and underscores the foundations of our democracy that separates America from its enemies. As 9/11 widow Kristen Breitweiser [said](#) : "To be clear, the only danger posed by prosecuting men like KSM in an open court in New York is the red alert it poses to the Republican Party's faltering reputation in fighting their 'war on terror.'"

It is clear that the task of developing a comprehensive strategy to detain and try terrorists is not easy -President Obama admitted as much when he acknowledged yesterday that his Administration would miss the January deadline it set to close the Guantanamo Bay military detention facility. But it is more important to get this policy right than to rush and make mistakes. In contrast to the previous Administration's ad hoc actions, the Obama administration is taking a careful and methodical approach to right these wrongs. This strategy will finally bring those who attacked us on 9/11 to justice, strengthen our global struggle against extremists and terrorists, and reinforce the laws and Constitution that are the foundation of our democracy.

While progressives support bringing terrorists to justice, extreme conservatives hyperventilate. Since the Justice Department's announcement that it will try the 9/11 conspirators in federal courts in New York, and the news that the Obama administration is considering shifting Guantanamo Bay detainees to a maximum security facility in Illinois, conservatives have unleashed a torrent of hyperbolic attacks. Just yesterday, Rep. John Shadegg (R - AZ) indulged in the worst kind of fear mongering, responding to New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg's support of the trials by saying "Well, Mayor, how are you going to feel when it's your daughter that's kidnapped at school by a terrorist? How are you going to feel when it's some clerk -- some innocent clerk of the court -- whose daughter or son is kidnapped? Or the jailer's little brother or little sister?" According to coverage in Politico, "Bloomberg spokesman Stu Loeser said he wouldn't 'dignify' Shadegg's remark with a comment." Shadegg's remarks were just the later in a pattern of vitriolic distortions, which distract from bringing terrorists to justice:

- **Conservative Myth: Obama administration's plans for imprisoning terrorist suspects in the U.S. makes us less safe.** Over the weekend, Rep. David Manzullo (R - IL) and Senate candidate Mark Steven Kirk wrote, with fear-mongering rhetoric, that "[a]s home to America's tallest building, we should not invite Al Qaeda to make Illinois its No. 1 target." [NY Times, [11/16/09](#)]
- **Reality: The U.S. has a stellar record of safely keeping hardened terrorists behind bars.** In 2007, 60 Minutes reported on the the Supermax federal prison in Florence, Colorado, which holds dozens of terrorists who were convicted in civilian court, including: Zacarias Moussaoui, the alleged "20th hijacker" in the September 11, 2001 attacks; Ramzi Yusef and Omar Abdel-Rahman, convicted for masterminding the first World Trade Center attack; and Richard Reid, the so-called shoe bomber. According to the former warden there, "Most prisoners spend up to 23 hours a day in their cells, every minute, every meal." [60 Minutes, [8/14/07](#)]
- **Conservative Myth: Trials will be a propaganda vehicle for Al-Qaeda.** "The suspects are going to "make it a circus and use it as a platform to push their ideology." [Rep. Peter Hoekstra (R - MI), Voice of America News, [11/15/09](#)]
- **Reality: America's best legal traditions will "put Jihad on trial."** Writing in the New York Times today, Council on Foreign Relations counterterrorism expert Steven Simon writes: "Historically, the public exposure of state-sponsored mass murder or terrorism through a transparent judicial process has strengthened the forces of good and

undercut the extremists. The Nuremberg trials were a classic case. And nothing more effectively alerted the world to the danger of genocide than Israel's prosecution in 1961 of Adolf Eichmann, the bureaucrat who engineered the Holocaust." [Steven Simon, [11/18/09](#)]

- **Conservative Myth: Trying terrorists in federal courts gives them the advantage:** Former New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani criticized the plan to try 9/11 conspirators, including Khalid Sheikh Mohammed, saying on CNN's State of the Union that "It gives an unnecessary advantage to the terrorists and why would you want to give an advantage to the terrorists, and it poses risks for New York." [Rudy Giuliani, via the NY Times, [11/16/09](#)]
- **Reality: Federal courts are one of America's best tools for bringing terrorists to justice.** A 2009 report by Human Rights First written by a team of former federal prosecutors found that "of the 214 defendants whose cases were resolved as of June 2, 2009, 195 were convicted either by verdict or by a guilty plea. This is a conviction rate of 91.121%." [Human Rights First, [7/23/09](#)]
- **Conservative Myth: 9/11 terrorists tried in New York will be found not guilty.** "The possibility that Khalid Sheikh Mohammed and his co-conspirators could be found 'not guilty' due to some legal technicality just blocks from Ground Zero should give every American pause." [Rep. John Boehner (R - OH), Press Release, [11/13/09](#)]
- **Reality: New York City Courts have never acquitted anyone of terrorist charges.** According to NYU's center on Law and Security, New York City courts have a zero acquittal rate for terrorism cases. [NYU, [9/11/08](#)]

[Rep. John Shadegg (R-AZ), via Politico, [11/17/09](#)]

Closing Guantanamo was never an easy task, especially due to the legal and international problems Bush left behind. Today the Washington Post reports that "President Obama directly acknowledged for the first time Wednesday that the prison facility at Guantanamo Bay will not close by the January deadline he set, but he said he hoped to still achieve that goal sometime next year... Obama came to office pledging to shut a detainee facility that had become a symbol for prisoner abuse at the hands of American officials." However, "[t]here was also a tangle of legal issues involving what to do with suspected terrorists who had been tortured in prison in a way that jeopardized the integrity of the evidence against them, or who for other reasons could not stand trial." As Ken Gude further explains in a recent report for the Center for American Progress, "The Bush administration created a prison camp specifically designed to exist outside the reach of the law. It did so because what it intended to do was transparently illegal: torture, indefinite detention, and show trials that made a mockery of justice."

When the Bush administration left office, its military tribunal system had managed to convict only three terrorists - none of whom have been senior level operatives. Meanwhile, civilian courts had achieved almost 200 terrorism convictions since 9/11/ Perpetrators of terrorist attacks against America could have been in federal court, facing justice, long ago. [Washington Post, [11/18/09](#) . Ken Gude, CAP, [11/09](#) . Wall Street Journal, [7/24/08](#) . NY Times, [11/3/08](#) . The Constitution Project, [10/28/09](#)]

Obama administration, progressives, and local leaders are actively working to bring terrorists to justice, using every military and law enforcement resource available.

Attorney General Eric Holder explained the administration's stance very clearly, saying "We are at war, and we will use every instrument of national power - civilian, military, law enforcement, intelligence, diplomatic, and others - to win. We need not cower in the face of this enemy. Our institutions are strong, our infrastructure is sturdy, our resolve is firm, and our people are ready." So far the administration has taken multiple concrete steps:

- **Civilian trials for those who targeted civilians showcase the strength of our institutions.** The New York Times reported that, "The Obama administration said Friday that it would prosecute Khalid Shaikh Mohammed, the self-described mastermind of the Sept. 11 attacks, in a Manhattan federal courtroom, a decision that ignited a sharp political debate but took a step toward resolving one of the most pressing terrorism detention issues." [NY Times, [11/13/09](#)]
- **Secure U.S. facility identified to house detainees; surrounding town says, "might as well come here."** ABC News reports that, "A prison complex 150 miles from Chicago has emerged as the leading contender to house detainees currently being held at Guantanamo Bay, senior administration officials tell ABC News. Officials from the Pentagon and the Federal Bureau of Prisons will soon visit Illinois' Thomson Correctional Center to inspect the maximum security prison, which was opened in 2001 but has never been fully utilized because of state budget issues." [ABC News, [11/14/09](#) . Chicago Breaking News, [11/14/09](#) . Chicago Tribune, [11/14/09](#)]
- **Military trials for suspects who planned attacks against U.S. military overseas.** The Washington Post reports that "[t]he administration directed toward military commissions suspects who are believed to have carried out or plotted terrorist acts overseas against military targets. Among the five are Abd al-Rahim al-Nashiri, accused of coordinating the deadly attack on the USS Cole in 2000." [Washington Post, [11/14/09](#)]

- **An overhaul of Afghan detention facilities to prevent Guantanamo and Abu Ghraib scandals from recurring.**

The Washington Post reports that "By the end of the month, the U.S. military plans to begin moving the first of its approximately 700 detainees at Bagram air field to a new \$60 million holding complex in an attempt to provide better living conditions and separate committed fighters from those who are ready to re-enter Afghan society." [Washington Post, [11/16/09](#)]

Local leaders and citizens in the areas most affected by the decisions know that America's criminal justice system can handle it. The Associated Press reports that New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg "said Friday, 'It is fitting that 9/11 suspects face justice near the World Trade Center site where so many New Yorkers were murdered.' And New York Police Commissioner Raymond W. Kelly said holding the trial in the city most devastated by the 2001 attack is appropriate, and he pronounced the Police Department prepared to meet any security challenge." Meanwhile, in Thomson, Illinois, "News that the federal government seems interested in transferring detainees from Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, to the Thomson Correctional Center was greeted warmly in this small, rural farm town along the Iowa border." Reports, Chicago Breaking News. And The Chicago Tribune quoted one calm local resident: "I don't want (enemy combatants) walking the street, so they have to go some place," said Harris, 64. 'Might as well come here.'" [AP, [11/16/09](#) . Chicago Breaking News, [11/14/09](#) . Chicago Tribune, [11/14/09](#)]

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To: ["Gary HIRSHBERG" <GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com>](mailto:GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com)
Date: 8/25/2015 11:17:48 AM
Subject: Re: Invitation

Love to.

On Aug 25, 2015 1:30 PM, "Gary HIRSHBERG" <GHIRSHBERG@stonyfield.com> wrote:

Hi John, I will be hosting you and a bunch of NH environmental leaders at my concord home for a breakfast on Sept 2. Would you and whomever is traveling with you like to spend the night at our house on the 1st or for whatever nights you will be here. We have 4 free bedrooms and plenty of privacy in a beautiful secluded spot.

Let me know. Best wishes, Gary

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Robert Roche" <robertwroche@gmail.com>](mailto:robertwroche@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/7/2015 4:29:01 AM

Subject: Meeting

Dear John,

I hope you are back safe and sound. I'm not sure if you are in DC or NYC or some other place right now.

I was wondering if you had some time at the end of this week or sometime next week to continue our conversation about the role of Business Forward and the campaign's outreach to the business community.

Jim and I think it would be most effective if the 3 of us could have a conversation and it would be great if you and Jim could be in the same place with me calling into the meeting.

Jim lives in DC and is happy to go where ever is most convenient for you and your schedule. He can meet you in NYC or DC and I can call in. Please keep in mind the 12 hour difference with Shanghai. I can do a call anytime other than 11:30pm to 7:30am Shanghai time.

Is there a best day and time that works for you?

Thanks, I'm looking forward to continuing our conversation.

Hope all is well.

Regards,

Robert

From: "Opinion Miles Club" <info@opinionmilesclub.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/14/2015 7:51:15 PM

Subject: Don't forget: New survey awaits

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From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>
To: "Demesmin-Rodrigues, Jeannette" <jdemesmin-rodriques@sandlerfoundation.org>
Date: 3/10/2015 4:37:39 AM
Subject: Re: Los Angeles Docs to print for John

Ah Nope! All good. Just 3 am fatigue.

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 10, 2015, at 10:53, Demesmin-Rodrigues, Jeannette <jdemesmin-rodriques@sandlerfoundation.org> wrote:

Hi Eryn – Docs 1 and 2 are printed as requested. BTW, Doc 2 is 6 pages not 7 as you indicated. Are we missing something, pls?

Thanks,
Jeannette

From: Demesmin-Rodrigues, Jeannette
Sent: Tuesday, March 10, 2015 7:44 AM
To: 'Eryn Sepp'
Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com ; Hyde, Susan
Subject: RE: Los Angeles Docs to print for John

Hi Eryn – No problem! I will take care of this now.
Best,
Jeannette

From: Eryn Sepp [<mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, March 09, 2015 11:49 PM
To: Demesmin-Rodrigues, Jeannette; Hyde, Susan
Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com
Subject: Los Angeles Docs to print for John

Hi Ladies! Could you indulge me in a printing endeavor?

All single sided, All sensitive docs

Doc 1 (LA Memo - 3 pgs): 8 1/2 x 11, Color

Doc 2 (LA Maps - 7 pgs): Legal Size, Color (if PDF doesn't work, let me know and I'll send you Word version)

Coming in the AM:

Doc 3 (OGE-278, pgs tbd, but under 20 I believe): 8 1/2 x 11, Black and White

Reiterating that these are very sensitive in nature, so if you do multiple prints, please destroy extra copies.

CCing John for his awareness. As you know, he'll be there this morning for another meeting with Herb, Heather, and Larry Kramer of the Hewlett Foundation from 9 - 11 am. I have a backup to print at the next appointment if you don't have legal paper, or something else goes wrong!

Thanks again for all your fantastic assistance, as always--
Eryn

From: ["Ken Salazar" <kennethlsalazar@gmail.com>](mailto:kennethlsalazar@gmail.com)
To: ["Amanda Renteria" <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 7/29/2015 3:23:27 AM
Subject: Re: YOUR THOUGHTS ASAP: Colorado Organizing Event

Amanda,

I understand the good purpose for this event with the community.

I also think it is a mistake for HRC on her first visit to Colorado to fail to touch base with the Colorado elected officials in the General Assembly. The Colorado Representatives and Senators will be the most important leaders and organizers of the caucuses in their respective Districts with already existing networks and organizations we can merge into our HRC campaign. I worry a potential HRC rival could easily wrest some of them away from us if they feel ignored.

Also, please know that the significant number of Democrats in the House and Senate in Colorado today is the result of precision organization we have created over the last ten years. It wasn't that long ago when every single statewide official in Colorado was a Republican (in 1998 with the exception of the Attorney General) and both chambers were in solid Republican control. We have a tough and complicated state for a Democrat to win, and we need to win Colorado for Secretary Clinton.

Perhaps a venue might be just to have the electeds invited to meet her and shake hands when she lands at the airport. I know the schedule is crowded, but I think this touch is important.

All the best,

Ken

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 29, 2015, at 12:10 AM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

The proposal is an organizing meeting with some electeds. Our grassroots team has put a list together of the folks who are working in the various districts we need. As we discussed, the vision is everyday folks and the folks we need to start the work of organizing. We are using this as a training meeting as well as to make sure local/CO press know that we are meeting with community members and building what we need on the ground. As we talked about, we are not doing an electeds meeting because this will further harm the perception you were concerned about in our conversations. The vision is that the majority of folks will be invites from our grassroots team.

Jessica and Victoria are our key leads on this event. We will contact Mayor Webb separately but need our advance team to report back the numbers that are possible for them in this venue.

From there, we will put together the combo of invites we should have in the room.

Thank you for these names.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 28, 2015, at 7:03 PM, Ken Salazar <kennethlsalazar@gmail.com> wrote:

Amanda,

In the Latino community in Colorado, it will be a gaping hole if we do not have Federico Pena. I will meet with him on Monday, and it may take a special touch to get him. Copying John Podesta Fyi.

Ken

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 28, 2015, at 2:38 PM, Lyons, James M. <JLyons@lrrlaw.com> wrote:

Amanda, Casita is fine but we need to include representatives of the black community, too. I would suggest contacting Mayor Wellington Webb for his thoughts on invitees. Otherwise agree with Ken. Jim.

From: Amanda Renteria [<mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2015 12:55 PM
To: Ken Salazar; Tracey Lewis; Jessica Mejia; Lorella Praeli
Cc: Lyons, James M.
Subject: Re: YOUR THOUGHTS ASAP: Colorado Organizing Event

Can't do parking lot.

This will open up to big protesters and a lot more coordination and resources. Plus, it doesn't allow us to do the work we really need to do on the organizing front.

Thank you for drafting the list Ken.

Adding Tracey and Jessica who are doing organizing on the ground. And, Lorella who is our Latino Outreach Dir.

-Amanda

On Tue, Jul 28, 2015 at 2:14 PM, Ken Salazar <kennethsalazar@gmail.com> wrote:
Yes! But I think capacity is about 100. Large parking lot though. And I think we can make it work!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 28, 2015, at 12:52 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We modeled this out for Casita. That work?

On Tue, Jul 28, 2015 at 1:50 PM, Ken Salazar <kennethsalazar@gmail.com> wrote:
Makes great sense to me. We want it to be enthusiastic event. Venue is key- needs to be in the right location and size so it is full. Location-northwest Denver or Adams County-working class neighborhood. Potential sites-church or union hall; small business location with space.

Also, HRC for 45 minutes makes sense. Organizing portion should not be too long.

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 28, 2015, at 11:54 AM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We are working through a proposal here to make sure we address all the issues you raised (and thank you for doing so).

Goal: To touch the community and kick off organizing.

Time: HRC 45 minutes

Vision: We fill the room with community leaders, real people, organizers. We would use this to do some training as well (esp. since this is a caucus state). HRC would say a few words and work the room/take pics.

Invites: We would work this as we are in FL. Jessica, we will work with our grassroots team for the invite list. We will add the Senator's invites too.

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From: "Sara DuBois" <sara@progressiveaccountability.org>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 7/31/2008 3:52:20 PM

Subject: [big campaign] Tracking Clip of the Day: McCain on covering Viagra vs. birth control (take 2): "It"s up to the person who purchases the insurance"

Enjoy!

QUESTIONER: "As a young woman who is about to enter the professional world, I am very concerned about my future employer covering all of my health care needs. And you were asked a couple weeks ago about a policy which holds employers responsible for covering Viagra but not for birth control, so I'm wondering now that you've had several weeks to get more information about that, what your position is."

JOHN MCCAIN: "That it's up to the person who purchases the insurance. If that person wants certain coverage of any kind then that person ought to be able to receive that. And so it's up to the person who purchases the insurance. That's under our plan."

(Town Hall; Racine, WI 07/31/08)
To View: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JKI3MH1HZp4>

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From: "Deborah Epstein" <epstein@law.georgetown.edu>

To: "Milton Regan" <regan@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 10/7/2014 6:23:07 PM

Subject: Re: Changes to Student Practice Rules

This was all Wally. He has been working on this since he stepped down as Associate Dean -- just about a decade.

It is an incredibly welcome change.

Deborah

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 7, 2014, at 9:17 PM, Milton Regan <regan@law.georgetown.edu> wrote:

Hi, everyone. Here's an article describing recent salutary changes in rules applicable to students involved in clinical education in the District of Columbia. It quotes Wally Mlyniec as one of the persons spearheading the changes; I'm sure that our other clinical faculty were involved as well.

<http://www.nationallawjournal.com/legaltimes/home/id=1202672612533?kw=New%20Rules%20For%20Law%20Students%27%20Legal%20Work%20in%20D.C.&et=editorial&bu=National%20Law%20Journal&cn=20141007&src=EMC-Email&pt=Legal%20Times%20Afternoon%20Update&slreturn=20140907211303>

Best,
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Subject: Invitation: Behind the Scenes @ Wed Feb 10, 2016 4pm - 5pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

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Wed Feb 10, 2016 4pm – 5pm Eastern Time

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NY-BrooklynHQ-South Carolina ([map](#))

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https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/asmith

Calendar

john.podesta@gmail.com

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- Finance Outreach
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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>

Date: 9/7/2015 5:48:57 AM

Subject: Re: Hey, guys

Thanks, D!

Greetings from Cedar Rapids. Happy to report she is feeling and doing great.

JP

Sent from my iPhone

> On Sep 7, 2015, at 7:08 AM, DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

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> Just to say again that we're thinking of you. You're crushing it. Loved the opioids/heroin/treatment business.

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> John, will make sure I'm around and free b4 and after you're here.

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> Keep crushing,

> DM

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: [DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>](mailto:DMCOS@who.eop.gov)

Date: 10/10/2015 5:49:26 AM

Subject: Re: If I haven't been PNG'd

Great, but if easier I can make my way to WH.

On Saturday, October 10, 2015, DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

How about we pick you up on our way in?

We'll have Anna (sister), Jimmy (brother), Paul (bro-in-law). And we can pick you up en route.

Cool?

If yes, I'll send a note later on exact time. And would be great if you could send address.

DM

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]]

Sent: Saturday, October 10, 2015 12:03 PM

To: DMCOS

Subject: If I haven't been PNG'd

Want to try to meet up for the race tomorrow? I can come to your house or meet you at 17th and Penn and go over to the Pentagon together. I could try to meet you over there too, but that's more of a zoo.

From: ["Lanny J. Davis" <ldavis@lannyjdavis.com>](mailto:ldavis@lannyjdavis.com)

To: ["Lanny Davis" <lannyjdavis@icloud.com>](mailto:lannyjdavis@icloud.com)

Date: 8/16/2015 8:36:03 AM

Subject: Re: Personak

Sorry. Bad typos on iPad. I meant can "I" be included.

Sent from my iPad

> On Aug 16, 2015, at 9:32 AM, Lanny Davis <lannyjdavis@icloud.com> wrote:

>

> Hi John:

>

> Can in e included in at least one meeting with you and senior managers in charge of crisis management re emails? Someone needs to interface with lawyers - who I suspect may be influencing strategy? On my honor I give you my word I will not mention to anyone my involvement.

>

> I would also like to talk to my friend the about where to go from here. I can meet her on the road wherever she is. Her husband and I have talked at times - but I haven't given her my views on this email issue can be handled better going forward.

>

> Of course happy to give you my views too personally. As always. You know since my education from 1996-98 working with you I have spent most of my time as attorney bridging the gap (sometimes large) between legal and political/media perspectives. I am guessing that the former has prevailed on this emails issue for a long time. Maybe I am wrong.

>

> Appreciate your consideration. I try not to bother you or try to offer advice but rarely. (You of all people know me and know how hard that is for me. My DNA makes it tough. Ask your great fan and former student, Carolyn Atwell-Davis!)

>

> Warm regards,

>

> Lanny

>

> Sent from my iPad

From: "[Mayor Eric Garcetti](#)" <info@lamayor.org>
To: "[John Podesta](#)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 12/27/2015 12:06:32 PM
Subject: L.A. 360: Happy Holidays!



Hi John,

Here's a quick rundown of some handy updates from this week.

In Case You Missed It:

- [Passengers at LAX get a Lyft](#)
- [Silent Night, live at City Hall](#)
- [U.S. Army Corps of Engineers gives the L.A. River a thumbs up](#)
- [The largest cargo ship to visit North America docks at the Port of L.A.](#)

Check out a special holiday edition of L.A. 60 Seconds.



As always, I'd love to get your feedback on how we are doing on [Facebook](#) , [Twitter](#) , and on my [website](#) .

Thanks for reading!

– Eric Garcetti
Mayor

Office of Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti
200 N Spring St, 300, Los Angeles, CA 90012, United States



This email was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com .

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From: "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
To: "Tina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>
Date: 4/7/2015 8:28:37 AM
Subject: Re: Morocco

we'll wrap up then

On Tue, Apr 7, 2015 at 3:23 PM, Tina Flournoy <Tina@presidentclinton.com> wrote:
do you guys know where we are - as of today - on CHAI? That needs to be discussed - but he's about to lose it if we don't wrap the call

On Apr 7, 2015, at 3:22 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

got it

On Tue, Apr 7, 2015 at 3:16 PM, Tina Flournoy <Tina@presidentclinton.com> wrote:
we have press calls on their contributions

From: ["Gene Karpinski, League of Conservation Voters" <feedback@lcv.org>](mailto:feedback@lcv.org)
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 4/26/2011 6:48:07 AM
Subject: Who will it be?



LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS

Dear John,

Barack Obama for Senate in 2004.

Maria Cantwell for Senate in 2006.

Mark Udall for Senate in 2008.

Michael Bennet for Senate in 2010.

We've always said that elections have consequences. And LCV's early endorsement can make a huge difference in a competitive Senate race.

That's why I'm excited to announce that tomorrow we'll be issuing our first endorsement of the 2012 election cycle -- and we want you to be there with us.

[Click here to sign up for our members-only conference call this Wednesday at 12:30 PM Eastern. Join us as we kick off our efforts to elect more pro-environment champions to Congress.](#)

Our First 2012 Endorsement



[Click here to join our members-only conference call Wednesday, 12:30 PM ET](#)

This is the earliest in an election cycle that LCV has ever endorsed a congressional candidate. It's an indication of how important next year's election is, as well as how proud and excited we are to be announcing this particular endorsement.

But if we're going to elect more pro-environment leaders to the House and Senate, we'll need dedicated supporters like you joining us in this effort.

[So please join us this Wednesday at 12:30 PM Eastern as we announce our first endorsement of the 2012 election cycle. Click here to sign up for the members-only conference call.](#)

Thank you for being a part of this important endorsement announcement.

Sincerely,

Gene Karpinski
President
League of Conservation Voters

P.S. For more updates on what LCV is doing to protect environmental safeguards and elect more environmental leaders, be sure to follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

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From: ["Sally McCarthy" <sem35@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:sem35@law.georgetown.edu)

To: ["John Podesta \(fwd\)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/1/2016 2:01:25 PM

Subject: 2016-2017 Teaching Schedule

Dear John,

I imagine you are quite busy today with the Super Tuesday primaries!

I am working on the annual course scheduling project and am writing to confirm that we will put your Congressional Investigations Seminar on Monday evenings again in Spring 2017. I hope that you are still on board with that plan. Please let me know if we may confirm this schedule.

SPRING 2017

Congressional Investigations Seminar (2 credit paper) (with Judge Leon)

Mondays, 5:45 pm – 7:45 pm

Best,
Sally

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"Charlotte Pera" <Charlotte.Pera@climateworks.org>
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
"Sue Tierney" <stierney@analysisgroup.com>

Date: 10/6/2015 5:59:44 PM

Subject: ClimateWorks Board teleconference 12 October 2015

Attachments: ClimateWorks BoD_2015 October 12 teleconf.pdf

Dear ClimateWorks Board of Directors,

The next teleconference of the ClimateWorks Board of Directors will be held as scheduled on **Monday, October 12, from 8:30-9:30am Pacific**. The agenda and logistics for the teleconference are included below, as well as in the attached pdf packet of pre-read materials.

To begin the meeting we will review our 2014 Federal Tax Return. The draft that we have included for you to review will be discussed by the Audit Committee in their Thursday, October 8 committee meeting, and we will review their recommendations and suggested revisions (if any) verbally in the Board call before asking for your approval. We plan to send you the minutes from the Audit Committee meeting on Friday, October 9.

Next, we will discuss the reserve grant to New Venture Fund that you approved in the September 9 meeting, including recent developments in the Arctic and our current thinking on questions you posed in the meeting.

Finally, we will ask you to approve three contracts for Redstone Strategy Group, totaling \$346,500, which will take us above \$500,000 (the Board approval threshold) in fees and services to Redstone in 2015.

Best regards,
Gretchen

Gretchen Rau

ClimateWorks

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ClimateWorks mobilizes philanthropy to solve the climate crisis and ensure a prosperous future.

The following dial-in for the teleconference will be used:
Monday, October 12, 8:30-9:30am Pacific / 11:30am-12:30pm Eastern / 5:30pm-6:30pm Central European / 9:00-10:00pm India
Participant passcode 997 212 108

From the U.S.: 1-877-384-2311
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Board Agenda

Monday, 12 October 2015

TIME	TOPIC	SUPPORTING MATERIAL	STAFF PRESENTING
Regular Board Session			
8:30 AM 2 min	Welcome and review agenda	<i>In Tab 1:</i> This agenda	

8:32 AM 28 min	ClimateWorks' 2014 Tax Return	<u>In Tab 2:</u> ClimateWorks 2014 Form 990 (Tax Return)	Brian McCracken
9:00 AM 20 min	Follow-up on New Venture Fund grant including new developments in the Arctic	<u>In Tab 3:</u> Memo: Grant to New Venture Fund	Anthony Eggert
9:20 AM 10 min	Contracts	<u>In Tab 4:</u> Memo: Contracts	Charles McElwee
9:30 AM	ADJOURN		

From:	"Lona Valmoro" <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>
To:	"Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com> john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	3/22/2015 1:00:24 PM
Subject:	Tomorrow

John and Jake, a small adjustment for tomorrow.

Can you please meet HRC at the CAP event? Her plan is to depart from CAP for the 12:30pm OTR meeting and has asked if you would ride over with her.

(The CAP event is 10:00am-11:15am but she plans to stay on site and visit with folks before she leaves for the next meeting.)

Thank you — Lona

Lona Valmoro
Office of Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton
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From: ["Embassy of France in the USA - Office for Science & Technology" <clement.lefort@ambascience-usa.org>](mailto:clement.lefort@ambascience-usa.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/4/2015 4:14:06 PM

Subject: [Invitation] French Ameri-Can Climate Talks in Washington DC: Innovation and Engagement of the Private Sector - Sept. 22 at 3:00 pm - Emb. of France

FACTS Washington : Innovation and Engagement of the Private Sector
September 22, 2015, Washington, DC

[View this email in your browser](#)

Dear John Podesta,

On the road to COP21, the Embassy of France in the United States invites you to the closing conference of the French American Climate Talks (FACTS) on September 22, 2015 at 3:00 pm to talk about Innovation and the Engagement of the Private Sector

We will welcome representatives of the main international finance institutions and companies that are already committed to fighting climate change, to talk about how they can support the global transition and give examples of effective solutions.



Gérard Araud, Ambassador of France to the United States, will introduce the conference.

Keynote Speakers:

- Christine Lagarde, Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund
- Bertrand Badré, Managing Director and World Bank Group Chief Financial Officer

Panel Discussion moderated by Chad Holliday, Chairman of Royal Dutch Shell:

- Brice Lalonde, Special Advisor on Sustainable Development to the United Nations Global Compact
- Kevin Rabinovitch, Global Sustainability Director, Mars Incorporated.
- Jonathan Maher, Vice President Corporate Social Responsibility & Sustainability at L'Oreal USA
- Robert Diamond, Special Assistant to the President and Director of Private Sector Engagement, White House
- Laurence Tubiana, Ambassador for Climate Change and Special Representative for the 2015 Paris Climate Conference

Venue : Embassy of France in the United States - 4101 Reservoir Road, NW, Washington, DC 20007

Detailed program: <http://facts.france-science.org/program/#washington-dc>

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Welcoming Remarks



Gérard Araud
Ambassador of France to the United States

Opening Keynote



Christine Lagarde
Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund

Closing Keynote



Bertrand Badré
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Roundtable : Innovation and Engagement of the Private Sector



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Chad Holliday –Moderator
Chairman of Royal Dutch Shell

About FACTS

FACTS is a public conference series planned in twelve cities across the United States and Canada involving renowned scientists, civil society representatives, NGOs, political figures, journalists and entrepreneurs. Organized by the Embassies of France in both Canada and the United States, FACTS aims to mobilize French, American, and Canadian public opinion on the issues of climate change and reinforce the dialogue between experts from these countries.

Detailed program of the FACTS conferences is available on the [FACTS website](#)

We look forward to seeing you at this event.



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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 2/19/2016 3:28:15 PM

Subject: Re: DRAFTS: Remarks for Saturday

smaller group here for more specific edits.

1) I would add a millennial reference to the graph below - something that acknowledges their lack of opportunity "we see young people who grow up in shadow of 9/11 and in wake of the great recession face a world where they see no opportunity."

"We're in this together because we look at our country and see so much that isn't working the way it should. We see grandparents forced to choose between paying rent and buying medicine because a prescription drug company jacks up prices 4,000 percent overnight. We see African-American families denied mortgages at nearly three times the rate of white families. We see small towns and rural communities hollowed out by lost jobs and lost hopes."

2) in an effort to further limit "I" and make more communal: But please know, you are heard, you are seen and I am never going to stop fighting for you.

Instead of: I hear you, I see you, and I'm never going to stop fighting for you.

3) Not sure we have a great pull-out sentence that fully captures the message for the press to use and us to point to. Below are candidates I see for such a message sentence, but think they could use some gussying up.

a) This is your campaign. It's a campaign to break down every barrier that holds you back. We're going to build ladders of opportunity in their place, so every American can go as far as your hard work can take you.

b) The truth is, we aren't a single-issue country. We need more fairness in our economy, but we also need more growth.

c) I've never believed in dividing America between "us" and "them." We're all in this together. And we all have to do our part. (MAYBE START THIS SENTENCE WITH SOMETHING ABOUT ALWAYS HAVING WANTED TO BREAK DOWN BARRIERS TO OPPORTUNITY - TO GET FULL CONCEPT IN).

D) It's going to take each one of us, working together, growing together... looking out for one another and lifting each other up. Because there's a basic truth about this country: America can only live up to its potential when each and every American has the chance to live up to our own potential too.

i, Feb 19, 2016 at 9:17 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Just looked at the NV remarks before taking off for Vegas. Like it a lot. Few suggestions:

In the "need more fairness, need more growth" sentence would build to "need more JOBS" as last clause of the sentence.

In the section about everyone doing their part. Would tell millenials that we are going to need their contributions/talent/ingenuity/creativity instead of telling them they have to do their part. Think that will be received as a rebuke of them - like they have been loading around.

Taking off now - will look at Texas on the flight.

Really like This!

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 19, 2016, at 7:35 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Attached are drafts for caucus day remarks in Vegas and the rally in Houston.

For Nevada, this draft further refines the breaking barriers message, with a new emphasis on more "we" and less "I." There is not much contrast here, although "single issue" is still in.

For Texas, there is an additional contrast section that folks should take a good look at. It's mostly "the math doesn't add up," with a little "and the middle class are going to get hurt," thrown in.

In both, we start and finish with hillaryclinton.com .

Thanks
Dan

<2016-02-19 NV Caucus Remarks - 8pm.docx>

<2016-02-19 Houston Rally Remarks - 8pm.docx>

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Hartina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>
Date: 5/14/2015 11:37:00 AM
Subject: Fwd: Rahm's Inaugural

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Brynne Craig <bcraig@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: Thursday, May 14, 2015
Subject: Rahm's Inaugural
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Michael Smith <msmith@hillaryclinton.com>

Our team talks to Kevin O'Keefe at least every other day. He has been helping us out a lot on the political front. I know Kevin has also been working close with Jeremy on Marcus's team.

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 14, 2015 5:15 PM
To: brynne craig; Michael Smith
Subject: Fwd: Rahm's Inaugural

see below Anybody talk to Kevin O'Keefe? Didn't have Marcus's email.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Tina Flournoy <Tina@presidentclinton.com>
Date: Thursday, May 14, 2015
Subject: Rahm's Inaugural
To: "Huma Abedin (ha16@hillaryclinton.com)" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc: Jon Davidson <Jon@presidentclinton.com>

We'll tell them later today that we definitely doing that – Monday in Chicago

Kevin O'Keefe is asking to see WJC -- assume you guys are in touch with him. Anything we should know on that front?

From: ["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/19/2014 11:18:01 AM

Subject: Re: XMas Eve

Woo hoo!

> On Dec 19, 2014, at 17:48, Gabe Podesta <gpodesta@gmail.com> wrote:

>

> Jess is not coming to CA for XMas and I moved my flights. I still have to work on XMas Eve but will fly out in the afternoon and arrive Oakland around 6pm. Can't wait to see you!

>

> --

> Gabe Podesta

From: "Laura Nichols" <lnichols@americanprogress.org>
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
"Jennifer Palmieri" <JPalmieri@americanprogress.org>
Date: 10/14/2008 8:29:01 PM
Subject: CAP AP/Fournier heads up

Guessing transition related?? The admin in waiting??

Sent from my BlackBerry Wireless Handheld

----- Original Message -----

From: Fournier, Ron <RFournier@ap.org>
To: Laura Nichols
Sent: Tue Oct 14 20:43:03 2008
Subject: You

Are you free for a call tomorrow? I'm thinking of ordering up a story on cap.

Sent from my GoodLink Wireless Handheld (www.good.com)

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Date: 2/12/2016 4:06:48 PM

Subject: Danvers: Why we should elect Ms. Clinton as the first female president - The Washington Post

https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/why-we-should-elect-ms-clinton-as-the-first-female-president/2016/02/12/5e171186-d0ea-11e5-90d3-34c2c42653ac_story.html

From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)

To: ["Heather Boushey" <hboushey@equitablegrowth.org>](mailto:hboushey@equitablegrowth.org)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/11/2015 6:41:38 AM

Subject: Piketty, Stiglitz and Our Renewed Interest in Inequality | Marcelo Giugale

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/marcelo-giugale/piketty-stiglitz-and-our-renewed-interest-in-inequality_b_7251646.html

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From: "Jeremy Funk" <funk@americansunitedforchange.org>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 3/24/2010 10:49:42 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Dems Co-Opting GOP Message: "Hands Off Our Health Care"

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2010/03/24/dems-co-opting-gop-messag_n_512136.html

[Dems Co-Opting GOP Message: "Hands Off Our Health Care"](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2010/03/24/dems-co-opting-gop-messag_n_512136.html)

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"Hands off my health care!" has been a near constant refrain from Republican leaders and conservative activists in recent months.

Now that health care reform is the law of the land, however, Americans across the country are going to be hearing that message from *Democrats*.

The Democratic National Committee is launching a series of radio ads touting the benefits of their health care package and hammering Republicans who voted against it. But in a twist, the DNC is co-opting the message of conservatives, warning voters that their newly-minted consumer protections will be stripped away if they put the GOP back in power.

"Leading Republicans are vowing to repeal reform and put the insurance industry back in charge of your health care," a narrator says in the radio spots airing in districts of Republican members. "Call [your congressman] and tell [him], hands off our health care!"

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It's evidence that Democrats think the health care debate has been turned on its head since President Obama signed the reform bill into law on Tuesday. They're counting on voters to recoil at the thought of losing the concrete, tangible benefits that health care reform provided.

A DNC official says the above spot features prominently in a seven-figure ad buy in 35 congressional districts, which also includes a spot set to run in Democratic districts thanking Members of Congress for supporting the bill.

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 6/6/2014 5:31:44 AM

Subject: REMINDER - Congresswoman Cheri Bustos & Senator Dick Durbin Dinner - June 24th

Senator Dick Durbin

cordially invites you to a dinner honoring

Congresswoman Cheri Bustos

(IL-17)

Tuesday, June 24, 2014

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Acqua Al 2

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Suggested Contributions:

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For more information or to RSVP, please contact

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Jennifer Gallas" <jgallas@knox.edu>

Date: 1/7/2016 2:35:09 PM

Subject: Re: Lane Tech Warrior Interview

Thx. Please feel free to give him my email.

On Thursday, January 7, 2016, Jennifer Gallas <jgallas@knox.edu> wrote:

Hi John - I received this from a student at Lane Tech who would like to get in touch with you. Since we do not share e-mail addresses or phone numbers with anyone outside of Knox, I am forwarding this to you so you can make contact with him if you wish. (I explained to the student that we keep such information private.)

Best wishes and I hope all is going well. Happy New Year from Knox!

Jennifer Gallas
Alumni Relations

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From: Chanen, Alexander <achanen@cps.edu>

Date: Thu, Jan 7, 2016 at 1:07 PM

Subject: Lane Tech Warrior Interview

To: jgallas@knox.edu

Hi Ms. Gallas,

My name is Alex Chanen and I'm a writer for the Lane Tech Warrior. I am attempting to do a piece about Lane and Knox alum John Podesta (Lane '67, Knox '71). Our Alumni Association does not have contact information for Mr. Podesta, and I was wondering if you had an email address or phone number for him.

Thank you,
Alex Chanen

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From: "Kristina Costa" <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/12/2015 8:07:16 AM

Subject: RE: TWEETS: Paris Agreement

I would give Todd Stern and Caroline Atkinson's full names I think in the kudos tweet, since they don't have handles, and maybe add "on #ParisAgreement" to the end so it gets into timelines

From: Milia Fisher [mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Saturday, December 12, 2015 3:03 PM

To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Cc: Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>; Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

Subject: Re: TWEETS: Paris Agreement

Great! Thank you. Will send these out now!

The #ParisAgreement is a historic step toward a better world— one where our kids can have a healthy, safe, and prosperous future. (1/4)

Going forward from Paris we must redouble our efforts to drive innovation & increase investment in the clean energy economy. (2/4)

Immensely proud of work done by @POTUS @JohnKerry & our negotiating team that helped deliver this agreement for future generations. (3/4)

Kudos to Stern, @Deese44, Atkinson, @Utech44 and the crew. (4/4)

On Sat, Dec 12, 2015 at 2:59 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

All good. Ignore my email. We crossed. Do one more. Kudos to Stern, Deese, Atkinson, Utech and the crew.

John- draft tweets for YOU on the Paris agreement with edits from Policy. Copying Kristina in case she can help send any edits you have.

HRC statement just went out, but will not be posted online so we can't link to it.

The #ParisAgreement is a historic step toward a better world— one where our kids can have a healthy, safe, and prosperous future. (1/3)

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From: "Alan Franklin, ProgressNow Colorado" <info@progressnowcolorado.org>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/21/2013 6:38:10 AM

Subject: Mike Coffman can't wait for the next crisis

! ProgressNow Colorado

Dear Friend,

Last week, "Tea Party" Republicans were defeated after shutting down the government for over two weeks and threatening the first-ever default on the nation's financial obligations, all to further their political agenda. The headlines today are full of stories of Republicans running scared, with many saying they will never again make the mistake of holding the nation hostage to alter the law of the land.

But not Congressman Mike Coffman of Colorado. Coffman went on the radio after the shutdown ended to celebrate--even going so far as to praise the fact that last week's agreement was "a very short term measure," giving Republicans "breathing space" to keep the fight that led to the crisis alive.

What is Coffman thinking? [Tell him to back off right now.](#)

! [coffmannomoresutdown.jpg](#)

Last week, Coffman praised the tactic of threatening a default on the nation's debts on KOA radio. [1] "In the last debt ceiling negotiation, we got conditions that in fact really made a difference in terms of bringing down spending," Coffman said, referring to the painful sequester cuts from 2011 that have reduced funding for education, defense, children's health, victims' rights, and job programs. While most of the nation wants the obstruction and uncertainty to end, Mike Coffman is actually looking forward to the next Republican-engineered fiscal crisis.

That's the wrong choice. If you haven't already, [sign our pledge telling members of Congress to swear off the tactics of shutdown and default for good.](#) We'll make sure Coffman sees it. Enough is enough.

Thank you,

Alan Franklin



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To: ["Maggie Williams" <williamsbarrett@aol.com>](mailto:williamsbarrett@aol.com)
Date: 2/17/2015 12:44:58 PM
Subject: Re: President of Harvard is looking for you.

Cell is 202-999-0738. How are you?

On Feb 17, 2015 7:14 PM, "Williamsbarrett" <williamsbarrett@aol.com> wrote:

Drew Faust is looking for you. Gave her your email instead of phone numbers. If you have a phone number you would like her to have please send.

We are way overdue for a chat.

Hang in there. Maggie

Sent from my iPad

From: ["Chris Lu" <clu@barackobama.com>](mailto:clu@barackobama.com)
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Date: 10/7/2008 6:23:39 AM

Subject: some transition documents

Attachments: polycypapertemplate.100608.DOC
Bush Administration Presidential Memoranda 10.2.08.xls

- 1) Todd and John have come up with a template for how the policy documents should be drafted. See attached.
- 2) After cataloguing all Bush executive orders, the research assistants have catalogued all Bush presidential memoranda. See attached.
- 3) In addition, over the past week, we've added the following promises documents to the general data room: crime, national service, science, consumer protection, disabilities, FEMA/Katrina, mining, occupational safety, space, transportation, and tech/innovation.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)

Date: 2/26/2015 2:14:22 PM

Subject: Re: Buffy wicks

Yes

On Feb 26, 2015 8:53 PM, "Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

She was interested. Seems worth a call. Do you need her info ?

On Thursday, February 26, 2015, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure

She's good. Intense. But good.

On Thursday, February 26, 2015, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I kind of think she belongs more in the campaign than priorities. Want to test what she thinks?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

> On Feb 26, 2015, at 9:33 AM, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

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> I'm having drinks with her tonight. This is long scheduled from a request she made months ago.
> Wanted to check in on whether there is something here for me to do. I'm

From: ["Joe Radosevich, JoshShapiro.org" <info@joshshapiro.org>](mailto:info@joshshapiro.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 1/17/2016 4:33:26 PM

Subject: John, watch this video from ABC News:

Josh Shapiro

ATTORNEY GENERAL

INTEGRITY FOR A CHANGE

John --

Earlier today, ABC News in Philadelphia hosted a panel of political experts on Inside Story to discuss Josh Shapiro and this campaign to bring integrity for a change.

The panel featured Democrats and Republicans, and they each agreed that Josh Shapiro is poised to win the race for Attorney General because he has a proven record of reform and results.

[It's a video segment you've got to see and share with your friends -- check it out:](#)



It's been less than a week since Josh Shapiro got in the race for Attorney General, and he's counting on supporters like you to help keep the momentum going.

Watch the video and share it with a friend:

<http://act.JoshShapiro.org/Watch-Inside-Story>

Thank you,

Joe

Joe Radosevich

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To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 2/13/2016 10:18:18 AM
Subject: Re: Scalia

I have same concern.

On Sat, Feb 13, 2016 at 5:15 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I don't know. Like to hear suggestions of what she would say. I am having a hard time imagining what she would say.

In a day or two it could be appropriate to talk about SCOTUS stakes, but seems off for tonight.

On Sat, Feb 13, 2016 at 5:12 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Are we going to want to do a statement from HRC? Should she address tonight in CO?

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)

Date: 12/14/2015 2:40:06 PM

Subject: Re: Generation Progress

Yes. Should I push for us to take her or is she MIA.

On Monday, December 14, 2015, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

I'm thinking of closing that down. Or at least shrinking it. It has become a sink hole. And ann is checked out.

Can I get your advice on that some time in the next week or so?

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/26/2016 7:05:40 AM

Subject: NYT - obama / tim cook ?

re-up

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From: Michael Shear <Michael.Shear@nytimes.com>

Date: Tue, Feb 23, 2016 at 2:29 PM

Subject: obama / tim cook

To: jpodesta@hillaryclinton.com

Hey John,

I know you're busy, but if you're looking for a quick, 5-minute respite from the campaign, you could call me on a totally different subject.

I'm working on a piece on the relationship between tim cook and obama over the last few years. the visitor logs show you at one point met with Cook in the navy mess downstairs at the WW. i assume you had a chance to witness how they were together.

not looking for quotes, which i know would be tough in your given position. but hoping that you might be able to just give a sense of how that relationship seemed to you, on deep background.

possible?

mike

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Date: 10/7/2010 2:27:30 AM

Subject: [big campaign] New Huff Post from Creamer-Fire Tragedy Symbolizes Republican Vision of Governme

Obion County Fire Tragedy Symbolizes Tea-Party-Republican Vision of Government

This week, MSNBC's Keith Olbermann reported the story of the Cranick family's house fire. When the family's Obion County, Tennessee house caught fire on the night of October 5th, the fire department from the nearby town failed to respond since the Cranick's had forgotten to pay a \$75 fee. Firefighters finally responded to a call by Cranick's neighbor, who had paid his fee. They sprayed the property line to protect the home of the neighbor and watched at the Cranick's home burned to the ground.

The firefighters had been ordered not to intervene to save the Cranick's house – even though they were already at the scene – because, apparently, it would have encouraged others not to pay the \$75.

The Obion County fire incident is symbolic of the moral and economic bankruptcy of the Tea-Party-Republican vision of government and the economy. And it poses the stark choice facing American voters in the Mid-Term elections.

The Tea-Party-Republicans – including the Republican Congressional leadership – talk incessantly about how government services should be slashed. They believe that society should maximize the extent to which each individual is responsible to fend for themselves. They claim that is more “efficient”. The Obion County fire illustrates clearly why that assertion is simply wrong.

Competitive markets are extremely efficient at encouraging innovation, increasing productivity and distributing goods and services in many arenas. But there are other arenas where history and experience have demonstrated that it is both more efficient and more humane to provide goods and services through government – which, as Congressman Barney Frank likes to say, is the name we give to the things we have chosen to do together.

The core difference in values between the right wing and progressives is whether we create a society where we're all in this together, or all in this alone.

Mainstream Americans understand that there are a number of areas where it makes much more economic and moral sense to guarantee goods and services to everyone in the society and ask our citizens to finance them by paying their fair share of taxes rather than paying for them “ala carte”.

We came to the conclusion decades ago that government should provide every child with an education, and our public schools have provided the foundation of American economic prosperity.

We use government to provide infrastructure necessary to support our economy – roads, bridges, harbors, airports, sewer and water systems, and street lights.

We provide common parks and recreation facilities that are open to public use.

Government provides for our common defense and our domestic security. We don't require each person to hire a private army or security firm to defend his or her home. That would be stupid, wasteful and lead to anarchy.

Government is particularly efficient when it comes to providing social insurance – like Social Security and Medicare. The overhead for these programs is tiny compared with other insurance programs (including private health insurance plans) run by the private sector. They have covered everyone reliably and effectively for generations. That's why they have virtually unanimous public support.

At long last, with the health care reform bill, America joined the company of every other industrial nation, in understanding that it is more efficient and more humane for government to assure that everyone in society has access to health care. Of course one of the signals that prompted this change was the sheer fact that private market health insurance caused our health care cost to skyrocket to 50% more per person than any other nation – with worse outcomes. Almost certainly, the Affordable Care Act is just the first step in reform, since a public option will certainly be needed to ultimately

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bring our spending in line with other nations. But it was a critical first step.

Of course, most everywhere in America, we provide fire protection through the government. We all pay – through our taxes – to assure that if the time ever comes when we need to call 911 because of a fire, no one will have to check to see if we have paid a fee, a clerical error on payment records will not cost us our homes, and firefighters will not stand by and watch our homes and lives go up in smoke. And of course we also support common protection because fire doesn't necessarily stop at the property line – just ask Ms O'Leary of the legendary Chicago Fire.

The Obion county story demonstrates what happens when we forget that government – financed by common taxes – is the most efficient provider of so many goods and services.

It makes no economic sense to allow what is likely a multi-hundred thousand dollar home to be consumed by flames because a failure to pay a \$75 fee. Now, either the insurance company or the Cranick's will have to build a brand new home in its place. Their former home was *wasted* because of the absurdity of the system that had been set up to protect it.

That same absurdity is implicit in so many of the other Republican economic positions. Its ultimate expression is the Republican desire to repeal health care reform and return us to an out of control system run by private health insurance companies that has cost us 50% more than any other country. That system is wasting trillions of dollars that come out of the pockets of middle class Americans – just to allow private insurance companies and their top executives to make obscene amounts of money.

And with fire protection and health care, the moral consequences are also clear. Bad enough that someone's home was allowed to be destroyed because of the failure to pay a \$75 fee. Would the firefighters have been allowed to intervene if the family pets were inside the house – what about a child?

The Republicans want to return us to a health care system that allowed for-profit health insurance companies to brazenly make those same choices everyday. They made life and death decisions that determined whether people were treated or not – and often whether they lived or not – using their own bottom line as their only real guide. They wouldn't cover you because you have a "pre-existing condition". They would cut you off when you got sick. They hired armies of bureaucrats who do nothing but deny claims. Some of the worst of these abuses are now history because of health insurance reform. If the Republicans have their way, those new protections will be repealed.

But let's be clear. The people behind the "drown government in the bath tub" politics are not the kind of folks who run around in three corner hats and George Washington wigs. The Tea Party rank and file is not the principal engine of anti-government fervor. The money for the ads and the buses and the radio shows are provided by big corporations – by people like Rupert Murdoch of Fox and David and Charles Koch.

The Koch brothers own virtually all of Koch Industries, a conglomerate whose annual revenues exceed a hundred billion dollars and is the second largest privately owed company in the country.

The Koch's combined fortune of thirty five billion dollars is exceeded only by those of Bill Gates and Warren Buffett.

They may be libertarian true believers. But the Kochs would also benefit mightily by making government small and toothless. They would benefit more than most anyone from lowering tax rates for the wealthy. They have a massive stake in lowering the standards for environmental regulation since their oil companies and other holdings have made them one of the top ten air polluters in the United States.

The same goes for the many funders of these ultra-right causes. The money comes from very wealthy families and massive corporations. For them the right wing ideology is nothing more than a vindication for their own wealth – and a justification for their own economic self interest. And the fact is that their economic self interests conflict with those of the vast majority of their fellow citizens.

Progressives cannot be cowed by the anti-government propaganda that spews forth from these giant economic interests even when it's dressed up in the clothing of the small number of ordinary Americans who have become Tea Party activists.

In fact the Cranicks of Obion County Tennessee are truly emblematic of the victims of the Koch brother's vision of America. The Cranicks are victims, as are the eight million Americans who lost their jobs because of the greed and recklessness of the big Wall Street banks -- because of the traders and CEO's that ride around in corporate jets and demand that smaller and smaller quantities of their billions be taxed to pay for our common welfare.

The choice we face on November 2nd is between the interests of the Cranicks and the interests of the Kochs.

Hopefully the fire in Obion County Tennessee will provide the light necessary to illuminate the true consequences of the Tea Party Republican agenda. And it may help provide the spark that is needed to help mobilize millions of Americans to vote November 2nd and reject that agenda at the polls.

*Robert Creamer is a long-time political organizer and strategist, and author of the recent book: [*Stand Up Straight: How Progressives Can Win*](#), available on [Amazon.com](#).*

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Minor change below.

From a Clinton spokesman: "Hillary Clinton is focused on working hard to earn every vote, run hard in early primary and caucus states and not take anything for granted. She looks forward to talking to Florida voters in the months to come and competing in the Florida primary."

From: Tyrone Gayle <tgayle@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: Tuesday, April 14, 2015 at 6:38 PM
To: Jesse Ferguson <jferguson@hillaryclinton.com>
Cc: hrcrapid <hrcrapid@googlegroups.com>, Marlon Marshall <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: Re: Tampa Bay Times| FL Organization

How about this?

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On Tue, Apr 14, 2015 at 3:50 PM, Jesse Ferguson <jferguson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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From: hrcrapid@googlegroups.com [mailto:hrcrapid@googlegroups.com] On Behalf Of Tyrone Gayle
Sent: Tuesday, April 14, 2015 3:50 PM
To: hrcrapid; Marlon Marshall
Subject: Tampa Bay Times| FL Organization

Alex Leary for TB Times writing a Sunday story: "We want to do a story -- granted things are early -- on what her organization might look like in the state, etc. When she might visit, who might help on the ground in Florida."

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Begala, Paul" <pbegala@hatcreekent.com>](mailto:pbegala@hatcreekent.com)

Date: 12/26/2007 8:33:07 AM

Subject: Re: January 2003: Romney puts his financial holdings into a blind trust.

sorry to be late in responding to this, but we should think about getting this--Sankaty-- (offshoring capital to a tax haven) injected into the republican primary dialogue.Doesn't seem like it's been covered to me. Maybe try msm first. get the blogs thumping? good LA times or wsj story. paul do you want to call Jackie Calmes?

On 12/21/07, Begala, Paul <pbegala@hatcreekent.com> wrote:
[Jeezus. I didn't know he was parking assets overseas! Bermuda! The Caymans! Holy sunscreen, Batman!](#)

[Great stuff.](#)

From: Tara McGuinness [mailto:tara.mcguinness@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, December 21, 2007 12:18 PM

To: tom@zzranch.org ; Begala, Paul; Jim Gerstein; John Podesta; Stan Greenberg; Susan McCue; Zach Schwartz

Subject: January 2003: Romney puts his financial holdings into a blind trust.

Romney and Bain Capital

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A timeline of the GOP presidential hopeful's path to wealth.

December 17, 2007

Romney and Bain Capital

- 1978: Mitt Romney joins Bain & Co., a Boston-based management consulting group founded by William W. Bain Jr.
- 1984: Romney tapped by the company founder to lead a spin-off called Bain Capital, a venture capital and private equity group.
- October 1997: Bain Capital launches the Sankaty group of U.S.-based debt hedge funds. To assist U.S. tax-exempt and foreign investors, Sankaty organizes a subsidiary in Bermuda called Sankaty High Yield Asset Investors Ltd.
- February 1999: Romney takes a leave of absence from Bain Capital. Bain Capital at midyear has \$5.5 billion in assets under management, including \$2 billion in the Sankaty funds, according to an independent evaluation.
- February 2001: Romney is listed in SEC documents as president and sole shareholder of the Sankaty company in Bermuda.
- August 2001: Romney announces plans to retire from Bain Capital to run for governor of Massachusetts. Before he steps down, he invests in BCIP Associates III Cayman, a private equity fund organized in the Cayman Islands.
- January 2003: He puts his financial holdings into a blind trust.

2003-2007: Romney's trustee continues to invest in the Cayman fund.

2006: The Cayman fund pays Romney more than \$1 million in interest, dividends and capital gains. He retains a profit share in Bain Capital until 2009, as well as investments in more than 30 Bain funds.

2007: Bain Capital manages \$60 billion in assets, including \$23 billion in Sankaty funds.

Source: Los Angeles Times

From: "The League by Sports Authority" <SportsAuthority.com@em.sportsauthority.com>

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To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 9/3/2015 1:46:43 PM

Subject: Today

Do you have ten minutes to chat before the dinner. I am in the briefing

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From: Nancybk@aol.com

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/9/2008 1:20:01 PM

Subject: An Open Letter to President Elect Obama about Jobs Homecare & a Reason to Live.

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From: "Janine Bertram" <janinebk@verizon.net>

To: nancybk@aol.com

Date: 11/8/2008 10:46:07 PM

Subject: Re: An Open Letter to President Elect Obama about Jobs Homecare & a Reason to Live

Nancy, I have forwarded this to 3 campaign staff contacts. I heard back from 1 that it will be in front of "the right pair of eyes." You wrote a great letter. I'm hopeful! Warm best, Janine

On Nov 8, 2008, at 9:36 PM, nancybk@aol.com wrote:

it would be so good if you could, janine! i M HAVING TROUBLE REACHING MY CONTACT.It would mean so much coming from you,dear. your sister in struggle-- nancy

Perfect letter, Nancy. Thanks. We should all try to get this in front of Barack's top staff. I'll work on it from this end.

Best,

Janine

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From: Janine Bertram <janinebk@verizon.net>

To: Nancybk@aol.com

Sent: Fri, 7 Nov 2008 12:27 pm

Subject: Re: An Open Letter to President Elect Obama about Jobs Homecare & a Reason to Live

Perfect letter, Nancy. Thanks. We should all try to get this in front of Barack's top staff. I'll work on it from this end.

Best,

Janine

"If you hear the dogs barking, keep going. If you hear them yelling after you, keep going. If you see the torches behind you, keep going. If you want a taste of freedom, keep going.

Keep going, keep going, keep going"

Never Ever Give Up!"

Harriet Tubman

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Date: November 6, 2008 11:33:33 PM PST

To: hbetts@ric.org , Sue.Horton@latimes.com , lgledhill@sfchronicle.com , mike@michaelmoore.com , letters@latimes.com , bp1@cbsnews.com , johnandken@johnandkenshow.com , info@ap.org , moveon-help@list.moveon.org , cbenson@sacbee.com , letters@msnbc.com , rkennedy@laweekly.com , Nightline@abcnews.com , martyomoto@rcip.org

Subject: An Open Letter to President Elect Obama about Homecare, Jobs, & a Reason to Live

November 6, 2008

Dear President-Elect Obama,

Anyone who knows me knows how I wept with tears of joy when I heard you give the keynote speak at the Democratic convention. I said "This man is the balm for our wounds." And I appreciate how you always mention people at disabilities in all your speeches. I've been waiting to hear that for a long time. I've had an Obama 2008 sticker plastered to the back of my wheelchair for almost 2 years now. I've met the nicest people that way, but this is not the reason I'm writing to you.

I need to tell you about how we could save billions in healthcare dollars while creating millions of jobs for workers who might otherwise be dependent on Public Assistance. I helped to found and have served for 11 years as a member, and most recently as the vice chair, of the Los Angeles County's Personal Assistance Services Council, (PASC) the largest public authority in the United States. Our PASC oversees the In-Home Supportive Services program in Los Angeles County serving 168,000 seniors and persons with disabilities partnered with the SIEU's home care workers Union to give seniors and people with disabilities dignity and empowerment in their own homes at less than a third of the cost of warehousing us in nursing homes. Our public authority employs 139,000 home care workers. In our program, here in California, which could serve as a model for the nation, we save very substantial sums. The cost of the average person receiving assistance on the IHSS program in California is approximately \$12,400 while the annual cost of maintaining such a person in a skilled nursing facility is over \$57,000.

Nationally, this program could employ millions of workers. You've spoken many times of the need for jobs, as well as the need for service. I can think of little that could be this effective to promote both these causes. And while promoting service and empowerment, we could at the same time eliminate a great evil. By that I'm referring to the waste of human talent and cutting short the lives of millions of people inappropriately placed in nursing homes.

Nursing home abuse and neglect ranges from unconscionable to horrific. Older people are left to get bedsores and lie in their own excrement, while nursing homes cut costs, and the patient ratios are terrible. When I visited with 4 women in a nursing home for a year, I'll never forget waiting with one woman crying, who was holding her bladder for close to two hours until one of the nurses aides, who was responsible for eight other patients came in to put her on the toilet. Young people in nursing homes are robbed of the vital life they could have and are not even made aware of their options. Instead, some states are now offering them assisted suicide. The prejudice against and marginalization of people with disabilities is so pervasive that we are viewed as people whose lives are not worth living.

For young people and seniors who don't require skilled nursing, being warehoused in an institution is to live a life akin to a political prisoner -- with no real civil rights or rights to even move about the community. I broke my neck at age 20, and had I been sent to a nursing home, I swear to G-d that I would have been dead decades ago, from cross-contamination because of my indwelling catheter, but more importantly, I would have withered away from a life without hope or purpose. My mother and I had a suicide pact. Tomorrow I will be 57 years old, and having had a life of purpose, energy, adventure, service, marriage and even visiting England and France, I shudder to think that I could have made that decision. I didn't make that decision because the Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago expected too much of me, the University of Illinois gave me a wheelchair accessible campus to return to, and most importantly in home care gave me the passport I needed to return home to an independent life in the community. Had I not had these gifts, I might have asked for that lethal injection. The wrong public policy kills -- not only physically, but it kills people's spirits, and the cherry on top is that it cost taxpayers over three times the money to do it.

With homecare I was able to return to college to earn a master's degree, become a news and public affairs producer for public television and later become a comedian and always an activist for people with disabilities. And now, thanks in large part to Senator Kennedy, Jim Jeffords, and my very dear friend, John Podesta, who is heading up your transition team, I work as a therapist at the Hollywood Sunset Free Clinic because of the Work Incentives Improvement Act. But I had the best of everything.

My fate was so much different than the young people who have my same injury today. Now HMOs send newly injured young people to nursing homes -- nursing homes that hire a physical therapist to come in once a month and then euphemistically refer to themselves as "rehabilitation centers." As someone who received her rehabilitation from the Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago and later worked with newly injured people at the Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center, I know what real rehabilitation is.

When my mother suffered from a fall last year, and she could not return to her assisted living for several days, the acute care hospital told me they were transferring her to a "rehabilitation center." They promised me that in the three days my mother would stay there, they would give her physical therapy twice a day, and I wanted that because she was falling and we didn't know why. When I arrived the next day to this "rehabilitation center" with no telephone for me to reach my mother, there was no physical therapist there. Instead, my mother had been lying in bed for 10 hours, been drugged, put in diapers, and looked like she was not even alive -- while a large slice of French bread pizza was the only item on her dinner plate. My mother takes insulin for diabetes. When I protested that a diabetic should not be given only a large piece of French bread pizza filled with starch, they said "Our diabetic care is calorie controlled," another euphemism for not giving a damn about what they feed people with medical conditions as long as it's cheap. When I asked why she hadn't been gotten out of bed for 10 hours, they said "She didn't want to," another euphemism for not feeling energetic because you are being dosed with Vicodin four times a day at 85 years old. My mother was lucky. She had me to advocate for her and to take her back to the decency of her assisted living, but other people are not so

fortunate. People are dying from these euphemisms.

Whenever I visit my doctor I try to always go up to the rehab floor to visit with the newly injured patients. In the last two years, you could shoot cannon through these real rehabilitation centers. Where I used to visit 40 patients, there are now two, as HMOs send young people to nursing homes. It is a quiet genocide that robs them of their spirit and their futures. It kills their body through cross-contamination and neglect, but worst of all, the eclipse of hope sends them to an early death.

I have always been in the right place at the right time, but it shouldn't be a crapshoot, whether you live or die in hope or despair. It isn't fair that paraplegics living in one state should die an early death in a nursing home because they don't have homecare or because when they were able-bodied, they didn't have the medical sophistication to know what their HMO would do and how to keep themselves out of nursing homes when trauma strikes. People don't know what they can have. They die of despair, without adequate services, and the time is long overdue to rectify this evil. Making in-home supportive services a national choice would not only give the gift of dignity and efficacy of millions of seniors and people with disabilities, but it would employ millions of home care workers as well.

When I visited those women in the nursing home, there was one worker for eight women. Three home care workers are employed taking care of me. That means that people who might otherwise be on public assistance could have jobs, and we have the opportunity to go out into the world and make a difference. President Obama, you talk about the need to look for wasteful programs and replace them with good ones. For people inappropriately placed in nursing homes, this is one the finest changes you could possibly make.

One of the greatest days of my life when I sat by my friend John Podesta's side on a freezing day in Washington, in front of the Franklin Roosevelt monument (the real one where he was sitting down in a wheelchair) after Senator Kennedy's and Jim Jeffords' bipartisan bill, the "Work Incentives Improvement Act" was signed as the last piece of legislation the 20th century. That "Ticket to Work" was a start to remove the barriers that forced millions of people with disabilities into idleness with the threat of losing their health care and in-home supportive services if they tried to work. We need to go further, because many of us are still on a very short leash and cannot escape poverty by only being permitted to earn \$900 a month, or save because we cannot have more than \$2,000 in our bank accounts. But it was a grand beginning.

There are still many rivers to cross for people with disabilities, but I firmly believe that the time is now to release seniors and people with disabilities who don't belong in skilled nursing facilities, from imprisonment and despair, and back to their rightful place in the American life with its promise of liberty and pursuit of happiness. Perhaps what we crave even more is the opportunity to contribute our gifts to this world and put meaning in to our lives. We need to make it possible for every young person in every state to have the gift of in-home supportive services. It saves money, it saves lives, it creates jobs, and it unleashes vast stores of human enterprise among seniors and people with disabilities who still have work to do and people to love. Some may say this is too ambitious, but I believe that you, President-elect Obama will understand best of all, that this is a bold request born out of the "audacity of hope."

This is respectfully submitted on behalf of all of us who have been "wheeling on air" for the last two days!

Most Sincerely!

Nancy Becker Kennedy

PS Robert Kuttner, journalist, economist, and author of the book "Obama's Challenge: a Transformative Opportunity." was on NPR's "Fresh Air" tonight. Kuttner has previously been a columnist for Business Week as well as the Chief Investigator of the US Senate Banking Committee. In the interview he talks about the expansion of jobs to fix the infrastructure and emphasizes expansion of service job like those of caregivers as a strategy to create jobs as FDR did to infuse the economy to end the Great Depression. I am including the link here. [Click here: NPR Media Player](#)

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 2/29/2008 12:39:49 PM

Subject: Where to cut and not cut

FYI--As things have been tight here are some of my thoughts on how to save money. Your feedback appreciated. I just want to flag the politically sensitive stuff.

-Atlas--very little value added on the media side that can't be obtained from a smart media strategist. Not worth \$45K a month. (John, need your guidance on the politics of this.) They never pitched us on it. They never really asked us what they could do for us. I unceremoniously was sent a contract with a \$450,000 price tag on it.

-Polling--cut to small, short tracking polls instead of big statewide surveys. Use cross-battleground polls to refine messaging. This will annoy in-state people. Cost savings are small. Running ads without polling is a bad idea.

-Ad creation--more cookie-cutter ads that run across multiple states. Less state-specific media. This will annoy in-state people.

-Don't cut earned media operation. This is more bang for the buck than paid media.

-Change monthly retainers for media buyers. We'd move Will to a commission. It is too pricey to retain him and not use him (we have not retained him yet). There aren't savings on a commission versus a flat fee until we're spending more than \$4 million a month on media. (FWIW, we haven't been retaining him. We paid him some to help with detailed state plans.)

-Media Firms--choose two firms and stick with them. Buy them on a monthly retainer. We'll have some folks fighting with us.

From: "David Donnelly" <david.a.donnelly@gmail.com>

To: "big campaign" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>

Date: 8/15/2012 8:34:45 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Tying House candidates to Ryan budget and insurance donations

Releases like this one went out to reporters in Lungren's, Duffy's, and Bass's districts -- the same districts in which we're running ads:

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In Light of Ryan Pick, SuperPAC Calls on Rep. Duffy to Defend Both His Vote Against Medicare and Ties to the Insurance Lobby

Washington, D.C.— Today, Friends of Democracy, a SuperPAC working to fight political corruption and advance citizen-led elections, is calling on Rep. Sean Duffy to defend his support of new vice presidential pick Paul Ryan's budget. Rep. Duffy voted for the Ryan budget in 2011, including the plan's proposal to end Medicare, while taking in at least \$133,312 in campaign contributions from the insurance industry and \$20,000 from Congressman Paul Ryan's leadership PAC.

"Paul Ryan and the insurance industry have placed their bets on Sean Duffy and he has voted their way," said David Donnelly, Co-Director of Friends of Democracy. "He has taken more than \$150,000 combined between Paul Ryan and the insurance industry and voted for policies that are a windfall for them at the expense of everyday voters."

"Rep. Duffy's race is ground zero in the fight for Medicare because he is part of a growing epidemic of members of Congress raking in millions from the insurance lobby while voting to end Medicare. With political corruption second on list of voter's concern, this is a concern Sean Duffy needs to answer to," said Ilyse Hogue, Co-Director of Friends of Democracy.

Bloomberg News reported that the Ryan budget would benefit private insurers, a large source of campaign cash for members of Congress. Rep. Duffy has received \$133,312 in campaign contributions from HMOs and insurance industry donors, according to an analysis of data coded by the nonpartisan Center for Responsive Politics. He has also received \$20,000 from Prosperity PAC, Congressman Ryan's leadership PAC.

Duffy's vote for the Ryan budget indicates he would end Medicare as we know it by turning it into a system of vouchers to help seniors buy private insurance coverage. In addition to not providing guarantees for coverage, this system would be a boon to the insurance industry.

Friends of Democracy is currently advertising on television and the web throughout the congressional district with advertising that criticizes Rep. Duffy for putting the interests of Wall Street donors ahead of middle class families in the district. The television ad can be seen at <http://www.friendsofdemocracypac.org/duffy> .

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Friends of Democracy is working to fight political corruption and advance citizen-led elections, and will educate voters in approximately one dozen House races this election cycle. For more information, visit

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Date: 4/5/2015 12:43:36 PM
Subject: Re: [RESCHEDULE] Priorities and Super PACs Discussion

Cando 1145-1245 (mark would probably ale from Perkins) or after 730

On Apr 5, 2015, at 3:36 PM, Elias, Marc (Perkins Coie) <MElias@perkinscoie.com> wrote:

I can do 12-1230; 630 and 9

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Subject: [RESCHEDULE] Priorities and Super PACs Discussion

Circling back about rescheduling this—do folks have availability tomorrow, either between 9am and 11am or between 11:45am and 12:45pm? If neither of these windows work, please let me know about 6:30pm or 9pm tomorrow. Thanks!

From: Marissa Astor <marissa.astor@icloud.com> >
Date: Friday, April 3, 2015 at 2:26 PM
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Cc: "Bull, Leslie (Perkins Coie)" <LBull@perkinscoie.com> >
Subject: [NEED TO RESCHEDULE] Priorities and Super PACs Discussion

Hi all—Robby and John are in meetings and it doesn't look like they will be breaking in time for this call. Let's cancel this call for 2:30pm and I will be in touch about rescheduling. Sorry for the last minute change.

From: marissa.astor@icloud.com
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Date: 11/10/2008 11:58:20 AM
Subject: RE: FW: President Carter

I agree with Jim that P-E should stay far away before trip. Suggest Secretary of State designee or failing that NSA designee.

-----Original Message-----

From: James B. Steinberg [mailto:djsberg@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, November 10, 2008 6:33 PM
To: john.podesta@gmail.com; Jim Steinberg; Denis McDonough; Susan Rice; Susan Rice
Subject: Re: FW: President Carter

.my proposed strategy is to offer a briefing to the PE on carter's return. He won't like it but that's the very reason not to do it before hand. We could offer madeleine but that wouldn't help with carter. Maybe we could offer Rahm

On 11/10/08, john.podesta@gmail.com <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

> It would be more helpful to suggest a strategy about how to say no.
> Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Jim Steinberg <Jim.Steinberg@ptt.gov>
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> Date: Mon, 10 Nov 2008 18:15:26
> To: Denis McDonough<Denis.McDonough@ptt.gov>;
> john.podesta@gmail.com<john.podesta@gmail.com>;
> djsberg@gmail.com<djsberg@gmail.com>;
> ricesusane@aol.com<ricesusane@aol.com>; Susan Rice<Susan.Rice@ptt.gov>
> Subject: RE: President Carter
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>
> I would strongly urge against a meeting before the trip. As you all well
> know, Carter's unilateral diplomacy in the ME has been highly controversial.
> He has never deferred even to a sitting President in pursuing his own
> agenda, and is not likely to in this case. A meeting could be construed as a
> tacit endorsement of the trip and the positions that Carter will convey. I
> would be more open to a meeting after the trip, when Carter can brief the PE
> on the results of his discussions.
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> From: Denis McDonough
> Sent: Monday, November 10, 2008 3:34 PM
> To: Sara Latham; john.podesta@gmail.com; 'Rahm Emanuel
> (rahm@friendsofrahmemmanuel.com)'; Jim Steinberg; djsberg@gmail.com;
> ricesusane@aol.com; Susan Rice
> Subject: RE: President Carter
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> this is obviously a fairly large problem.

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> please let Jim, Susan, Mark and me work this and come back to you with a
> proposal.
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> Denis
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> From: Sara Latham
> Sent: Monday, November 10, 2008 2:29 PM
> To: john.podesta@gmail.com; 'Rahm Emanuel (rahm@friendsofrahmemmanuel.com)';
> Denis McDonough; Jim Steinberg; djsberg@gmail.com; ricesusane@aol.com; Susan
> Rice
> Subject: FW: President Carter
>
> see email below - President Carter requesting to meet with Pres-Elect
> regarding his upcoming trip to Syria and Lebanon - Dec. 8 - 15th.
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> From: Sara Latham [mailto:sara@lathamgroup.co.uk]
> Sent: Monday, November 10, 2008 1:05 PM
> To: Sara Latham
> Subject: Fwd: President Carter
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> Begin forwarded message:
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> From: Rick Jasculca <rickj@jtpr.com<mailto:rickj@jtpr.com>>
> Date: 10 November 2008 18:03:19 GMT
> To: Sara Latham <sara@lathamgroup.co.uk<mailto:sara@lathamgroup.co.uk>>
> Subject: President Carter
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> Sara, I need your help on behalf of President Carter. I also have
> contacted
> Liz Sears, Rahm's Senate COS, to see if she could lend an assist; however,
> given your knowledge of President Carter and White House experience, you
> are
> likely to know the best and fastest route.
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> In August, President Carter met with David Axelrod at the Denver Hyatt and
> shared with him his plans for a trip to the Middle East this fall,
> including
> Syria and Lebanon. That was followed by a phone call between President
> Carter and then-Senator Obama days after the Convention. President Carter
> last spoke with President-Elect Obama on Election Night...an obviously very
> brief phone call.
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> This morning, I heard from President Carter and his long-time scheduler,
> Nancy Konigsmark. President Carter is seeking a meeting this month with
> President-Elect Obama, at any location the President-Elect chooses, to
> discuss President Carter's upcoming trip to Syria and Lebanon.
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> I am not sure if this is a Rahm, John Podesta, Joe Biden or Alyssa
> issue...perhaps all of the above, but I was certain you could most
> expeditiously put this into the right hands and hopefully get Nancy and I
> in
> touch with whoever can make this happen.
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> I fully understand everyone is swamped. But, this trip has been long
> scheduled and is a follow-on to the Middle East trip earlier this year by

> President Carter and former Rep. Steve Solarz. A number of high level and
> sensitive meetings have been scheduled, and President Carter feels it is
> important to have a consultation with the President-Elect before he
> departs.
> I've got to believe that President-Elect Obama will at least want to be in
> the loop on this.
>
> Thank you for your assistance.
>
> Rick Jasculca
> 312-337-7400 ofc
> 312-953-6858 cell
>
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From: ["Calmes, Jackie" <calmes@nytimes.com>](mailto:calmes@nytimes.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 5/13/2014 11:54:09 AM
Subject: WJC

Hi John,

It turns out that I have to cover the Peterson Fdn's annual summit tomorrow, where Bill Clinton once again is keynoting (in Q&A w/Gwen Ifill). Do you have any info you can share on background about who's advising him these days on fiscal/economic policy?

We had a story two weeks ago that you might have seen on p.1 that reported he's frustrated that his economic policies aren't seen so favorably through the current left & center-left prism of economic inequality.

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Subject: Subject: Quartz Africa Weekly Brief: Obama's big Africa plan, Kikwete's legacy, Malaria's end

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Weekly Brief

Hi, NYFA community!

Five stories from this week

Drones are being used to keep elephants safe. In Tanzania the mini-helicopters are used to keep the elephants from straying into human conflict with farmers. You can [watch the video here](#).

Mugabe is asking back the white farmers he chased away. A Zimbabwe government minister said a few selected white farmers will be granted security of tenure on farms regarded to be ['of strategic economic importance'](#).

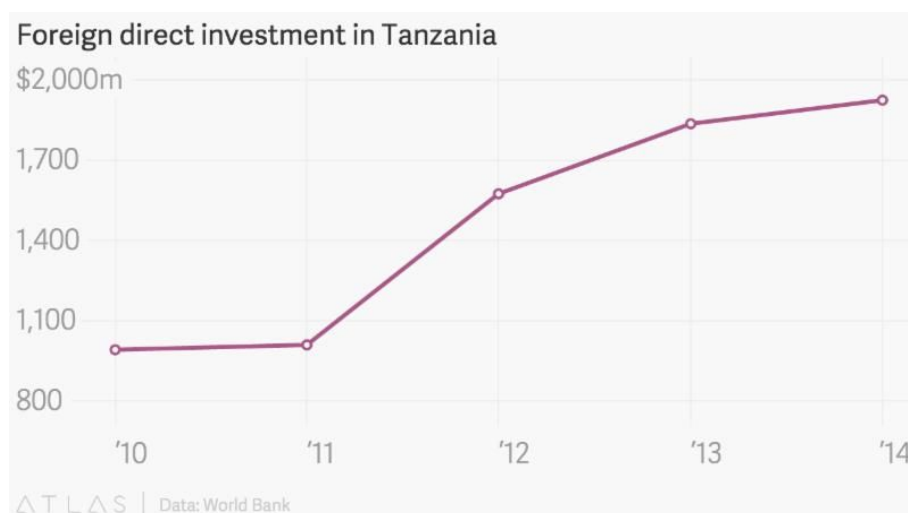
Black South Africans are moving into management positions. But seventeen years after the adoption of affirmative action in South Africa, white males still occupy [most top management roles](#).

Obama has big plans for Nigeria and Africa. Author and former Nigerian presidential aide [Ken Saro-Wiwa, Jr.](#) writes that Barack Obama knows the Nigerian story well and is positioning himself [to take on a new role](#) after he leaves office as a kind of 'president of the United States of Africa'.

The new malaria vaccine will not eradicate the disease-yet. After a 30-year hunt for the first vaccine to successfully combat a parasite, GSK and its partners, including the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, argue a [30%-45% efficacy rate](#) is a good start to battling a disease that kills tens of millions of people in Africa.

Chart of the week

With a few months left of Jakaya Kikwete's presidency in Tanzania, [Omar Mohammed](#) examined his [economic legacy after a decade](#) running his country.



Other things we liked

As president, Barack Obama has not paid Africa enough attention. President Obama is [incredibly popular](#) right across the continent with ratings well over 70% in many countries. But The Economist says US influence in Africa [has slipped into](#) China's shadow on his watch and there have been tensions with important governments including Kenya and Nigeria.

Development institutions are financing land grabs in the DRC. Private businesses-funded by American and European development bodies-have been [involved in land grabbing](#), corrupt practices and human rights violations in the Democratic Republic of Congo.

The reckless plot to overthrow Africa's most absurd dictator. Andrew Rice tells the story for The Guardian of how a group of American immigrants last year [plotted and failed](#) to overthrow president Yahya Jammeh of the Gambia in West Africa.

This week, keep an eye on:

President Obama's Africa state visit moves on to Ethiopia where he'll meet Ethiopian Prime Minister Hailemariam Desalegn. He will also become [the first US president to speak](#) at the African Union headquarters in Addis Ababa on Tuesday.

Lagos will be [hosting Startup Week](#), a five-day event that brings entrepreneurs, local leaders, and investors together to build momentum and opportunity around the technology community's entrepreneurial culture in Nigeria's commercial capital.

Later in the week there'll be some key economic data from South Africa as it releases updated unemployment figures for the second quarter. South Africa has a notoriously high 50% youth unemployment rate. It will also release consumer and producer price index data and end the week with a meeting of the [South African Reserve Bank](#).

Our best wishes for a productive and ideas-driven week. Please send any news, comments, pachyderm drone videos and essential vaccinations to africa@qz.com. You can follow us [@qzafrica](#) for updates throughout the day.

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In process. Adrienne is managing.

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On Aug 23, 2015, at 4:01 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Did we put out a statement thanking him for his support?

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Subject: WSJ: Interest Groups Gain In Election Cash Quest

"Democrats are expected to hold that lead during the 2008 cycle. Last month, two Democrats launched Fund for America, a 527 group that plans to raise at least \$100 million to back the Democratic presidential nominee. Republicans say they are recruiting donors to match that amount."

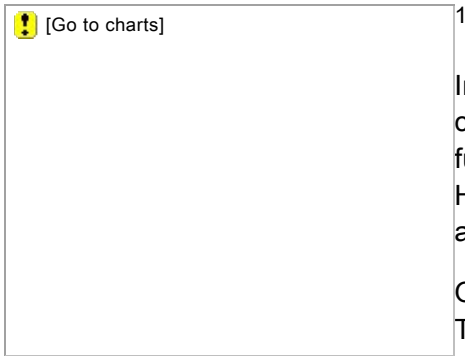
Interest Groups Gain In Election Cash Quest

Analysis Shows Giving To Parties Has Dipped; Beyond 'Swift Boating'

By BRODY MULLINS
December 19, 2007; Page A1

WASHINGTON -- One of the defining features of the 2004 presidential campaign was the devastating attack on Sen. John Kerry by an obscure group called the Swift Boat Veterans for Truth. In the years since, such independent political groups have only grown stronger, and they are poised to play an even bigger role in the 2008 elections.

Political groups unaffiliated with the two major parties account for an increasingly large share of spending on federal campaigns -- 19% of the total in 2006, up from just 7% in 2000, according to an analysis of campaign-finance data by The Wall Street Journal. They now are horning in on crucial campaign activities once dominated by the parties, such as buying ads and getting out the vote.



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In Iowa, independent groups are whipsawing voters with a range of conflicting messages. An organization called Common Sense Issues has funded automated phone calls backing former Arkansas Gov. Mike Huckabee and criticizing his chief Republican rivals. The Club for Growth, an antitax group, is working to defeat Mr. Huckabee with attack ads.

On the Democratic side, an organization called the American Federation of Teachers AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education has spent \$250,000 on radio ads in Iowa backing Sen. Hillary Clinton. An environmental group called Friends of Earth Action is running ads against Sen. Clinton.

Over the past four years, the national Democratic and Republican parties have raised and spent less on elections than during the prior four years, when adjusted for inflation. At the same time, independent political groups have more than doubled their spending, and have begun to rival the parties as an election-season financial force, the Journal's data analysis shows.

The shift, largely the result of campaign-finance laws intended to curtail big-money donations to parties, could further polarize the American political landscape. Because the Republican and Democratic parties aim to appeal to broad swaths of the electorate, they tend to be moderating forces in politics. That isn't true of the independent

groups, which range from the Sierra Club and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce to fringe groups like Swift Boat Veterans for Truth, which disbanded after the 2004 election. They often pursue narrower agendas or causes further out on the political spectrum.

The nonprofit groups are financed by wealthy individuals, corporations, labor unions and other interest groups. Unlike the national parties, they face no limits on how much money they can take in from contributors. They often don't have to disclose their donors' names until months after an election -- if at all.

During the 2000 election cycle, such outside groups spent at least \$260 million on presidential and congressional races, one-fifth as much as was spent by national political parties, according to the Journal analysis of campaign data provided by the Federal Election Commission and two nonpartisan organizations that track political spending. During the 2006 midterm elections, these outside groups spent about \$600 million, almost two-thirds as much as was spent by the Republican and Democratic parties, the data indicate. Candidates themselves still account for the biggest piece of spending -- a bit less than half.

Overall, the amount of money poured into each two-year election cycle continues to climb. Data from the FEC and several groups that track campaign finance indicate that total spending during presidential-election cycles rose from \$2.8 billion in 1995-96 to \$3.6 billion in 1999-2000 to \$4.8 billion in 2003-04. This year and next, it is expected to hit \$6 billion, political strategists say.

Nonparty political organizations date back many years. The nation's founding fathers, in fact, considered it inevitable that outside political factions would attempt to influence the government.

The growing clout of such groups is an unintended consequence of a 2002 law intended to reduce the influence of money in politics. The Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 2002, championed by Arizona Republican Sen. John McCain, took aim at so-called soft-money donations to political parties. Soft money had become a major source of funding for both parties, which used the donations to support individual campaigns. The law barred the parties from accepting large contributions from wealthy individuals, corporations, labor unions and other interest groups.

The law elevated the importance of "bundlers" -- fund-raisers who gather contributions from friends, employees and family and pass them on in lump sums to political campaigns. Some bundlers had previously given soft money to national parties. The law also prompted donors to turn to political organizations not tied directly to the parties, many of them offshoots of established special-interest groups.

There are several distinct classes of independent political groups, each taking its name from the section of the Internal Revenue Service code under which it is organized. Most are known as 527 organizations. Although 527 groups are recognized as political, they are prohibited from explicitly calling for the election or the defeat of candidates. Consequently, they often promote or attack candidates without instructing people to vote for or against them.

Another class of independent groups is growing even faster -- and is flying further under the radar. These groups are organized under section 501c of the tax code, which gives tax-exempt status to nonprofit groups. One category, called "social welfare," is governed by section 501(c)4. Those groups can urge people to vote for or against a candidate -- so long as campaigning isn't their primary purpose, and they don't accept money from corporations or labor unions. Labor groups are governed by section 501(c)5; business groups by section 501(c)6. These 501(c) organizations don't have to disclose their donors.

Data from two nonpartisan organizations that track campaign finance -- the Center for Public Integrity and the Center for Responsive Politics -- show that election-cycle spending by 527 organizations rose from \$171 million in 2000 to \$316 million in 2002 to \$653 million in 2004. Spending dropped to \$443 million for the 2006 midterm elections. Spending on midterm elections typically runs lower than on presidential elections.

The new groups are pulling in money that the major parties used to receive. Before the 2002 crackdown, financier George Soros donated more than \$200,000 to the Democratic Party. Since then, he has given at least \$20 million to the 527 organizations. American Financial Group Inc. Chairman Carl Lindner previously donated more than \$1.5 million in soft money to the Republican Party. In 2006, he gave about \$500,000 to a 501(c)4 group called Common Sense Ohio, which sought to re-elect several Republican senators. In the last four years, Mr. Lindner has donated \$3.6 million to outside groups backing Republican candidates, according to campaign-finance documents.

Because the IRS doesn't require 501(c) organizations to detail election spending or to list contributors, it's difficult to track their political activity. The Journal analyzed data on 30 separate 501(c) groups active in elections from 2000 to 2006, culled from a variety of sources. The data show that the 30 organizations spent at least \$155 million on the 2006 elections, nearly twice what they spent in 2000.

The 501(c) organizations are likely to become even more important in the 2008 election. After the 2004 election, the FEC sought to crack down on 527 organizations that violate the IRS rule against calling for the election or the defeat of any candidate. Now, several large 527 groups are setting up 501(c)4 social-welfare organizations, which are allowed to back candidates explicitly.

Scott Reed, a Republican strategist, says that for political campaigns, using 501(c)4 organizations is "now the most effective way to go because donors are safe and don't need to be disclosed."

The Club for Growth, the antitax group, used to use a 527 structure for its election work. But the FEC fined it earlier this year for stepping over the line barring explicit voting recommendations. During the current election cycle, the group is shifting the work to a 501(c)4 unit, which carries fewer restrictions. The new structure will make the organization "bigger, better and more effective," said its president, Pat Toomey, in a letter to members. "We now have a significant new ability to run advertisements that directly call for the election or defeat of candidates." Another advantage, Mr. Toomey noted, is that "unlike the past, your donations to the Club will not be disclosed to the public."

The League of Conservation Voters, an environmental-advocacy group that was also fined by the FEC for its 527 spending, has made a similar move.

Another environmental group, Defenders of Wildlife, started a 501(c)4 organization before the 2006 election, partly to help wage a campaign to defeat California Republican Rep. Richard Pombo, then the chairman of the environment committee in the U.S. House. The group spent \$2 million. Mr. Pombo lost the election. Rodger Schlickeisen, the group's president, says it plans to spend \$5 million this election on campaigns against four candidates, including Rep. Don Young, the Alaska Republican who once was chairman of the same environment panel.

While independent groups have been building clout, the national political parties have been losing election-spending power. In 2002, the national parties raised \$591 million in soft money, which funded about half of their budgets for that year's election cycle. (Figures used in this story have been adjusted for inflation.) Over the last four years, following the ban on soft money, the national parties have had about \$200 million less to spend on campaigns, an 8% drop.

During the 2000 presidential election, the Republican and Democratic parties paid for 50% of advertising in the 70 largest cities, according to a study by the Wisconsin Advertising Project at the University of Wisconsin. In 2004, that figure fell to 17%. Outside groups accounted for 20% of the advertisements in the 2004 presidential campaign, double the amount of 2000, according to the project.

Democrats have led the charge toward using independent political organizations. Soon after the 2002 law took effect, several Democratic strategists, including Harold Ickes, a former top official with the Democratic Party, and Steve Rosenthal, who had run political operations for the AFL-CIO, met for dinner at BeDuCi's restaurant in Washington. They worried that the Republican Party would adjust better than the Democrats in 2004 to the loss of soft money because it controlled the White House, and because President Bush knew how to rake in campaign cash, Mr. Rosenthal recalls.

The Democrats decided to create and coordinate a set of 527 organizations, such as America Coming Together and the Media Fund, which would essentially act like a shadow Democratic Party. The Democratic strategists raised \$200 million from wealthy liberals, trial lawyers, labor unions and other traditional backers of the Democratic Party, and spent it on the campaign, according to campaign finance records. The Democratic National Committee spent \$390 million on the election, according to campaign records.

All told, since the campaign-finance law took effect, the 527 organizations that support Democratic candidates have spent nearly three times as much money on elections than those backing Republicans, according to the Campaign Finance Institute. One reason for the disparity is that corporations, once the largest source of soft-money donations to the Republican Party, haven't poured much money into 527s. Campaign-finance lawyers who advise 527 organizations say that corporations are concerned about getting involved with groups that run

afoul of campaign-finance rules.

Democrats are expected to hold that lead during the 2008 cycle. Last month, two Democrats launched Fund for America, a 527 group that plans to raise at least \$100 million to back the Democratic presidential nominee. Republicans say they are recruiting donors to match that amount.

Because they have their own agendas, outside organizations sometimes clash with one another, the national parties, even the candidates they support. Abortion-rights advocates say Democratic Party officials sometimes bristle when they fund political advertisements in support of candidates, because the ads focus attention on an issue that can alienate some voters. Naral Pro-Choice America plans to spend \$10 million on the 2008 election cycle, double its budget for 2004. It hasn't yet endorsed any presidential candidate.

Sen. Clinton has been both the beneficiary and the target of considerable spending by independent groups. Friends of the Earth Action, an environmental group backing former Sen. John Edwards, is attacking her for not taking a stand on a global-warming bill. Emily's List, an organization that backs Democratic candidates who are pro-choice, has spent nearly \$300,000 so far to support her in Iowa.

On the Republican side, the antitax Club for Growth has clashed with the Republican Party several times. Last year, the group campaigned against Republican Sen. Lincoln Chafee of Rhode Island because he had voted against several tax cuts. Mr. Chafee won his primary anyway, but lost to a Democrat in the general election.

This year, the group has been attacking Mr. Huckabee for supporting tax increases as Arkansas governor. "Call Mike Huckabee," one ad instructs viewers. "Ask why he supported all those taxes."

Common Sense Issues Inc., the group backed by American Financial Group's Mr. Lindner in 2006, is funding automated phone calls to Iowa voters touting Mr. Huckabee and spreading negative information about his rivals.

Mr. Huckabee said the mudslinging approach of Common Sense Issues "violates the spirit of our campaign." Patrick Davis, a former Republican Party consultant who is managing the independent campaign, says that he hasn't spoken with Mr. Huckabee, "therefore we don't know what the spirit of his campaign is."

—T.W. Farnam contributed to this article.

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Subject: Walking down Main Street

A few pics.



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Brian Deese

Sunday, 3:45 pm, via cell

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Was just trying to catch you on 111D in next 48-72 hrs.

(If you want to try him abroad from the office, 202-456-1404 is his asst Daniel)

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Subject: Re: Damn Good Question

I like it!

Sent from my thumbs

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On May 8, 2013, at 10:49 PM, wendy Abrams <wabrams1@me.com> wrote:

What do you think about the idea of getting a billboard in DC to run this ad?

"The next ten years will determine whether we take the necessary action to reverse the threat of climate change. So why has the American government declined to take meaningful action?"

- John Kerry, 2007

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

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Date: 6/29/2015 11:22:31 AM

Subject: Re:

Thx Tom. Dennis, happy to help out any way you think is appropriate. Let me know.

On Monday, June 29, 2015, Tom Nides <tom.nides@gmail.com> wrote:

Gentleman- I spoke today with Michael Polsky CEO of in Invenergy. He says john knows him. He wants to do a clean tech fundraiser for HRC in Chicago whenever you can. He only asks that John also attends (he knows where the real power is). I assume you know how to reach him. If not have someone call me.

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Elias, Marc \\\(Perkins Coie\\)" <MElias@perkinscoie.com>

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Re: F.E.C. Can't Curb 2016 Election Abuse, Commission Chief Says There is a stalemate among
Subject: the agency's six commissioners, who are perpetually locked in 3-to-3 tie s along party lines
because of a fundamental disagreement over the commission's mandate.

I have no illusions about the FEC or its power. I do, however, think this article is significantly overstated. It is the product of Ann Ravel's endless desire to be portrayed in the press as a profile in courage. A few observations:

1. Earlier this year the Dept. of Justice brought a criminal case against a campaign manager for violating the coordination rules. And, even more recently, DOJ indicted Sen. Menendez based, in part, on contributions to a superpac that they believe were bribes. There is every reason to think DOJ will increasingly police the campaign finance laws.

2. The statute of limitation is 5 years and the composition of the FEC will change in the next two years due to turn over at the Commission. Remember--in 2004 people said the same thing about the FEC not policing 527s. By 2006 the composition of the FEC had changed and most of the 527s from 2004 paid sizable fines. This is not lost on the GOP lawyers advising the groups. It doesn't mean that they won't push the line, but I have not seen any conduct that suggests the law is simply being ignored.

3. Every time a GOP candidate does something even close to the line, they are hit by a complaint. Multiple complaints have been filed against Jeb Bush over his relationship with superpacs. Most recently Sen. Paul was hit with a complaint over receiving an advance briefing on the hit-job book. These come from a variety of sources — good government groups, CREW, and a new group set up by David Brock.

4. Per John's question below — there is one legal tool we could use that might slow them down. The law has a little noticed or used provision that says that if a complaint has been filed and it is either dismissed or not acted upon within 120 days the entity that filed the complaint can sue the FEC to force it to proceed with enforcement. If the FEC fails to move forward, then the complainant is permitted to bring their own lawsuit to enforce the law directly. IF it were announced that this was the path we intended to take, it would both make news and perhaps give pause to the groups. Is this something we want to push forward? If so, would we want the DNC to do it? The campaign? Or would we prefer it be done externally? It would be hailed by the reform groups, but is a significant step in legal escalation and will certainly result in similar action against Priorities et al.

Let me know if you want to discuss any of these options.

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From: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: Sunday, May 3, 2015 at 6:11 PM

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Subject: Re: F.E.C. Can't Curb 2016 Election Abuse, Commission Chief Says There is a stalemate among the agency's six commissioners, who are perpetually locked in 3-to-3 ties along party lines because of a fundamental disagreement over the commission's mandate.

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Adding Elias.

I agree with you, John. I think we focus hard on raising as much as we can and then throw the kitchen sink at everyone who we believe steps over the line, understanding that has limited impact.

On May 3, 2015, at 5:55 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I have no magic solutions other than execution. Elias may have some legal ideas to slow them down. We have 3 things we have to do. Raise the primary \$ by expanding the bundler network. Get Priorities functional. Use this to scare our people into giving bigger sums. We may need to get WJC into the mix sooner. We should also ask BHO to do more in light of this, although they are kind of prissy about how they approach this.

On Sunday, May 3, 2015, H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

In light of this predictable statement of the obvious, what do you suggest we do?

<http://mobile.nytimes.com/2015/05/03/us/politics/fec-cant-curb-2016-election-abuse-commission-chief-says.html>[mobile.nytimes.com]

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Headlines:

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[New York Times: “Reputation for Zeal Precedes Republican Leading New Benghazi Inquiry”](#)

“Mr. Cummings went to Mr. Gowdy to seek his reassurances that there would be ‘no surprises’ before agreeing to serve with him. ‘I have a tremendous amount of respect for Gowdy,’ Mr. Cummings said. ‘He has always treated me with the highest level of respect.’”

[Huffington Post: “Here’s Proof Bill Clinton Is Destined To Be The World’s Greatest Grandpa”](#)

“But worry not, Clinton already knows how to handle a baby. From these signs below, it appears Clinton is practiced enough to take on the role as a full-time job.”

Articles:[Politico: “GOP to Todd Akin: Shut up”](#)

By Anna Palmer and Tarini Parti

July 10, 2014, 2:25 p.m. EDT

Todd Akin is back talking about rape in his new book and Republicans have a message for him: Shut up.

The Missouri Republican’s memoir offers no apologies for his comments on “legitimate rape,” his bruising loss to Sen. Claire McCaskill or the effect many Republicans say his remarks had on the 2012 field — when the Senate slipped through their fingers.

Several operatives, consultants and politicians didn’t waste any time responding to attacks in the book, “Firing Back: Taking on the Party Bosses and Media Elite to Protect Our Faith and Freedom,” set to be released July 15. A copy was provided to POLITICO early.

“Todd Akin is an embarrassment to the Republican Party and the sole reason Claire McCaskill is still part of Harry Reid’s majority,” said Brian Walsh, who served as communications director for the National Republican Senatorial Committee during the 2012 cycle.

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"It's frankly pathetic that just like Sharron Angle and Christine O'Donnell in 2010, he refuses to take any responsibility for sticking his foot in his mouth, alienating voters and costing Republicans a critical Senate seat. Worse, he's now trying to make money off his defeat. The sooner he leaves the stage again the better."

The GOP has vowed to prevent the stumbles on social issues that plagued Republican candidates on the trail last cycle. So its overwhelming reaction to Akin: his five minutes of fame need to be over.

In his book, Akin serves up harsh words for Mitt Romney, Sen. Roy Blunt (R-Mo.) and GOP operative Karl Rove for abandoning him following his now infamous line about rape and pregnancy, that "the female body has ways to try to shut that whole thing down."

Akin puts Romney in his cross hairs over the 2012 presidential candidate's decision to not defend him. He argues that Romney should have pivoted on the issue to attack Democrats and former President Bill Clinton in particular.

But former Romney aides say it sounds like a lot of sour grapes from Akin.

"Todd Akin has no one to blame for his loss but Todd Akin," said Kevin Madden, a former senior adviser to Romney.

"Anyone looking at the question reasonably would conclude it doesn't make any sense for a former candidate to just assign blame to a long list of rattled off names. Mitt Romney, from Massachusetts, won Missouri by 10 points. Todd Akin lost by 16 points. It's fairly simple."

Akin writes that Romney should have defended him by using Clinton's sexual indiscretions and an alleged comment that one woman "put some ice on that" as Clinton was set to give a keynote speech at the Democratic National Convention.

Clinton allies also see Akin bringing up the former president as desperate.

"Todd Akin's discreditable jabs are coming from a former right-wing politician who spent his entire time in public service opposing equal pay laws and choice, and who in his new book reiterates his strong belief that women's bodies have the ability to shut down during what he calls legitimate rape," said Adrienne Elrod, communications director for Correct the Record. "Akin's cheap shots at the Clintons are nothing but a desperate and failed attempt to stay relevant."

Akin's defense of his controversial comments in the book only shows that Rove and his Crossroads outfits made the right decision by pulling out of the race, said Paul Lindsay, spokesman for Crossroads.

"Todd Akin's increasingly intricate theories of legitimate rape only deepen our conviction that we made the right call in 2012," he said. "His failed campaign ultimately helped convince us to get involved in primaries this cycle to help the party avoid squandering more opportunities in winnable seats."

American Crossroads spent about \$65,000 opposing McCaskill in 2012.

For Blunt's part, the Missouri Republican appears to not be paying his criticism any heed. Akin wrote that Blunt left a "bloody war club with his fingerprints all over it" to get him to quit the Senate race.

"Sen. Blunt appreciates the service Todd Akin has given to our country and the service his sons continue to give," said Blunt spokeswoman Amber Marchand. "He thinks Congressman Akin is a good man and well-intentioned, but based on what he has heard about the book, Sen. Blunt has decided not to read it."

By attacking Blunt and others, Akin is pointing fingers at everyone but himself, said David Barklage, a Missouri-based Republican consultant.

"This type of name-calling is to hide the fact that party leadership has a responsibility to protect the party label and its interests," Barklage said. "People talk about personal responsibility in the party. He's still not admitting how much of a distraction this was for the election and the Republican Party."

Even though Akin's book comes as the GOP tries to capitalize on its chance of taking back the Senate in November, Barklage said Akin's comments will not hurt the party's image like it did in 2012.

"It shows that the Republican Party has high standards. His story illustrates that the Republican Party is its own best watchdog."

Randy Gutermuth, a GOP strategist who has worked for several Missouri politicians including Blunt and former Sen. Jim Talent, also said Akin's attacks were unwarranted, especially since there's no way for the former congressman to turn around his political career.

"It's disappointing given the efforts the entire state delegation and Sen. Blunt made to help him raise money and organize," Gutermuth said.

"I'm not sure what a pathway to a comeback would be for him."

[Concord Monitor \(N.H.\): Douglas A. Smith, Douglas A. Smith, former assistant secretary for the private sector at the U.S. Department of Homeland Security: "My Turn: Foreign tourism got boost from Clinton"](#)

By Douglas A. Smith

July 10, 2014

Summer is finally here – the busiest travel season of the year, when tourists from all over the world flock to the United States, and particularly here in New Hampshire, to enjoy all that our great nation has to offer.

Growing up in Durham, I witnessed the power of foreign tourism first hand, spending my summers working on whale-watching boats out of Portsmouth.

The money spent by foreign tourists fuels economic growth and supports hundreds of thousands of American jobs.

In 2013 alone, international visitors spent \$180.7 billion on U.S. travel and tourism-related goods and services.

According to the U.S. Department of Commerce, for every 65 international visitors, one American job is created, a job that cannot be exported. Over this past July Fourth weekend, 880,000 tourists came to the Granite State, strengthening tourism here as the No. 2 industry in the state.

In fact, over the course of the summer, the total number of visitors who will come will equate to more than 10 times the state's population.

Just last year, the New Hampshire ski industry added a record \$1.15 billion in direct and secondary sales to the state.

At the time both Secretary of State Hillary Clinton and I were sworn into office, the United States government wasn't fully taking advantage of the international tourism industry's economic trade opportunities, and our share of the market had decreased throughout the past decade. After 9/11, our nation had to basically "pull up the welcome mat" to foreign visitors. But after making many changes to our national security system and creating the Department of Homeland Security – where I served as an assistant secretary from 2009 until 2013 – our nation made incredible progress to enhance our national security and keep America safe.

Our economic security, on the other hand, had declined. America was dealing with the worst economic crisis since the Great Depression.

With millions of Americans out of work, forced out of their homes, and struggling to make ends meet, we needed to do everything possible to help them and protect the security of the world's largest economy.

Clinton understood that there was no need to make a false choice between economic and national security and that we can – and must – have both. There is no better example of this than in the support of international tourism to the United States.

I worked alongside Clinton's team to promote international tourism when I served as the DHS representative on the president's Travel and Tourism Advisory Board.

We implemented a variety of policies to increase international tourism to the United States, and the number of international tourists to the United States increased from 55 million in 2009 to 70 million in 2013 – which gave the American economy a boost when it needed it the most – while never compromising America's national security. This was no easy task.

A number of federal agencies were involved in the process, including the departments of Homeland Security and Commerce, along with foreign governments and members of the private sector tourism industry – all of whom had different interests at stake.

Clinton coordinated with each of these moving parts to increase international tourism, grow our ailing economy, create jobs for hardworking Americans and keep our borders safe.

The increase in foreign travelers under Clinton's watch spurred economic growth and created jobs at a time when America needed it most.

This kind of smart, pragmatic leadership is just what Americans want and just what America needs from its leaders.

[Business Insider: "Hillary Clinton 'Personally' Pays For Her Own Staff"](#)

By Hunter Walker

July 10, 2014, 7:09 p.m. EDT

Hillary Clinton has responded to criticism of her six figure speaking fees by noting much of the money has gone to her family's foundation. This has led some Republicans to wonder whether the foundation funds political operations for Clinton, who is considered the Democratic frontrunner in the 2016 presidential election. However, a source close to Clinton told Business Insider she "personally" pays for her staff.

"The Secretary's personal staff is paid for by her personally," the source said.

The source also noted Clinton draws no salary from the foundation.

On Tuesday, the conservative America Rising PAC published a blog post featuring five "burning questions" about the finances of the Bill, Hillary & Chelsea Clinton Foundation. One of the group's questions was about Clinton's staff, which includes spokespeople and other aides.

"Is the Foundation paying for Clinton's political staff or being used as a holding ground for future Clinton Presidential staff?" the group asked.

Republican National Committee Press Secretary Kirsten Kukowski also questioned the Foundation's finances in an email sent Wednesday in response to a New York Times article published earlier that day. The newspaper article noted Chelsea Clinton gives all of her income from speaking fees to the Bill, Hillary & Chelsea Clinton Foundation. Kukowski's email noted "there aren't any documents to prove" Hillary Clinton gives speaking fees to the foundation.

"Might be time for some transparency from the Clinton Foundation," she wrote.

[New York Times: "A Provocateur's Book on Hillary Clinton Overtakes Her Memoir in Sales"](#)

By Amy Chozick and Alexandra Alter

July 10, 2014

Of all the headaches of her current book tour — the declining sales, the constant travel, the interviews that generated unkind headlines about her family's wealth — this one may sting Hillary Rodham Clinton the most: Her memoir, "Hard Choices," has just been toppled from its spot on the best-seller list by a sensational Clinton account by her longtime antagonist Edward Klein.

It is a powerful statement about today's publishing realities that Mr. Klein's book, a 320-page unauthorized and barely sourced account full of implausible passages, including one about a physical altercation between Mrs. Clinton and President Obama, has landed atop the New York Times best-seller list, knocking "Hard Choices" to No. 2.

Despite criticism from some right-leaning commentators, Mr. Klein is capitalizing on the confluence of two potent market forces: the conservative book-buying public, which has continued to generate sales despite the industry's overall slump, and the seemingly insatiable appetite for intimate details about the Clintons' family lives, even when the details themselves are factually suspect. (In one section in Mr. Klein's book, former President Bill Clinton demands that his wife get a face-lift. When she refuses, he gets one instead.)

In the week that ended July 5, Mr. Klein's book, "Blood Feud: The Clintons vs. the Obamas," had sold 20,105 copies, an 18 percent increase from the previous week, compared with 16,646 copies sold of Mrs. Clinton's book, a 36 percent decrease from the previous week. On Thursday, "Blood Feud" held the No. 11 spot on Amazon's best-seller list, while "Hard Choices" came in at 103. "Hard Choices" was released on June 10 and is still leading in overall sales over "Blood Feud," which came out on June 23.

While conservative readers may form the foundation of Mr. Klein's sales, some publishing industry insiders say liberals — and readers who are simply looking for irresistible entertainment — are picking up the book, too.

The suspenseful page-turner paints a Shakespearean (if unbelievable) portrait of power, lust and clashes between and within the two first families. In one passage, Mr. Clinton says: "I hate that man Obama more than any man I've ever met, more than any man who ever lived." In another, Michelle Obama refers to Mrs. Clinton as "Hildebeest." Other stretches of Mr. Klein's writing are devoted to marital tensions. Mr. Klein quotes an anonymous friend of Mr. Obama as saying: "Barack gets so fed up with her behavior that he actually encourages Michelle to take separate planes when they go on vacation, so he doesn't have to fly with her."

Of "Blood Feud," Rush Limbaugh, the popular conservative radio talk-show host, said he wasn't "alleging it doesn't exist, it isn't true," but he added

that “some of the quotes strike me as odd, in the sense that I don’t know people who speak this way.”

In a telephone interview on Thursday, Mr. Klein said he stood by his reporting and likened his reporting techniques to those of the Washington Post reporter Bob Woodward.

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“I don’t make this stuff up,” Mr. Klein said on a break from a media blitz to promote the book. “The quotes come from sources who were present when the statements were made or who were told about the statements shortly after they were made.”

Nick Merrill, a spokesman for Mrs. Clinton, disagreed.

“Let’s strap Ed Klein to a polygraph machine and let the needle do the talking,” Mr. Merrill said.

Conservative books have been a booming category in publishing, tracing back to the rise of conservative talk radio and cable channels in the 1980s. Mainstream publishers have embraced the trend and introduced imprints aimed at conservative audiences. Simon & Schuster’s Threshold Editions, which was created in 2005, publishes books by Glenn Beck and Mr. Limbaugh. Penguin Random House has two imprints dedicated to conservative books. And in 2011, HarperCollins started Broadside Books, which has published works by Donald Rumsfeld and Sarah Palin.

“Blood Feud” was originally acquired by HarperCollins’s William Morrow imprint, but this past spring, Mr. Klein broke with HarperCollins and moved to Regnery Publishing, a conservative imprint that published Mr. Klein’s 2012 anti-Obama book, “The Amateur.” Rupert Murdoch, whose News Corporation controls HarperCollins, is quoted on the back of “Blood Feud” as saying “every voter should read” “The Amateur.”

Some publishing industry executives say that the legal department at HarperCollins was uncomfortable with the material and wary of inviting a lawsuit, but Mr. Klein said he broke with the publisher over “editorial differences” that arose from his book on Mr. Obama. “I felt they didn’t understand how to market the book properly, so I decided to move to Regnery,” he said.

Regnery has a history of publishing books critical of the Clintons, and it timed the publishing of Mr. Klein’s latest book to coincide with the release of Mrs. Clinton’s memoir.

“We thought, what better way to take advantage of the fact that Hillary and the Clintons would be in the national conversation than to come in right afterwards and say, ‘That’s one point of view, here’s another side of the story,’ ” said Marji Ross, Regnery’s president and publisher.

To date, Regnery has printed 225,000 copies of “Blood Feud” and has shipped more than 200,000. Sales are strong in a range of retail outlets, including Amazon, Barnes & Noble, Walmart and Costco.

While the work of Mr. Klein, a former editor at Newsweek and The New York Times Magazine, continues to rise, some Clinton allies have become sensitive about falling sales for “Hard Choices.”

By normal nonfiction standards, “Hard Choices” has sold extremely well. But Mrs. Clinton’s multimillion-dollar advance and status as a probable 2016 Democratic presidential candidate have put added pressure on the publisher, Simon & Schuster.

Current sales figures of 177,234 copies not including e-books, according to Nielsen BookScan, mean Simon & Schuster is unlikely to recoup Mrs. Clinton’s advance and could fall far short of the one million copies shipped to bookstores, industry executives said. Cary Goldstein, a Simon & Schuster spokesman, said the publisher was delighted by the sales of “Hard Choices” and expected it to sell for years to come.

Mrs. Clinton’s supporters, concerned that soft sales would be interpreted as a lack of enthusiasm for her potential presidential candidacy, have tried to position “Hard Choices” as a hit.

At a meeting with supporters of Ready for Hillary, a "super PAC" that supports Mrs. Clinton, Harold M. Ickes, a former deputy chief of staff to Mr. Clinton, told potential donors that, despite reports to the contrary, "Hard Choices" was a success, said one person who attended the event. A spokesman for Ready for Hillary declined to comment.

[Politico: "New Hampshire 2016 poll: Hillary Clinton lead shrinks"](#)

By Nick Gass

July 10, 2014, 8:55 p.m. EDT

Hillary Clinton still leads the Democratic field in the race for 2016, but her advantage might be slipping in New Hampshire, according to a new poll.

Fifty-nine percent of 257 likely Democratic voters in the state say they would vote for the former secretary of state in the presidential primary, per the latest WMUR Granite State poll released Thursday. While Clinton still holds a 45-point advantage on Vice President Joe Biden, the results mark a drop of six percentage points in the Granite State since April and an overall drop of 15 points in the last six months.

Other potential candidates grabbing votes include Massachusetts Sen. Elizabeth Warren (8 percent), Vermont Sen. Bernie Sanders (5 percent), New York Gov. Andrew Cuomo (3 percent) and Virginia Sen. Mark Warner (1 percent).

New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie leads a crowded GOP field among 251 likely primary voters with just 19 percent. But voters indicated that if Mitt Romney were to jump in the race, he would lead the field by a significant margin. Romney grabbed 39 percent of the hypothetical vote, leading the runners-up Christie and Kentucky Sen. Rand Paul, by 32 percentage points.

The University of New Hampshire Survey Center conducted the poll between June 19 and July 1, surveying 669 New Hampshire residents, including likely GOP and Democratic voters. The margin of error among Democratic voters is 6.1 percent and 6.2 percent among Republicans. The overall sampling error is 3.8 percent.

[Associated Press: "Officers Say No 'Stand-Down Order' For Benghazi"](#)

By Bradley Klapper and Donna Cassata

July 11, 2014, 6:11 a.m. EDT

Military officers testified that there was no "stand-down order" that held back military assets that could have saved the U.S. ambassador and three other Americans killed at a diplomatic outpost and CIA annex in Benghazi, Libya. Their testimony undercut the contention of Republican lawmakers.

The "stand-down" theory centers on a Special Operations team - a detachment leader, a medic, a communications expert and a weapons operator with his foot in a cast - that was stopped from flying from Tripoli to Benghazi after the attacks of Sept. 11-12, 2012, had ended. Instead, it was instructed to help protect and care for those being evacuated from Benghazi and from the U.S. Embassy in Tripoli.

The senior military officer who issued the instruction to "remain in place" and the detachment leader who received it said it was the right decision

and has been widely mischaracterized. The order was to remain in Tripoli and protect some three dozen embassy personnel rather than fly to Benghazi some 600 miles away after all Americans there would have been evacuated. And the medic is credited with saving the life of an evacuee from the attacks.

Transcripts of hours of closed-door interviews with nine military leaders by the House Armed Services and Oversight and Government Reform committees were made public for the first time on Wednesday.

Rep. Darrell Issa, R-Calif., chairman of the oversight panel, has suggested that Hillary Rodham Clinton gave the order, though as secretary of state at the time, she was not in the military chain of command.

Despite lingering public confusion over many events that night, the testimony shows military leaders largely in agreement over how they responded to the attacks.

The initial, Sept. 11 assault on the diplomatic post, which killed Ambassador Chris Stevens and another American, prompted immediate action both in Benghazi and in Tripoli. Though not under any known further threat, the U.S. Embassy in Tripoli, the Libyan capital, was evacuated early in the morning of Sept. 12, its sensitive information and computer hard drives destroyed. Diplomats and military officials left in armored vehicles for a classified U.S. site several miles away. Upon arrival there, the head of a small detachment entrusted with training Libyan special forces told his higher-ups he wanted to take his four-member team to Benghazi.

Military officials differ on when that telephone conversation took place, but they agree that no help could have arrived in Benghazi in time. They put the call somewhere between 5:05 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. local time. It would take about 90 minutes to fly from Tripoli to Benghazi. The next U.S.-chartered plane to make the trip left at 6:49 a.m., meaning it could have arrived shortly before 9 a.m., nearly four hours after the second, 11-minute battle at the CIA facility ended at about 5:25 a.m.

Republicans investigating Benghazi have clashed over whether military superiors, in effect, ordered the team to stand down. Rep. Howard "Buck" McKeon, R-Calif., the Armed Services Committee chairman, has cited previous testimony from military officers that ordering the foursome to stay in Tripoli and protect embassy personnel there didn't amount to "standing down."

Others, such as Issa and Rep. Jason Chaffetz of Utah, have said a stand-down order was given.

"We had proximity, we had capability, we had four individuals in Libya armed, ready to go, dressed, about to get into the car to go in the airport to go help their fellow countrymen who were dying and being killed and under attack in Benghazi, and they were told to stand down," Chaffetz said more than a year ago. "That's as sickening and depressing and disgusting as anything I have seen. That is not the American way."

Beyond questions of timing, the testimony of Rear Adm. Brian Losey, who was then Special Operations commander for Africa, also challenged the idea the team had the capacity to bolster security in Benghazi.

Losey said there was "never an order to stand down." His instruction to the team "was to remain in place and continue to provide security in Tripoli because of the uncertain environment." Earlier on Sept. 11, the U.S. Embassy in Cairo had been breached as well.

Losey questioned what the four could have done to aid the situation in Benghazi, where American personnel were preparing to evacuate as soon as possible. He said assigning the small team to defend a perimeter wouldn't have been appropriate and would have meant the military's losing its command operation in Tripoli "for the benefit of four riflemen who weren't even riflemen."

"The guy's command and control, he's communications, medical," Losey recounted. "I've got one weapons guy with his foot in a cast. Didn't make a lot of sense."

The Special Operations detachment leader's name is omitted from the testimony transcript, but he previously has been identified as Lt. Col. S.E. Gibson. More than a year-and-a-half later, Gibson, who is now a colonel, agreed that staying in Tripoli was the best decision.

"It was not a stand-down order," he testified in March. "It was not, 'Hey, time for everybody to go to bed.' It was, you know, 'Don't go. Don't get on

that plane. Remain in place."

"Initially, I was angry," Gibson said. "A tactical commander doesn't like to have those decisions taken away from him. But then once I digested it a little bit, then I realized, OK, maybe there was something else that was going on. Maybe I'm needed here for something else."

His contingent would indeed prove useful in Tripoli, according to the testimonies.

When the Americans from Benghazi arrived, among the wounded was one person with a unique blood type. Gibson and others credited the medic in the team with saving a life.

[New York Times: "Reputation for Zeal Precedes Republican Leading New Benghazi Inquiry"](#)

By Jennifer Steinhauer

July 9, 2014

Representative Trey Gowdy was cutting the grass in the front yard of his Spartanburg, S.C., house when Speaker John A. Boehner called with a special assignment.

Mr. Gowdy, a South Carolina Republican and a former prosecutor whose peculiar hairstyle has generated almost as much news media coverage as his voting record, has made a name for himself over his barely two terms in office with his tenacious questioning of Obama administration officials in committee rooms. Yet his relationships with Democrats on Capitol Hill are far more nuanced than many of his conservative brethren.

Which made him the speaker's ideal choice for leading a new politically charged congressional committee investigating the 2012 attack on the diplomatic mission in Benghazi, Libya. Despite skepticism in many quarters, Mr. Gowdy promises a process — which began Wednesday when his full committee met for the first time — that will be both plodding and fair.

"This will not be what people on the left fear it is going to be," Mr. Gowdy said over lunch at the Capitol Hill Club, a dining room for Republicans where he has the same dinner — varying species of fish as well as fresh fruit — every night that Congress is in session, most often with his fellow South Carolina Republican, Senator Tim Scott.

Nearly two years after the attack in Libya that killed the United States ambassador there, J. Christopher Stevens, and three other Americans, Democrats are increasingly angry that Republicans are not relenting in their criticism of the administration over Benghazi, which has already been examined by six congressional committees. To them, the issue has devolved from national tragedy to partisan farce.

"The day the committee was announced, Republicans began fund-raising off it," said Representative Steve Israel of New York, who also leads the committee to elect House Democrats.

Yet many lawmakers on both the Oversight and Government Reform Committee and the House Judiciary Committee who serve with Mr. Gowdy — as well as some Obama administration officials who have entered his jurisdictional cross hairs — say he may be the most favorable Republican for the job. (For one, they say that he has not been fund-raising off his work on the committee and that he is critical of the practice.)

"Trey has a real existential moment of what imprint he wants to make," said Representative Gerald E. Connolly, Democrat of Virginia, who serves with Mr. Gowdy on the oversight committee. He can be, Mr. Connolly said, "another partisan flare who came and went, or acquit himself as an honorable person, which I think he is."

"If he does that, he will be a very serious player in the United States Congress," Mr. Connolly said.

Richard W. Vieth, a criminal defense lawyer who worked with Mr. Gowdy as a prosecutor and later against him in courtrooms, echoed that assessment. "He was someone I knew I could trust," he said. "But I knew in the courtroom he'd be very combative."

Mr. Gowdy's habits of tearing up during floor speeches, ripping into witnesses and general acts of excoriation find their roots in his 16 years of prosecutorial work in South Carolina, where his record of convictions in more than 100 cases was nearly unblemished.

His style was foreshadowed in his emotional closing arguments, as in a 2008 case of the murder of a married couple. "Sometimes death walks slowly and knocks gently," he said, describing the crime to the jury. "Sometimes it kicks in the front door."

He has set no deadline for the committee, composed of seven Republicans and five Democrats, to complete its work. His annual budget for the committee is \$3.3 million.

Mr. Gowdy's passion for debate surfaced early in life, when he would argue politics with his parents and three sisters at the dinner table, said his mother, Novalene Gowdy. "If he were still in the law and I committed a crime, he'd prosecute me," she said. "He is very law oriented."

At Baylor University in Texas, Mr. Gowdy, 49, was a cheerful student who devoured episodes of "Miami Vice," said Robert Thornton, his fraternity brother in Kappa Omega Tau.

A quick wit, love of metaphors and penchant for quoting philosophers were Mr. Gowdy's hallmarks. "I might be showing him a house," said Mr. Thornton, a home builder in Texas, "and he will drop a reference to Kierkegaard."

Mr. Gowdy graduated from college in 1986 with a degree in history, went on to the University of South Carolina School of Law and clerked for two judges. After a family friend was murdered in Charlotte in 1994, he said he "felt a strong pull to be a prosecutor."

He worked as an assistant United States attorney until 2000, then took on a sitting solicitor and won, continuing to prosecute for the next decade. In 2010, he routed Representative Bob Inglis in the Republican primary, then easily won the seat that fall in his heavily Republican district.

For some Republicans, Mr. Gowdy's predilection for picking off members of his own party has made him akin to Inspector Javert in "Les Misérables" — devoted to the law but not always to mercy. "I'm sure he has some rationale for the things he has done," Mr. Inglis said in a phone interview.

Mr. Gowdy responded: "The graveyard is full of people waiting on open seats. I have this belief that if you are qualified and you believe that you would do a good job doing something, there is no reason you shouldn't run." He once vowed to retire after two terms. This summer, he officially unretired to run for a third term.

Some Democrats on the committee have longstanding relationships with Mr. Gowdy, among them Representative Elijah E. Cummings of Maryland, the committee's ranking Democrat. Mr. Cummings went to Mr. Gowdy to seek his reassurances that there would be "no surprises" before agreeing to serve with him.

"I have a tremendous amount of respect for Gowdy," Mr. Cummings said. "He has always treated me with the highest level of respect."

On Wednesday, Mr. Gowdy's committee received a classified briefing from various agencies about Ahmed Abu Khattala, the Libyan militia leader charged in connection with the killing of the four Americans in Benghazi. The committee will continue to meet this month, with public hearings weeks if not months away.

Some believe that Mr. Gowdy might take the investigation into at least one area that binds both parties.

“There is the question of what you do to bring the perp to justice,” said Matthew Miller, a former spokesman for Eric H. Holder Jr., the attorney general who once roasted under the Gowdy boiler during hearings on the botched gun-trafficking case called Operation Fast and Furious. “You would think Gowdy might respect, as a prosecutor, the need to let the government do its job.”

[Huffington Post: “Here’s Proof Bill Clinton Is Destined To Be The World’s Greatest Grandpa”](#)

By Kate Bratskeir
July 10, 2014, 11:36 a.m. EDT

Former president Bill Clinton has a very particular set of skills -- skills he has acquired over a very long career.

He created tens of millions of jobs. He perfected the art of charisma. He even adopted a plant-based diet. And soon, Clinton will take on the monumental, onerous task of being a grandfather.

This is a lifetime commitment that requires a certain amount of dedication and grit, and the will to get one's hands dirty (in dirty diapers and spit-up, to start). But worry not, Clinton already knows how to handle a baby. From these signs below, it appears Clinton is practiced enough to take on the role as a full-time job.

[PHOTOGRAPHS OF PRES. CLINTON WITH BABIES]

Calendar:

Sec. Clinton's upcoming appearances as reported online. Not an official schedule.

- [July 17](#) – Ridgewood, NJ: Sec. Clinton makes “Hard Choices” book tour stop at Bookends ([Star-Ledger](#))
- [July 19](#) – Madison, CT: Sec. Clinton makes “Hard Choices” book tour stop at R.J. Julia ([Day of New London](#))
- [July 20](#) – St. Paul, MN: Sec. Clinton makes “Hard Choices” book tour stop at Common Good Books ([AP](#))
- [August 9](#) – Water Mill, NY: Sec. Clinton fundraises for the Clinton Foundation at the home of George and Joan Hornig ([WSJ](#))
- [August 28](#) – San Francisco, CA: Sec. Clinton keynotes Nexenta’s OpenSDx Summit ([BusinessWire](#))
- [September 4](#) – Las Vegas, NV: Sec. Clinton speaks at the National Clean Energy Summit ([Solar Novis Today](#))
- [October 2](#) – Miami Beach, FL: Sec. Clinton keynotes the CREW Network Convention & Marketplace ([CREW Network](#))
- [October 13](#) – Las Vegas, NV: Sec. Clinton keynotes the UNLV Foundation Annual Dinner ([UNLV](#))
- ~ [October 13-16](#) – San Francisco, CA: Sec. Clinton keynotes [salesforce.com](#) Dreamforce conference ([salesforce.com](#))

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Date: 12/19/2015 10:30:20 AM
Subject: UPDATE: MTP background memo coming soon

Sara and Alexandria are reviewing the MTP now and we'll have it to you shortly via email.

I will also have an advance staffer print it for you on the ground as well along with the following attachments:

V. ATTACHMENTS:

- Friends & Allies TPs, Pre-Debate
- Friends & Allies TPs, Post-Debate (TK after the debate)
- HRC Morning Communications Memo— December 19th
- NH Political Briefing
- NH Q&A

Look OK? Thank you!

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Date: 3/4/2015 8:18:10 AM

Subject: Re: Fwd: Phillippe going off the rails, FYI

Saw this

Priceless.

On Mar 4, 2015 2:55 PM, "Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

Fyi

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Judd Legum <jlegum@gmail.com> >

Date: Wednesday, March 4, 2015

Subject: Phillippe going off the rails, FYI

To: Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> >

<http://gawker.com/so-philippe-reines-sent-us-an-email-1689406566>

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"Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>
Date: 3/1/2016 10:21:02 AM
Subject: RE: Monsanto/ Michigan debate

Schake wanted to hold for tomorrow.

From: Jake Sullivan [mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com]
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To: Ron Klain <rklain@aol.com> ; Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> >
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Subject: RE: Monsanto/ Michigan debate

We are tweeting and doing statement. KC is it out yet?

From: Ron Klain [mailto:rklain@aol.com]
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Subject: Re: Monsanto/ Michigan debate

This is great

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 1, 2016, at 4:57 PM, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> > wrote:

You guys are probably all over this, but hitting House R's for making it easier for Monsanto to get away w/ poisoning people with PCB's may resonate after what happened in Flint.

Just sending in.

<http://www.nytimes.com/2016/03/01/business/monsanto-could-benefit-from-a-chemical-safety-bill.html?smprod=nytcore-iphone&smid=nytcore-iphone-share>

A single paragraph in the sweeping legislation could shield the company from costly liability for making the now-banned chemicals known as PCBs.

From: "Doug Bayer" <dougbayer@comcast.net>

To: "Trustees at Knox" <trustees@knox.edu>

Date: 12/30/2014 6:32:37 AM

Subject: RE: AGB on diversity and Boards

The AGB articles do provide some helpful context and guidance, however, I found the book "*Whistling Vivaldi: How Stereotypes Affect Us and What We Can Do*" (from Amazon at <http://www.amazon.com/Whistling-Vivaldi-Stereotypes-Affect-Issues/dp/0393339726>) which was mentioned in one of Teresa's later emails, to be eye opening; it gave me a whole new perspective on learning challenges. It was my first introduction to the concepts of "stereotype threat" and "identity threat", terms relatively well known in social psychology; Dr. Steele made a compelling (empirically-based) case of how they impact academic performance and raised some questions concerning the effectiveness of traditional approaches to helping various affected groups.

I know that there is a group on campus reading this book as part of their preparation for campus wide conversation in January, this book will help me be better able to engage in any discussions between the Board and the rest of the Knox community.

- doug

From: Teresa Amott [mailto:tamott@knox.edu]

Sent: Monday, December 15, 2014 11:08 AM

To: Trustees at Knox

Subject: AGB on diversity and Boards

Dear Trustees,

At last week's call, I mentioned an AGB resource that I think may be helpful to the Board by providing some context. If you haven't already looked at it, you can find it [here](#) . There are other articles in that issue of note as well. Thanks again for your time and thoughtful comments on Thursday's call.

Your login is your email address (the same email with which Denise communicates with you regularly) and you will need to set up a password. Denise can assist if you need help.

Best,

Teresa

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Date: 5/19/2015 9:56:45 AM

Subject: Is ther a time today that you can discuss the material Heather sent to us ?

Steve and I leave for NY tomorrow morning and are in meetings virtually all day Thursday. Heather is pressing for fast answers. There are some issues which I prefer not to discuss in a crowd. If today doesn't work, let's take a minute to figure out when we can talk.

From: "Brynne Craig" <bcraig@hillaryclinton.com>
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Date: 7/8/2015 8:51:32 AM
Subject: Re: IAM

Wonderful!

On Wed, Jul 8, 2015 at 3:50 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
awesome news!

On Wed, Jul 8, 2015 at 3:49 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi guys

I just spoke with IAM, they have confidentiality shared with us that Buffenbarger will be moving his board to take a endorsement vote on August 14th in NYC. Only three officers at IAM are aware of this, so its being tightly held so that they don't have any issues on the board with timing.

They will be requesting that the Secretary attend a retirement dinner for Sec/Treasurer Robert Roach at the Hilton NYC the evening of August 14th. The vote will have happened earlier that day and all of Buffenbarger's board will be in attendance at the dinner. I wanted to flag this for scheduling.

The IAM endorsement is usually made at their Convention. But their next Convention is not until 2016. Buffenbarger didn't want to wait. Great news.

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Date: 7/26/2014 4:04:45 AM

Subject: Tara Sonenshine article

Recent piece by Tara

www.defenseone.com/ideas/2014/07/weather-and-war-perfect-storm/89669

From: "Brian Rothenberg" <brianr+AK@progressohio.org>

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Date: 10/12/2014 4:10:21 PM

Subject: Kasich's Charter Accountability Office Failed to Police Imagine Charters

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Contact: Brian Rothenberg, ProgressOhio

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**Kasich's Charter Accountability Office Failed to Police Imagine Charters
Accountability Chief David Hansen Served as Board Member for Imagine School**

Oct. 12, 2014

COLUMBUS – After taking millions in campaign contributions from charter schools and their allies, Gov. John Kasich failed to take steps to crack down on abusive lease arrangements between Imagine schools and its subsidiary. The leases leave little money for classroom instruction.

According to a Sunday report in the Columbus Dispatch, five Imagine schools in Franklin County received a combined \$20.2 million in the 2012-13 school year. A quarter of that money — more than \$5.1 million — was spent on rent, all under long-term leases with Imagine subsidiary SchoolHouse Finance. A sixth school, Imagine Integrity Academy, spent 81 percent of its \$440,009 in state aid on rent.

ProgressOhio Executive Director Brian Rothenberg will release information on leases in place at Imagine schools in Akron, Canton, Cleveland, Dayton and Toledo, and will call for changes at the Office of Quality School Choice and Funding, now headed by David Hansen.

WHEN: Oct. 13, 2014 1:30 pm

WHERE: ProgressOhio | 172 East State Street | 6th Floor | Columbus, Ohio 43215

WHAT: Press Conference on Imagine Schools' Abusive Leases

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Date: 9/1/2015 3:38:51 AM

Subject: Re: checking in

John--

Hope all is well with you. Let me know if you have any time to chat. It would be great to see you, even if ever so briefly.

Best,
Caroline

On Tue, Jul 7, 2015 at 9:19 PM, Caroline Wadhams <carolinewadhams@gmail.com> wrote:
[202 253 6222](tel:2022536222)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 7, 2015, at 7:56 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

What's the best number to reach you at?

On Jul 7, 2015 12:23 PM, "Caroline Wadhams" <carolinewadhams@gmail.com> wrote:
John --

Hope all is well. I'm sure you saw the news that Tom just got appointed to be Special Envoy for the Great Lakes (taking over Russ Feingold's position). He has asked me to go over to that office with him. I'd love to get your advice on whether I should do the move with him or pursue some other options I have. Let me know if you have any time to talk.

Thanks and take care!
Caroline

From: [SportsAuthority.com](#) <SportsAuthority.com@em.sportsauthority.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/11/2014 4:50:15 AM

Subject: \$50 Off Your Purchase of \$250 or More!

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To:

Date: 10/8/2009 8:01:53 AM

Subject: Strategy Meeting and Campaign Briefing with Senator Kirsten Gillibrand

Thank you again for your generous support of Senator Gillibrand. We would like to express our gratitude for your early support by inviting you to attend a **strategy meeting and campaign briefing with Senator Gillibrand at noon on Thursday, October 22nd** (location TBD). Senator Gillibrand will provide an update on the campaign and as always, welcomes your feedback and thoughts on how we can make this exciting campaign even stronger. We look forward to you joining us for this special event. Please RSVP by emailing jennifer@kirstengillibrand.com or calling 202-285-0966 by Monday, October 19th.

Tune in to tonight's **Larry King Live on CNN at 9:00 pm EDT** to see Senator Gillibrand participate in a roundtable discussion about the healthcare debate.

We look forward to connecting soon.

Best,

Jennifer and Stefanie

From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/28/2015 3:24:52 AM

Subject: Auto-reply: Maternity Leave Re: Ragnar Ch-Ch-Changes -- Responses Requested

Thank you for your message. I am out on maternity leave until approximately January 4, 2016.

For assistance with John Podesta's schedule, please email Milia Fisher at milia.fisher@gmail.com or mfisher@hillaryclinton.com.

For assistance with queries related to the Washington Center for Equitable Growth, please contact Sherice Nelson at snelson@equitablegrowth.org.

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Eryn M. Sepp

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/15/2016 10:13:26 AM
Subject: Checking in on docs for delivery

John- Just wanted to check in on what you'd like me to deliver tonight. Is there any research you'd like me to be doing or any docs you'd like me to be pulling?

I'm around on my cell at any point if you'd like to talk through.

Thanks!

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From: "Siewert, Jake" <Jake.Siewert@gs.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/1/2015 7:24:50 AM

Subject: RFK Dinner

The RFK center is hosting a big dinner next Tuesday evening in NYC honoring Tim Cook. As Apple's lead bank, we bought one of the head tables. Any interest in joining? Not sure it's any better or worse than most of these events but at least it's for a good cause.

Love the email dumps but they seem to be getting more insidery every time. How much can they write about Lanny's naked brown-nosing?

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Date: 10/5/2015 4:03:23 PM

Subject: J. Podesta → Thank Ruth Bader Ginsburg



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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/12/2015 6:59:57 AM

Subject: Re: Both quotes are fine and can be in my voice.

Great, thanks very much.

Best,

Juliet

> On Dec 12, 2015, at 8:58 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

>

> Probably would add "that made the difference" at the end of the 2nd.

From:	"Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> "Philippe Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com> "Heather Samuelson" <hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com> "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> "Robby Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>
Date:	3/4/2015 1:31:22 PM
Subject:	can you get on a call now - dial 1- 530-881-1000; code 742374. thanks

From: ["John F. Butler" <john.f.butler@gmail.com>](mailto:john.f.butler@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 2/4/2015 2:16:11 AM
Subject: Truman - Thank you

John,

My family told me they saw you at Holy Trinity Sunday. I'm sorry I couldn't thank you in person, but as you probably know I was attending the Truman National Security Project orientation. Thank you again for taking the time to write a letter on my behalf and for your phone call to Mike Breen. This weekend I experienced first hand what a capable and strong leader he is. While his team is relatively young, they are very professional and they put together a fantastic program. I learned a lot from the training, but most of all I was struck by how accomplished yet humble the members were. I was surrounded by published authors, PhDs, senior military officers, hardened combat veterans, and other incredibly impressive individuals. They are really on to something special, and I'm grateful to be part of such a motivated group. They told us to look out for future members, and I thought of Gabe and sent him an email this morning.

Thank you again for your support and for all the hard work you devote to our country.

Sincerely,
John

From: "truthout" <messenger@truthout.org>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 9/18/2014 11:11:38 AM

Subject: The US Government Never Understood Afghanistan and Still Doesn't

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Anand Gopal, Metropolitan Books: *No Good Men Among the Living* is a compellingly intimate portrait of how the war in Afghanistan impacted citizens of that nation. The author walks readers through the looking glass lens of US empire into the complex and personal history and impact of the conflict.

[Read the Excerpt](#)

Children's Rights Groups Urge Defense Program to Stop Giving School Cops Military Hardware

Susan Ferriss, Center for Public Integrity: More than 20 national education and civil rights advocates sent a letter to Department of Defense officials, urging them to stop giving US school police departments surplus military hardware, including assault-style rifles and armored vehicles.

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Build the Green Economy

Robert Pollin, Boston Review: Meeting carbon emission reduction targets will be challenging, but the goal is not out of reach. Here is a proposal for a transformative US clean energy investment program that can meet the 40 percent reduction target over the next 20 years.

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Sea Change: The Ecological Disaster That Nobody Sees

Richard Schiffman, Truthout: As public attention focuses on climate change, many ocean species are being pushed to the edge of collapse by pollution, acidification and overfishing. A Global Ocean Commission report says that we must act now to save the earth's wildest and most productive ecosystem.

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Supervision and Discipline of Corrections Officers Are Key to Stopping Violence on

BuzzFlash

Janet Yellen Should Stop Telling the Economically Exploited to Save Money They Don't Have

Mark Karlin, BuzzFlash at Truthout: Yellen is telling those who aren't in the top 1 percent or 10 percent to save money that's been taken from them in the greatest redistribution of money to the wealthy that the world has ever known.

[Read the BuzzFlash Commentary](#)

Obama Peddles New Iraq War to a Nation With a Dead Imagination

[Read the Article at BuzzFlash](#)

Rikers Island

David Anthony Fullard, Truthout: Although the standard response to police and corrections staff violence is calls for improved training, violent behavior by uniformed officers is often deeply tied to a lack of monitoring and consequences for misbehavior.

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Beyond Divestment: Climate-Concerned Philanthropists Pledge to Move Billions to Wind and Solar

Chuck Collins, YES! Magazine: Efforts to address climate change through money-moving campaigns are growing. Groups rallying around the idea of divest-invest are urging policy makers, businesses and investors to accelerate the transition to a low-carbon economy and invest in renewable energy.

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Colombia Took On Its Drug Lords; Now It's Taking On Its Billionaires - Why Can't We?

The Daily Take Team, The Thom Hartmann Program: Like the United States, Colombia is struggling with an inequality epidemic. But more and more Colombians are being lifted out of poverty each year because the Colombian government isn't afraid to ask the wealthy elite to do its fair share to help the economy.

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Senate GOP Blocks Fair Pay, Continues War on Women

Robin Marty, Care2: We may be less than two months away from Election Day, but that whole "trying to appeal to women voters" plan of the GOP is already falling to shambles. The latest? Senate Republicans have blocked the Paycheck Fairness Act. Again.

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The Next Round of an Unwinnable War Beckons

Amanda Ufheil-Somers, OtherWords: Obama promises that his plan to combat and destroy Islamic State forces will also address the underlying political problems in Iraq and Syria. What's far more certain is that all military campaigns have unintended consequences, some of which don't appear for many years afterward.

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Rebecca Solnit | The Wheel Turns, the Boat Rocks, the Sea Rises: Change in a Time of Climate Change

Rebecca Solnit, TomDispatch: The world is not going to be saved by individual acts of virtue; it's going to be saved, if it is to be saved, by collective acts of social and political change. When we come together as civil society, we have the capacity to transform policies and change old ways of doing things.

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Corporate Personhood Is the Ebola Virus of Climate Chaos

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Five Signs the Dark Money Apocalypse Is Upon Us

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Sean Hannity Worries the Adrian Peterson Case Will Prevent Parents From Teaching Kids That "Being Gay Is Not Normal"

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Dean Baker | The Myth That Sold the Financial Bailout

Dean Baker, Campaign for America's Future: As a result of the hysteria surrounding the 2008 financial bailout, the second Great Depression mythologers prevented the market from correcting a horrible source of waste and the upward redistribution of income that continues to act as an enormous drag on the economy.

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Lessons Learned in the Bucca Camp

Kathy Kelly, teleSur English: This will not be our third Iraq invasion. US assaults have been achieved with munitions, children's forced starvation, white phosphorous, bullet fire, blockaded medicines, emptied reservoirs and downed power lines - it is all one continuous war.

[Read the Article](#)

Anti-Coal Campaigners Continue to Win in the Northwest

Mara Kardas-Nelson, Waging Nonviolence: Several communities across the Northwest, linked together in their opposition to coal transports by concern for the health of their communities and of the planet, are winning victories by blocking coal shipments.

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Economic Update: Big Economic Changes

Richard D. Wolff, Economic Update / Truthout: This episode covers the new census data, a Kentucky town going "socialist," a workers' co-op in Maine, big wage theft and economic insecurity. We also discuss gentrification, the tax consequences of inequality and the global beer economy, and respond to listeners' questions on minimum wage struggles, corporate "persons" and the BRICS bank.

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To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 8/25/2015 6:01:53 AM

Subject: Publishers Weekly: Japan Restored

Publishers Weekly Book Review

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Japan Restored: How Japan Can Reinvent Itself and Why This Is Important for America

By Clyde Prestowitz

Labor economist Prestowitz (Rogue Nation) projects visions of Japan's future in this well-handled study of sensitive politico-economic issues disguised as a love letter to the country. Japan's economic decline after the 2011 tsunami spurred this peek into a crystal ball. Prestowitz opens with a snapshot of the nation in 2050 as a world leader in technology, medicine, athletics, and education. These strides follow a series of potential crises in 2016 that prompt the government to appoint an Extraordinary National Revitalization Commission. The commission introduces changes that strengthen Japan's regional power and promote women into management positions, as well as transforming it into an English-speaking nation like Singapore. Finally, the 20th-century zaibatsu model that guaranteed citizens jobs for life is replaced by the profit-driven model that turned Nissan around in 2001. While there's nothing in this big-themed fabulist tale that seems out of reach, it remains to be seen whether Prestowitz's well-intentioned advice will make an impact among Japan's decision makers. (Nov.)

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To: "[John D. Podesta](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 12/29/2015 8:31:08 AM

Subject: Closing the books



Dear John D.,

I'll keep this short. We have just a few days left before the books close at the end of 2015. I know you're getting a lot of emails, but there are four Senate candidates that really need your help if we are going to take back the Senate in 2016.

Maggie Hassan in New Hampshire

Russ Feingold in Wisconsin

Michael Bennet in Colorado

Tammy Duckworth in Illinois

These are all must-win races for us—and every one of them is facing an onslaught of spending from Super PACs determined to force a right-wing agenda through the Senate.

The last few months have shown us just what kind of agenda the GOP is proposing for America. I need your help to make sure we can stop that agenda in the Senate.

[Please join me in supporting Maggie, Russ, Michael, and Tammy before we close the books on 2015.](#)

Sincerely,

Debbie Stabenow
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/8/2008 2:08:40 AM

Subject: Re: hugs

No

I'm kind of too depressed to deal.

The one very small silver lining is that david axelrod is a million times better a human than mark penn.

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: Neera Tanden

Sent: Tue Jan 08 05:26:09 2008

Subject: Re: hugs

Did you see josh gerstein's sun piece on BC?

On 1/5/08, Neera Tanden <ntanden@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

> I called you

> We're trying to do this....

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

> To: Neera Tanden

> Sent: Sat Jan 05 16:27:34 2008

> Subject: Re: hugs

>

> Sorry, just saw this so probably too late. I have no great

> brainstorm, but I think the one thing she needs to emphasize is who

> she is fighting for rather than what she is fighting for. Maybe a

> little more Edwards than Obama. I think that's where her passion comes

> from and that's what she needs to show tonight..

> You doing Babwa Walters?

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> On 1/4/08, Neera Tanden <ntanden@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

> > Best part of everything is I have stomach flu. Any thoughts on debate

> > tomorrow?

> >

> > -----Original Message-----

> > From: Neera Tanden

> > To: John Podesta

> > Sent: Fri Jan 04 15:42:24 2008

> > Subject: Re: hugs

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> > I am calling you.

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> > -----Original Message-----

> > From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

> > To: Neera Tanden

> > Sent: Fri Jan 04 15:20:09 2008

> > Subject: hugs

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To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 1/28/2016 7:04:58 AM

Subject: Re: Read Out of Jaime Harrison Conversation

I've been talking to Patrick about him ([Will.I.Am](#))....Brynne and I think it's best that Terry ask him directly, which we are making happen

On Thu, Jan 28, 2016 at 2:03 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Patrick just told me will i am (sp?) is getting warmed up to do something
But maybe he's not exactly a high target

On Thu, Jan 28, 2016 at 1:24 PM, Brynne Craig <bcraig@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Marlon, Adrienne and I just had a really good call with Jaime. We read him into our existing play and he was beyond pleased and excited about what we are working on for South Carolina. Below are additional points from the conversation:

Pee Dee Region

- Jaime mentioned that he is hearing grumbles that HRC hasn't been to the Pee Dee Region. We let him know that it is a top priority for us that HRC or WJC go to the Pee Dee Region. He was happy to hear it was on our radar.

HBCU Tour//Young People//Af Am Women

- Jaime mentioned that we needed to bring some younger people into SC as surrogates - not older/only people that are known throughout the political world. We agreed and briefed him on the long list of people we currently have asks into to travel to South Carolina (below is a small selection).
 - Usher
 - Nelly
 - Anthony Anderson
 - Alonzo Mourning
 - Tatyana Ali
 - Jamie Foxx
 - Grant Hill
 - Gabrielle Union
 - Hill Harper
 - Lance Gross
 - Big Tigger
 - Sean Patrick Thomas
 - Nick Cannon

Willing to join HFA internal calls

- Marlon invited Jaime to any of our internal SC conversations. We let him know that we would love his feedback and advice on what we should be doing.

We have a [South Carolina specific tracker](#) that we go over daily. This is the same system we used for Iowa - I feel confident we will be able to increase the amount of surrogates we have in South Carolina - more importantly the RIGHT kind.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Marlon, Adrienne and Brynne

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Brynne Craig

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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 10/31/2015 1:03:04 AM

Subject: Weekly Reader: Senator Begins Inquiry into Navy Admiral's Whistleblower Retaliation



Senator Begins Inquiry into Navy Admiral's Whistleblower Retaliation

One of the most significant failures of current military whistleblower protections is how infrequently those who retaliate against whistleblowers are held accountable.

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Time to Retire the "Hastert Rule" and Return to Order

New Speaker of the House Paul Ryan should retire the "Hastert Rule" and lead the House of Representatives back to a place where genuine debate guides the legislating process.

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Caucus Drives CRS Reports Talks**

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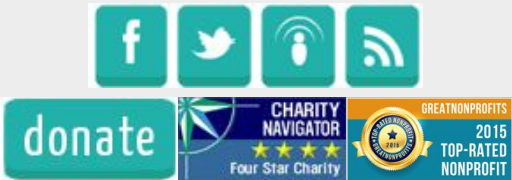
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From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 3/9/2015 2:11:59 AM

Subject: Re: Receipt from Anthony Johnson

Well that's a cool system. Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 9, 2015, at 05:00, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

----- Forwarded message -----
From: "Square" <noreply@messaging.squareup.com>
Date: Mar 9, 2015 4:49 AM
Subject: Receipt from Anthony Johnson
To: <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc:

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To:	"All Faculty and Staff" <AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu>
Date:	3/2/2016 11:37:01 AM
Subject:	Planter Box Replacement Project (McDonough Hall & EBW Library)
Attachments:	Georgetown Law Center Planter Schedule FY16.pdf GULC Site Plan Logistics.pdf

Notification: Planter Box Replacement Project

During spring break the Law Center will begin replacing the existing dilapidated exterior wooden planter boxes with new PVC boxes on the patio decks of McDonough Hall and EBW Library. You may notice certain deck areas cordoned off when the work is being performed, and intermittent pathways will be temporarily blocked for removal of debris and installation of the new planter boxes. The impact to the Law Center community should be minimal, though there is chance equipment engine noise may be heard during the installation. Please see the attached project schedule and site plan showing the work zones. Should you have questions or concerns please let us know.

Thank you,

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To: ["Kristina Costa" <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:kcosta@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 10/26/2015 9:15:12 AM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: TPs for 1199 SEIU

Thanks -

I just sent these notes to Nikki, but two pieces.

1) We should add a note on ACA. 1199 is first and foremost a health care union and is extremely proud of the work members did to help pass and defend the ACA.

2) We should add some note on home care, keying off the home care event that she did in CA. I believe one of those members were likely from 1199. would be good to reference.

Thanks,
Heather

On Mon, Oct 26, 2015 at 4:08 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Team,

HRC is meeting with members from 1199 SEIU tomorrow and is speaking briefly at the top. The attached reflects edits from Nikki, policy, and Dan. Please send further edits and clearances by 5pm, with apologies for the quick turn.

Thanks,

Kristina

From: "Jim Abrams" <host@invite.celebrations.net>

To: [mailto: <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:<john.podesta@gmail.com>)

Date: 10/6/2014 8:35:57 PM

Subject: Jim Abrams has invited you to Wendy's 50th Birthday

You have been invited by Jim Abrams to Wendy's 50th Birthday.

Will you be attending?

YES

NO

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To: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 8/14/2015 8:03:53 AM

Subject: Re: Ralston Live

Yup

On Aug 14, 2015 5:01 PM, "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Jennifer & the Comms team agreed that it's good for you to do Ralston at NCES. I just spoke logistics with Lydia from the CEP team. Ralston likes to do interviews live, but the new show (on PBS) is at 5:30 PM, which overlaps with the POTUS keynote.

So we can instead set up a taping during the lunch hour. You get offstage at around 11:00 am and can head over to the studio in a hotel car (the campaign will have to pick up the bill there-- but that's ok with them).

Does that plan sound alright?

Thanks!

Milia

--

Milia Fisher

Special Assistant to the Chair

Hillary for America

mfisher@hillaryclinton.com

o: [646.854.1198](tel:646.854.1198) c: [858.395.1741](tel:858.395.1741)

From:

"Marsha Scott" <messages-noreply@linkedin.com>

To:

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date:

8/24/2015 10:39:40 AM

Subject:

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From: "Sepp, Eryn" <Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov>

To: mberman@dubersteingroup.com
john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 6/22/2014 6:57:06 PM

Subject: Re: HI - a favor

Hi Mr. Berman,

You should expect to hear from Mike Boots and his team soon, however here is his direct if you want to or need to reach out:
Michael_J_Boots@ceq.eop.gov

All the best,
Eryn

From: Mike Berman [mailto:MBerman@dubersteingroup.com]
Sent: Sunday, June 22, 2014 09:26 PM
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc: Sepp, Eryn
Subject: RE: HI - a favor

Thanks much...plugging along...mike

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Sunday, June 22, 2014 7:47 PM
To: Mike Berman
Cc: Eryn Sepp
Subject: Re: HI - a favor

Eryn will put you together with Mike Boots, Acting CEQ Chair. Hope all is well.

JP
--Sent from my iPad--
john.podesta@gmail.com
For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Jun 22, 2014, at 5:46 PM, "Mike Berman" <MBerman@dubersteingroup.com> wrote:

I have to work on a presentation relating to interior department programs on which they are looking to partner with private industry and the details there of.....If there anyone you can connect me with the broader white house complex or wherever that could spend a little time with me on the phone ...thanks...Mike

From: "Gene Karpinski" <gene_karpinski@lcv.org>
To: "Podesta, John" <John_D_Podesta@who.eop.gov>
Date: 1/20/2015 1:27:40 PM
Subject: Re: A need to celebrate

Ok the schedulers can get to work on that and yes we will let you say a few words in tribute to Mike. That would be great. But rest assured we will also use the occasion to find a few good things to say about you!

On Jan 20, 2015, at 2:32 PM, Podesta, John <John_D_Podesta@who.eop.gov> wrote:

I think I'm likely to be out of here 6 weeks before Mike, so why don't we have a party for him closer to his departure and you can give me the chance to sing his praises.

From: Gene Karpinski [mailto:gene_karpinski@lcv.org]
Sent: Tuesday, January 20, 2015 1:03 PM
To: Podesta, John; 'john.podesta@gmail.com' ; Boots, Michael J.
Cc: 'grakis@cacampaign.com' ; Rachel Kriegsman; Sepp, Eryn
Subject: A need to celebrate

Dear John and Mike:

In honor of your incredible public service, and in particular your leadership efforts on fighting climate change and protecting our environment, leaders in the Climate Action Campaign and the broader environmental community would love to honor the two of you with a going away party at a time that works best for both of you. Ideally this would be an evening reception at some point in the next couple of weeks or so. My assistant Rachel Kriegsman and George Rakis from CAC, cc'ed above, will work out all the details, once you agree to be honored and you put us in touch with your schedulers.

This is, of course, an offer that you MUST accept. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

From: mae_podesta@mckinsey.com

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 4/17/2015 11:50:21 AM

Subject: We can also def go out nearby

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From: "Scott Lilly" <slilly@americanprogress.org>

To:

Date: 4/16/2014 6:43:52 AM

Subject: What is the future of your favorite federal program?

Regardless of ideology, most Americans have at least one or two federal programs they really, really care about.

It might be the National Forests essential to many of their leisure time activities or the regional cancer center that is helping them beat a life threatening disease.

It might be the efforts of the Labor department to make mine operators more diligent in complying with best practices in protecting miners or it might be the support that the preservation and interpretation of our national historical treasures such as civil war battlefields or the homes and artifacts that belonged to our founding fathers. .

It might be the Hubble space telescope or the variety of efforts by the federal government to help localities do a better job of extending quality early childhood education to more children.

It might be our efforts to better understand and treat autism or support given to help local symphony orchestras or art museums.

Whatever the government does that is important in your life, how will that activity be affected by the budget debate taking place in Washington? You may be surprised to learn that the impact could be much more dramatic than you think. You could get a clearer picture of the challenges facing such programs from this article that was just posted by the Center for American Progress:

<http://www.americanprogress.org/issues/budget/news/2014/04/16/88090/the-disinvestment-budget-government-investments-to-improve-our-economic-future-would-be-crushed-under-the-recently-passed-house-budget>

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From: "[Stephanie Hannon](mailto:hannon@hillaryclinton.com)" <hannon@hillaryclinton.com>
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"[Jesse Ferguson](mailto:jferguson@hillaryclinton.com)" <jferguson@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 1/5/2016 6:18:44 AM

Subject: Tech Weekly Report (Dec 21 to Jan 4th)

Welcome to the first tech report of 2016. This covers the last two weeks. Next week's report will include a tracking spreadsheet for Q1 projects.

As always, send feedback to me (hannon@) and Ahna (arao@).

Weeks starting December 21st & December 28th

Archive of previous [Weekly](#) [Reports](#)

Wins:

- **Operationalize our mailer:** [Balloon](#) , a mass mailer built and supported by HFA, is now self-service. This allows the email team to build emails themselves instead of relying on engineering to do so. This will serve as a backup for them to send email in the event Silverpop goes down, or in cases where faster sends leads to more money raised.
- **Homepage Experiment:** We increased donations for visits to the homepage 7% by bringing the donation module higher up on the page, just under the picture of Hillary Clinton at a rally. This change has now been made for all visitors to the homepage.
- **Custom Lightboxes:** We have doubled signup conversions on the Feed with custom lightboxes. Headlines on each lightbox are now customized to match the content of the Feed post (ex. gun violence prevention post is paired with a custom lightbox that says "Enough is enough: Let's end gun violence."

Updates:

- **Q1 planning:** Planning for Q1 started 5 weeks ago with stakeholder brainstorms. We will complete Engineering effort estimation and release/dependency planning this week, present proposed plans to stakeholders (Thurs Jan 7 @ 3:30pm) and review the proposed plan with Robby (Friday, Jan 8). If you are not on the Thursday invite but would like to be, please email Steph (hannon@).
- **Donate:** We have made good progress on improving the sign-in/sign-up flow related to Quick Donate and will be A/B testing the new flow by Saturday. We also completed the Silverpop tracking events which allows

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Team Email to send special emails to abandoned donors reminding them to come back and finish their donation. The majority of email traffic and all of ads traffic is now directed to New Donate, and our goal is to be completely off of Wagtail by February.

- **Airwolf/Automated email:** The organizing engineering team is working on the next round of changes to our VAN chrome extension that will allow field organizers to turn on automated emails like event RSVP reminders. We have some prototype emails (#1: attempt to reconnect with a volunteer after 10 failed attempts, and #2 a principal event thank you email) that we should be wrapping up work on very soon.
- **Gerard visits Vegas!** Last Tuesday and Wednesday, Gerard attended the Nevada GOTC training to get field organizers across the Silver State trained up on how to use Reporter, our caucus night app. We're hoping to get the Nevada version of the app done this week so we can roll the app out to Nevada organizers.
- **DNC Update:** We have been setting up monitoring tools on the HFA cluster. We'll be implementing some system improvements to the network and disk usage in this cluster over the next 2 weeks, which we're hoping will create significant performance improvements. We'll also be increasing the number of nodes in use, which should improve system stability.
- **Facebook share:** We released the sticky share Facebook footer on mobile. It is a Facebook share button that follows as the user scrolls down the Feed post.

Outages:

- **Fastly outage:** From 4:55 p.m. to 5:43 p.m. ET on Dec 31, users experienced intermittent issues connecting to our website and completing donations, signups, or other actions. Our error logs indicate that fewer than 100 individuals received error pages on our website, and fewer than 30 donations were affected. Remediation items on our side include exploring a lightweight donation page that doesn't rely on Fastly's infrastructure to redirect traffic to in the case of a widespread, prolonged outage. Full post-mortem can be found [here](#) .

Hiring update:

- **Welcome Beth:** We are excited to welcome Beth, a frontend engineer, to the donate agile team! She comes to us from Twitter in Boston.
- **Welcome Derek:** We are also thrilled to welcome Derek Parham, new Director of Engineering. Derek pioneered Google Apps for Work and led engineering from 1 to 100 engineers. He spent the last four years building startups and advising / investing.
- **Evolving agile teams ([see diagram here](#))** : Going forward, Derek and Kyle will share responsibility for co-leading the engineering team and they will each sponsor / support specific agile teams. Kyle will continue with Donations, CMS, both Organizing teams and Uniform. Derek will take on Data Infra, Ops, Ema, Mobile, and Platform Services.

From: laura@presidentclinton.com
To: ["Jean Marc Villian"](mailto:Jean Marc Villian) <jvillain@clintonfoundation.org>
Date: 11/10/2011 9:08:37 AM
Subject: HDF decisions

Jean-Marc,

Bruce has asked that John represent him on investment decisions associated w HDF until he is back. I know that you may have some decisions coming to the board at the end of this month so please keep John in the loop of any decisions or related meetings. Continue to keep Greg updated as decisions are being made so CF Haiti is commiuerate w HDF. Thx laura
Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

From:	"Albert Hunt \BLOOMBERG/ NEWSROOM:\)" <ahunt1@bloomberg.net>
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	3/16/2015 7:48:00 PM
Subject:	

John u free for quick -- less than sixty seconds call in morning; re charlie rose.

From: ["Tom Matzzie" <tom@zzranch.com>](mailto:tom@zzranch.com)
To: ["Susan McCue" <Susan@messageinc.com>](mailto:Susan@messageinc.com)
Date: 5/19/2008 6:36:35 AM
Subject: Re: Re-Convening

I will make whenever work and i think we should do it in person.

I spoke to Woodhouse and Eli Pariser and have reports.

On Mon, May 19, 2008 at 12:55 PM, Susan McCue <Susan@messageinc.com> wrote:
9:30 – 11:30 am or after 6pm.

From: Matthew Butler [mailto:matthewsbutler@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, May 19, 2008 12:51 PM
To: David Brock (davidbrock@gmail.com); Tara McGuinness; Tom Matzzie; Begala, Paul; Susan McCue; John Podesta
Subject: Re-Convening

We discussed reconvening tomorrow to continue Friday's discussion and get updates on conversations that took place over the weekend.

What times work for people?

Do people want to do this in person or is a call sufficient?

From: ["Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)
To: ["Cheryl Mills n" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)
[Robby <robbymook@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 12/21/2014 5:02:56 AM
Subject: Re: Update -comments

Never mind
I was able to dial in

From: Huma Abedin
Sent: Sunday, December 21, 2014 7:00:40 AM
To: Cheryl Mills n; Robby; John Podesta
Subject: Re: Update -comments

[Can someone conference me in?](#)
[347-753-4616](#)

From: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, December 21, 2014 5:57:16 AM
To: robbymook@gmail.com; John Podesta; Huma Abedin
Subject: Re: Update -comments

Robby

On the message document reaction, it looks like all the elements you have said are essential are present.

My overarching reaction (besides the obvious diversity challenge) is that on paper, it appears more segmented than I would have thought. I had taken from your discussions regarding the ideal process that this group needed to work in a very integrated way.

If that remains true, it puts a premium on folks being co-located during this process to foster the coordination, synergy and best input/outcomes you wanted.

Are you going to be seeking that for the period of the development of the message?

cdm

On Dec 18, 2014, at 8:49 AM, robbymook@gmail.com wrote:

Begin forwarded message:

From: Robert Mook <robbymook@gmail.com>
Date: December 17, 2014 at 8:01:13 PM EST
To: Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>
Cc: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Cheryl Mills n <cmills@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: Re: Update

We had a good meeting today to ratify the research plan and discuss staffing structure and talent. Few things to report out:

1. We seem to have a settled on a team for the research project--we just need to lock in the media people. Attached is the latest draft of the one pager. I'm hoping to get the team discussing and editing the project design over the holiday so we can present a proposal to HRC at the beginning of Jan. Fingers crossed.

2. Good discussion about digital and tech. I think we have some good digital options...she approved setting up an interview process for CTO candidates, since we want someone outside politics for this role and we need outside advice on candidates.

3. Self research: Cheryl, she wanted to keep Heather and the team going from DC. I flagged that we will likely need to expand the team to 5-10 people, which she seemed fine with. I also flagged that self research is so integral to rapid response, vetting, content, etc that we'd probably want a contingent in HQ to prevent bottlenecks. We agreed I'd loop back with you to discuss options--I think a hybrid model may work. Let's discuss.

4. We had a good discussion about communications. John there are some WH people I'd like to discuss. I'll follow up. Any names welcome!

On Wed, Dec 17, 2014 at 1:41 PM, Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Meant to email sooner that she was seeing Pollack and Anzalone today.

She seemed to like both of them and basically told them both they would be part of this initial plan.

No promises.

<Message Development Workplan.docx>

From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Amanda Litman" <alitman@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:alitman@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 10/22/2015 4:19:53 PM

Subject: Re: For approval: Rapid response FRs for the morning (sign off ASAP)

Such great news. Let's keep the ball rolling! Tomorrow will be a great day!

On Oct 22, 2015, at 11:18 PM, Amanda Litman <alitman@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

+Sara/John

I want to confirm -- we're going to send fundraising tests at 7:30 a.m. tomorrow.

Tonight's emails are on track to some of our best yet!!

On Thu, Oct 22, 2015 at 11:44 PM, Amanda Litman <alitman@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Totally fine. Thank you for the quick sign-off, all! Appreciate it.

On Thu, Oct 22, 2015 at 11:43 PM, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Again, might be a little overly cautious, but would change grueling to just long. Feels a little off to call it grueling given the topic (and her compelling comments about how bad that day was for the people there).

> On Oct 22, 2015, at 11:35 PM, Amanda Litman <alitman@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Hi all -

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> Money is streaming in, so we'd like to catch it while we can. Let us know what you think of these for the AM -- hoping to send bright and early. Thanks!

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> -v1-

> Sender: Christina Reynolds, Hillary for America

> Subject:

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> Friend --

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> Yesterday, Hillary Clinton calmly and firmly answered questions before the Benghazi committee for eleven hours.

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> That's eleven hours of her time and of taxpayer money.

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> All I could think was: Not one other candidate could stand up to this grueling of a day and still be so poised. Hell, not one other person.

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> Isn't that exactly who we want as president?

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> Chip in right now:

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> LINK

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> Thanks
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> Christina
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> Christina Reynolds
> Director of Rapid Response
> Hillary for America
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> -v2-
> Sender: Christina Reynolds, Hillary for America
> Subject:
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> Friend --
>
> Yesterday I sat in headquarters and watched every single minute of Hillary's testimony in front of the Benghazi committee. It was a long, grueling day -- and I wasn't even the one testifying.
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> Hillary proved once again that she can handle anything the GOP can come up with to defeat her, and she did it with the strength and poise of a president.
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> She's ready to fight for you -- stand with her right now:
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> LINK
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> Thanks,
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> Christina
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> Christina Reynolds
> Director of Rapid Response
> Hillary for America
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> --v3--
> Sender: Christina Reynolds
> Subject:
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> Friend --
>
> If you saw the next President of the United States testifying before Congress yesterday, pitch in \$ASK and help get her there right now:
>
> LINK
>
> Let's go,
>
> Christina
>
> Christina Reynolds
> Director of Rapid Response
> Hillary for America

From:	kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com "Marlon Marshall" < mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com > "Christina Reynolds" < creynolds@hillaryclinton.com > "Jennifer Palmieri" < jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com > re47@hillaryclinton.com "Kristina Schake" < kschake@hillaryclinton.com > "Katie Dowd" < kdowd@hillaryclinton.com > "Alex Hornbrook" < ahornbrook@hillaryclinton.com > "Teddy Goff" < tgoff@hillaryclinton.com > "Oren Shur" < oshur@hillaryclinton.com >
Date:	6/19/2015 2:43:50 PM
Subject:	Updated Invitation: Brainstorming Session @ Tue Jun 23, 2015 10am - 11am (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Brainstorming Session

[more details »](#)

When

Changed: Tue Jun 23, 2015 10am – 11am Eastern Time

Where

NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa / 718-766-5165 ([map](#))

Video call

https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/re47

Calendar

john.podesta@gmail.com

Who

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- Kate Offerdahl - creator
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- Christina Reynolds
- Jennifer Palmieri
- John Podesta
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To: ["Herbert Sandler" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)
Date: 11/25/2014 12:29:01 PM
Subject: Re: Bob Solow

That's great.

On Nov 25, 2014 5:23 PM, "Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org> wrote:

John

Steve and I spoke to Bob Solow today, who told the following wonderful stories, one about you. At some point, while waiting for the president, you came over and greeted Bob and his grandson and said some nice things about Bob. After you left, Bob's grandson was kind of stunned, saying something to the effect, "Wow, I didn't know you knew John Podesta."

Bob then noted that he talked with Stevie Wonder, and also with Meryl Streep who asked him questions about Picketty.

Happy Thanksgiving

Herb

From: "Sara DuBois" <dubois.sara@gmail.com>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 8/11/2012 7:26:26 AM

Subject: [big campaign] NSN STATEMENT: Ryan Pick Shows Doubling Down on Politics Over Security

FYI, our statement on Mitt Romney's middle finger to America's military, diplomats and allies.



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NSN STATEMENT: Ryan Pick Shows Doubling Down on Politics Over Security

"A Disappointment with Dangerous Implications"

In response to today's announcement of Rep. Paul Ryan (R-WI) as Governor Romney's vice presidential pick, NSN Executive Director [Heather Hurlburt](#) issued the following statement:

"Mitt Romney's choice today to name Paul Ryan as commander-in-chief-in-waiting is at best cynical, at worst reckless -- with consequences in lives and livelihoods. In his time in Washington, Ryan has proven himself to be less a courageous budget maverick and more a creature of politics - pitting himself against America's military, diplomats and veterans.

Ryan's flip-flopping on Pentagon spending -moving from agreement with the core of President Obama's plan in his 2011 budget to a 2012 budget that imposes monies and programs on the military that they do not want - while being consistent about gutting veterans' programs and diplomacy, shows that he lacks strategic vision for U.S. security. His choice this year to accuse the Pentagon's uniformed leadership of [lying](#) to Congress about their needs suggest he is unready to be commander in chief, should that be required.

Like Governor Romney, Ryan seems to compensate for a lack of fully-formed national security views with rhetoric and, ironically for a budget hawk, dollar signs.

America faces the challenges of cementing our place in the 21st century, and recognizing -- [as Chairman Dempsey has](#) -- that America's defense is only as strong as the economy and diplomacy behind it.

Willingness to choose politics over strategy and servicemembers will not get us where we need to go as a nation. The Ryan pick is a disappointment with dangerous implications."

Additional Resources:

- [The 2012 Battle Over Defense Spending](#) , National Security Network, 4/6/11

- [What's Paul Ryan's Foreign Policy?](#), Uri Friedman, Foreign Policy, 4/5/12
- [Who's Really Politicizing National Security?](#), National Security Network, 4/3/12
- [GOP Budget Doesn't Even Say the Word 'Veteran'](#), Jon Soltz, Huffington Post, 3/21/12

For more information or to speak with experts, please contact Sara DuBois, [410-967-7306](tel:410-967-7306) or sdubois@nsnetwork.org

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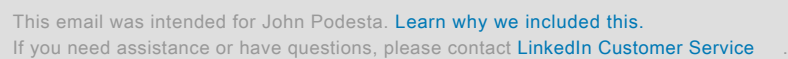
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Date: 6/15/2015 3:26:25 AM

Subject: H4A State News Clips

Attachments: IA Clips 061515.docx
SC Clips 6.15.15.docx
NevadaClips6.15.15.docx
6.15.15 New Hampshire Morning Clips.docx

Hi all –

Attached are today's State News Clips.

Regards,
Alexandria

Alexandria Phillips

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From: ["Joe Sestak, Democrat for U.S. Senate" <info@joesestak.com>](#)
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 11/2/2010 9:27:37 AM
Subject: Voting Today!



Dear John,

Today is the day!

It's a day filled with excitement and optimism.

Your dedication, energy, enthusiasm, passion and support have been tremendous and unmatched by any other campaign!

I have one last ask of you ... and that is to VOTE (and remind your friends and family to do so as well). We are on the verge of a historic victory ... it all comes down to voter turn-out (and reports from around Pennsylvania today are good)!

Win today ... and we walk together for ever. Now go out there and vote!

Warmly,
Joe

P.S. To find your Pennsylvania polling place, [please click here](#). And if you are looking to make a difference, we could use your help in getting out the vote by making calls from your home (even if you are out-of-state, you can help us by making phone calls in these closing hours). Your assistance would be much appreciated! [Please click here to help us](#).

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Date: 4/29/2015 3:08:36 PM

Subject: Guy just called

Glenn thrush is calling him about priorities. He is not returning call

From: ["Jeremy Funk" <funk@americansunitedforchange.org>](mailto:funk@americansunitedforchange.org)
To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com
Date: 5/7/2010 3:39:54 AM
Subject: [big campaign] Pat Buchanan: April jobs #'s "unvarnished good news"

CNN.com: [Economy creates 290,000 jobs in April](#)

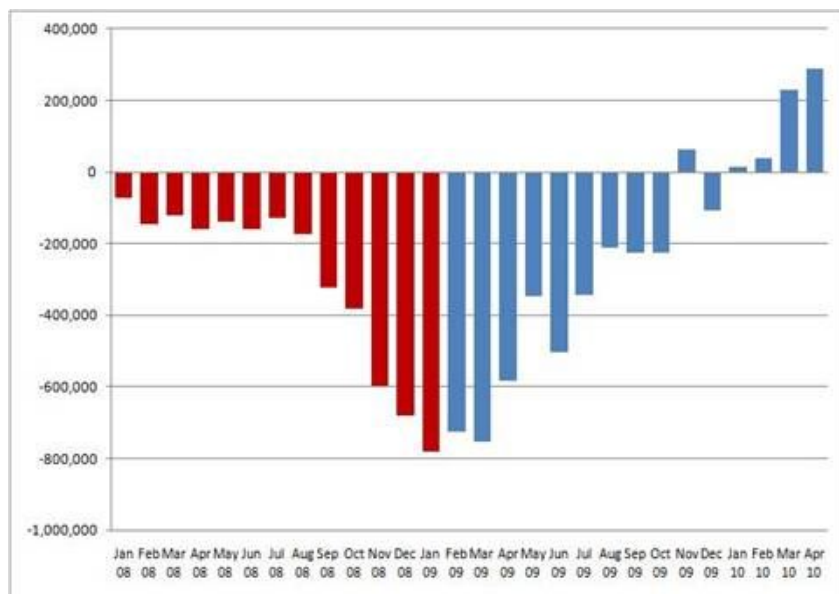
MSNBC contributor Pat Buchanan: April jobs numbers "unvarnished good news"

Watch it here: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WINpBxRS5HE>



See also – the chart : <http://www.speaker.gov/blog/?p=2275>

[April Marks Largest Job Gain Since March 2006](#)



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Date: 4/13/2015 10:45:35 AM

Subject: Carson announcing

Ben Carson will officially announce his presidential bid in Detroit on May 4, NBC confirms. <http://t.co/7FABYV5PHF> <http://t.co/IzmpOk4Ru>

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: "Eilperin, Juliet" <Juliet.Eilperin@washpost.com>

Date: 6/10/2015 8:45:24 AM

Subject: Re: checking in on my book idea

Hi - this week is rough since we have launch on Saturday so don't think either one of us could give this good consideration at moment but could discuss next week.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 28, 2015, at 5:48 PM, Eilperin, Juliet <Juliet.Eilperin@washpost.com> wrote:

Dear John,

I sent you an email several weeks ago but you might have missed it, so I thought it would make sense to just email you once more, and cc Jen. Long story short, I have been discussing the idea of writing a third book with my agent and my editor at Knopf/Pantheon. In the course of those discussions, I have tentatively settled on the idea of a book that would look at the role you have played in the Democratic Party over the course of the last few decades. This would allow me to examine pivotal moments in two presidencies and one presidential campaign, as well as key ideas (including what does it mean to be a progressive and key environmental decisions).

As I'm writing up my proposal, it would be helpful to know whether you'd be willing to cooperate with such a book. I would imagine you would have reservations about a book that would be akin to a biography, but that's not really what this would be. I'm aiming to write a book that helps explain how Washington works, by examining how someone behind the scenes has helped moved the levers of government and operated the machinery of campaigns. And of course, if the book doesn't garner a good advance I won't write it, because I've got plenty of other things on my plate. But I think it could be an interesting project, and it would be great to know to what extent you'd be open to talking to me about this.

I know both of you are very busy, but just drop me a line when you get a chance. I will be traveling in Canada from Friday to Tuesday, but will be reachable all of the usual ways.

Best, Juliet

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 8/4/2015 2:25:46 AM
Subject: Larissa and Andrew

Can you get ahold of them? I heard from Larissa on the first email saying she'd get back to me on preferred legs, but I haven't heard a peep since in any of my follow up emails.

Deadline for new runners (without a \$15 penalty) is in 20 days, so I just want to make sure we get them in before that, or get replacements if they decide they don't want to do it (though I hope they do! They're such pleasant people and I had fun getting to know them last year).

Start times also open in 6 days, and change requests close on the 27th.

Thanks!

Eryn

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Eryn M. Sepp

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>

Date: 4/19/2015 9:20:55 AM

Subject: Re: Topper for New Hampshire

I know she has begun to hate everyday Americans, but I think we should use it once the first time she says I'm running for president because you and everyday Americans need a champion.

I think if she doesn't say it once, people will notice and say we false started in Iowa.

On Apr 19, 2015 3:58 PM, "Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com> wrote:

We are. Will insert something in next couple hours.

On Apr 19, 2015, at 3:48 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I think this looks good, but thought we were going to take one of the small biz policy ideas - like access to credit - highlight that in her remarks?

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 19, 2015, at 3:46 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Based on Iowa experience, she'll use it as a guide but stay reasonably close.

On Sun, Apr 19, 2015 at 3:42 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

These are TPs that she will use as a guide or is she going to deliver this as written?

On Sun, Apr 19, 2015 at 2:53 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here's what I'm thinking for NH topper. Took some of her language from the Fruit Company transcript, added in the bowling alley story and NH specific stats. Thoughts?

HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON

REMARKS AT WHITNEY BROTHERS

KEENE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2015

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I'm delighted to be here at Whitney Brothers, a great family-owned and operated small business in the classic New Hampshire tradition. I just had a chance to see some of the high-quality, high-skilled work here, marrying new technology with 100 years of dedication and craftsmanship.

And of course I love that you're designing furniture specifically for the needs of our youngest children and their parents. When I had Chelsea, a crib was just a crib. But today, as I've learned since my granddaughter was born, so much more care and expertise goes into everything for our babies. So thank you for being pioneers in an area that's so important to every new family.

I wanted to come here on my first day in New Hampshire because small businesses like Whitney Brothers are the backbone of this state's economy and a key to jumpstarting growth and innovation across our country. [Small businesses employ more than half of all of New

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Hampshire's private sector workers – and they create two out of every three new jobs in the state.]

When I was growing up, my father ran a small business in Chicago – and I mean very small. He printed fabric for draperies and then he went out and sold them. Sometimes he could hire a few day laborers to help, sometimes my mom and my brothers and I pitched in. But mostly he was doing everything himself. He was a real waste-not want-not, pay-as-you-go, no complaining kind of guy. So I learned early on just how tough it is to make a business like this work.

I'm sure you all have your own stories and experiences about this. When I was in Iowa last week, a young man told me about what it was like trying to buy the bowling alley where he had worked as a teenager.

He had experience, talent, a college degree, and a plan to build a great business. But he also had a lot of student debt. Not because he was irresponsible and living beyond his means. Because he did was he was supposed to do. He got an education. He invested in his own future. But all the banks saw was debt. So it was a real struggle.

And that's the opposite of what we want to see in this country – which is more young people being able to start businesses, create jobs, and live their dreams.

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Here in New Hampshire and across our country, Americans have come back from tough economic times. Our economy and our country are in much better shape because families did whatever it took to make it work.

Unemployment is down, and in most places homes are worth something real again. Americans are starting to think about the future again. Going back to school. Changing jobs. Starting a business. Doing the right things to get ahead.

But as that young man in Iowa experienced, all the breaks still seem to go to those already at the top. There's something wrong when it's so easy for big corporations to get a tax break but so hard for small businesses to get a loan.

America ranks 46th in the world in how hard it is to start a new business. We should be number one. It takes longer to start a business in the United State than in France.

Now, New Hampshire is one of the best places in the country to start a business. You've got fewer onerous regulations that defy commonsense, like excessive occupational licensing that keeps young people from entering new fields. And your terrific governor, Maggie Hassan, created a program to help people who lost their jobs in the recession get back on their feet and start new businesses. That's an idea we should be looking at expanding across the country.

So I want to hear directly from all of you about your own experiences and your own dreams -- about the obstacles and the successes that you've encountered and what we can do to help

more small businesses thrive.

I'm running for President because you and Americans everywhere need a champion. And I want to be that champion. So you can do more than just get by -- you can get ahead and stay ahead. And starting a small business seems less like a gamble and more like an opportunity.

I'm taking on four big fights:

First, we need to build an economy for tomorrow, instead of yesterday, where being middle class means something again. And that starts right here with small businesses like Whitney Brothers, creating good jobs and helping people get ahead.

Second, we need to strengthen our families and communities, because when families are strong, America is strong.

Third, it's time to fix our broken political system. I want to get things done, so I'll work with anyone who has a good idea. But I'll also take on the powerful forces trying to take us backwards. We need to get rid of all the unaccountable money, even if it takes a constitutional amendment.

Fourth, I'll protect our country from the threats that we see, and the ones that are on the horizon.

All four of these fights will put us up against some pretty powerful opposition. But I've spent my whole life fighting for children, for families, standing up for America. And I think people know... I don't quit.

For me, this really is about doing everything I can to make sure that every child -- not just my grandchild, but every child -- has a chance to live up to his or her God-given potential. That's what I was raised to believe by my church and my family, and that's what I'll be fighting for in this campaign.

I'm going to work my heart out to earn every vote -- starting with yours.

Thank you for helping me start this campaign here in New Hampshire. Now, I'm eager to hear from you how these challenges are impacting your lives and your businesses, to share some of my ideas, to ask you some questions, and to answer some of yours.

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From: bobama@ameritech.net
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 10/30/2008 6:47:23 PM
Subject: Re: Economic Staffing Decisions

I will give you an answer on this tomorrow.

Barack
Sent via BlackBerry - a service from AT&T Wireless.

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: Thu, 30 Oct 2008 15:17:28

To: <bobama@ameritech.net>

Cc: Pete Rouse<prouse@barackobama.com>

Subject: Economic Staffing Decisions

Barack,

Good meeting yesterday. When we got off on the idea of creating an emergency national economic council, we left unresolved two questions that were contained in my 2 page cover memo. First, should Daley or Tarullo run the interim economic staff team in the early days of the transition (with the expectation that once appointed the National Economic Advisor would take over)? These are presented as options 2 and 3 on page 2 of the memo. I lean towards option 3, with Tarullo in charge, but either would work. That needs resolution today or tomorrow so we can execute on Wednesday. Second, we need to decide on who should be on the interim outside council. There is a list of suggestions on the bottom of page 2. You added Warren Buffett to the potential list. How do you want to proceed? Pick from the list? have further discussion? Let me know.

John

The memos are attached for your review.

From:	"Sally Wilson" < swilson@politicaldg.com >
To:	"Randy Broz" < rbroz@politicaldg.com >
Date:	9/19/2012 8:33:33 AM
Subject:	Reminder Cheri Bustos Breakfast Tomorrow
Attachments:	Bustos Breakfast 9.20.12 final.pdf

Good afternoon!

Just a reminder that we look forward to seeing you tomorrow at the breakfast for Cheri Bustos, Democratic Nominee and EMILY's List and DCCC RedtoBlue candidate in IL-17, **at 9:00am at 439 New Jersey Avenue, S.E. (please note the new location)**. The invite is attached.

Also, we thought you might enjoy this article and video: <http://hoh.rollcall.com/cheri-bustos-busts-a-tough-shot/>

Thanks!

Sally

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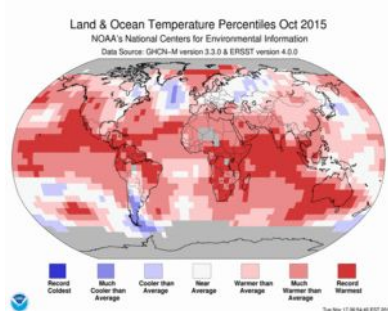
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Date: 11/18/2015 4:39:09 AM
Subject: TWEETS 11/18

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Assisted forest migration: how scientists are trying to play God with a "crappy" crystal ball <http://thewalrus.ca/run-forest-run/>

Kudos to Britain. The original industrial polluter will take all coal power offline by 2025 <http://nyti.ms/1j7kQuJ>

Just in from @NOAA: the past month was the warmest October on record <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/sotc/summary-info/global/201510>



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To: ["John D Podesta \(john.podesta@gmail.com\)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 7/23/2015 10:52:47 AM
Subject: Colorado

John, thanks for taking the time to talk with Ken and me this am. Your thought about a senior campaign official visit for a briefing next month is excellent. If you can swing it, we'd love to have you. I'd be happy to host it here in our firm's reception room— can accommodate up to 75 people, (plus a bar and panoramic mountain views.) Just us know. Jim



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Date: 7/26/2012 2:54:28 PM
Subject: the right thing to do

President Obama: "It's time for House Republicans to drop their demand for another \$1 trillion giveaway to the wealthiest Americans..."

John --



After years of debate, Senate Democrats voted yesterday to finally end the Bush tax cuts for the rich. Now it's up to the House.

Naturally, Boehner, Cantor and House Republicans are standing firmly in the way of President Obama's plan to end reckless giveaways to millionaires and billionaires.

Will you help prove that President Obama's plan has the support of the American people?

Stand with President Obama: [Sign our petition calling on House Republicans to end the Bush tax cuts for the wealthy >>](#)

Poll after poll shows that the American people are with us. Now it's up to us to keep the pressure on.

Please act fast, the vote is next week.

Add your name: <http://dccc.org/Bush-Tax-Cuts>

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Date: 3/23/2015 1:05:20 PM

Subject: Re: Evening wrap

Good catch i'll work it out

On Mar 23, 2015 6:40 PM, "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

Before I hit the gym, here's what's happening:

1 missed call:

Bill McKibben

Didn't leave a number so I reached out via email. He wants to speak with you about climate change, naturally.

Tomorrow morning:

Patrick and Jon are delighted and will meet you at the Cusi at 9 am.

Tomorrow night:

Ghani dinner is indeed business attire

Pondering:

I know you've got my back, so I'm really not worried about this, but I'm very interested in whether the campaign will adopt a maternity leave policy. Use me as a guinea pig if you wish. Would be kind of hypocritical if they didn't have one, but you know I wouldn't go blabbing that. You're always fair to me, and I've no desire to cause controversy with this. If they do a mandatory 90 day window for new employees (as most companies do), assuming an approx. April 15th-ish announcement, that puts me at July 15th, a month before my due date. So we have some room to play here, I hope. FMLA can't cover anyone until April 2016, I believe, because of the year of employment requirement. Just wanted you to know that's the only slight worry on my mind. The rest seems relatively easy in comparison, and I'm actually really excited about it.

From: ["United Airlines, Inc." <unitedairlines@united.com>](mailto:unitedairlines@united.com)

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Date: 11/27/2015 8:48:43 AM

Subject: Airport check-in required for confirmation DTNSFQ

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From: "'Mandy Grunwald' via Speech Drafts" <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com>

To: jbenenson@bsgco.com
aoleary@hillaryclinton.com

Date: 8/8/2015 2:05:58 AM

Subject: Re: REVISED DRAFT: college rollout

I like Ann's additions too but I have some concerns about the policy description in our first point.

Ann or Megan, could one of you please call me on my cell?

202 669-2899

thanks

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
202 973-9400

-----Original Message-----

From: Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>

To: Ann O'Leary <aoleary@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>; Speech Drafts <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com>; Katie Connolly <kconnolly@bsgco.com>

Sent: Sat, Aug 8, 2015 7:18 am

Subject: Re: REVISED DRAFT: college rollout

Like the adds Ann has made.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 8, 2015, at 2:10 AM, Ann O'Leary <aoleary@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

This is really good, Megan. I've offered a few suggestions to make sure we are a bit stronger on accountability, we lead with our promise to families and students when we describe our compact, and we highlight innovation and on-line learning a bit more.

Thanks to Mandy and Joel - agree their framing and feedback was very helpful - I tried not to work it up, just refined at the edges.

On Fri, Aug 7, 2015 at 4:46 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi all! Attached is a revised draft for Monday's college rollout event in NH. You'll see it's a lot leaner and meaner than the draft I sent around this morning. I spent a really helpful hour-plus on the phone with Mandy and Joel and they had great guidance.

If you could get me any edits by noon tomorrow, I'd appreciate it. Thanks!

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HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON
REMARKS ON COLLEGE AFFORDABILITY AND STUDENT DEBT
EXETER, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 2015

It's wonderful to be back in Exeter. Thank you, Danny, for that introduction. And thank you all for coming out today. I've been traveling all over New Hampshire, and everywhere I go – from Dover to Nashua to Glen to Windham – people ask great questions. It must come from being the first primary state. So today, I want to talk for just a little bit, and then I want to hear what's on your mind.

This election is about the choices we have to make as a country, and how they'll shape our children's and grandchildren's futures. I believe that, in America, if you work hard and do your part, you should be able to get ahead and stay ahead. That's the basic bargain that's always set our nation apart. And I want to make sure we keep that bargain and strengthen it, so it holds true for this generation and the next.

Thanks to your hard work – and the hard work of people across the country – America has come back from the worst recession of our lifetimes. We're standing again. But we're not yet running the way we should. Corporate profits are near record highs – but most paychecks have barely budged. Costs for everything from childcare to prescription drugs are rising faster than wages. It's no wonder so many Americans feel like the deck is stacked in favor of those at the top.

We've got to do better. We've got to get incomes rising again, so more hard-working families can afford a middle-class life. We need

strong growth... fair growth... and long-term growth. That's how we'll achieve lasting prosperity – by building an economy that we all have a stake in, and that works for everyone.

Today, I want to talk about one way we do that: by making college affordable and available to every American.

For millions of Americans, a college degree has been the ticket to a better life. My grandfather worked his entire life in a lace mill – but my dad made it to college and was able to start his own small business, and that made a huge difference in our lives. Then my parents scrimped and saved for years, so they could send me to a school across the country. They knew that they were setting me on the path to a better future. College still holds that promise today. A lot has changed in this country – but that hasn't.

Across America, parents are starting college funds the day their kids are born. High-schoolers – even middle-schoolers – are taking college prep courses and studying for the SAT. Full-time workers are going to night school, even if that means heading straight from an eight-hour shift to a pile of homework. If that's what it takes to get a better job – to give their kids better than they had – then they'll do it.

But here's the problem. States are slashing education budgets. Colleges keep raising prices. In-state tuition and fees for public colleges increased by 55 percent between 2003 and 2012. But your incomes didn't rise by that much, did they? So families are left facing a painful choice. Either you say, "We just can't afford it," and pass up on all the opportunities that a degree can offer – or you do whatever it takes to pay for it, even if that means going deeply into debt.

And more and more, that debt is holding people back. Forty million Americans have student loans. Together, they owe more than a trillion dollars. New Hampshire's students are carrying the highest debt in the country. And millions of Americans are delinquent or in default. Even if they're doing everything they can to pay their loans, they just can't keep up.

The cost of this debt is real – not just on balance sheets, but in people's lives and futures. I've talked to people who have so much student debt, they've put off buying a house, changing jobs, starting a business – even getting married. I've met parents and grandparents who've co-signed loans and end up draining their savings or ruining their credit – all because they did what parents and grandparents are supposed to do – help out the next generation.

There are students who take out loans to pay for an expensive degree from a for-profit institution – then graduate and discover that, when it comes to finding a job, their degree isn't worth what they thought it would.

And the 40 percent of students who never finish college are left with debt and no degree to show for it – the worst of both worlds. And that non-completion rate should trouble to all of us. It's the highest in the developed world.

College is supposed to help people achieve their dreams. But more and more, it's pushing people's dreams further out of reach. And that's just wrong. It's a betrayal of everything college is supposed to represent – and everything families have worked so hard to achieve.

This is also about our national competitiveness. The rest of the world is working as hard as they can to out-do us. China plans to double the number of students enrolled in college by 2030, which means they'll have nearly 200 million college graduates. That's more than our entire workforce! American workers can out-work and out-innovate anyone in the world – as long as they get the training and education they need to compete.

So we need to make some big changes. We need to transform how much higher education costs – and how those costs get paid. For too long, families have had to bear the burden of soaring prices, underinvestment, and too little accountability.

It's time for a new college compact, where everyone does their part. We need to make a quality education affordable and available to everyone willing to work for it.

I've been traveling the country for months, talking to students and families, educators, legislators, and experts of every stripe – including young progressive activists who've put the issue of debt-free college and college affordability at the top of the national agenda.

And today, I'm announcing my plan to put college within reach for everyone. We're calling it the New College Compact. And we're posting it on our website, Facebook, Medium, Snapchat – just about everywhere we can think of. I hope you'll check it out. But for now, here are the basics.

Under the New College Compact, schools will have to control their costs and show more accountability to their students.

States will have to meet their obligation to invest in higher education.

The federal government will never profit off student loans.

No family – and no student – should have to borrow to pay tuition at a public college.

And everyone who has student debt will be able to refinance it at lower rates.

That's my plan. It's ambitious – and we should be ambitious. But it's also achievable. And it would make a big difference in people's lives.

My College Compact comes down to two main goals.

First, we'll make sure that cost won't be a barrier.

Under my plan, you'll never have to take out a loan to pay for tuition at an in-state public university. We're going to make community college free – that's President Obama's plan and we're making it ours too. We're reforming Pell Grants, so students can use them for living costs as well as tuition. We're offering special help to college students who are parents, because when you help a parent get an education, you're helping their kids, too.

We're going to work with historically black colleges and universities, because they serve some of America's brightest students, who need the most support and too often have gotten the least of it. And we're going to help pay for college for students who agree to national service. If you're willing to tutor America's kids or clean up our parks, the least we can do is support your education.

And second, we'll make sure that debt won't hold anyone back.

Under my plan, every borrower in America who already has student debt will get the chance to refinance at lower interest rates. If you can refinance your mortgage or your car loan, you should be able to refinance your student loan.

If you do still end up taking out a loan – for example, to go to a private college – we'll cut your interest rates, so the government never makes a profit off your loan.

We'll make it easier to enroll in income-based repayment programs, so you'll never have to pay more than 10 percent of what you make.

We're going to help borrowers who are in default get back on their feet. And we'll crack down on predatory schools and lenders and bill collectors. If you defraud students, overcharge veterans, or mislead borrowers, we're going to do everything we can to stop you.

There's a lot more in my College Compact – from encouraging innovations like online learning and apprenticeships, so students can earn their degree in less time and move straight into a job... to strengthening the G.I. Bill, so more of our veterans can get their degree... to making sure colleges spending federal dollars on things that benefit students, like teaching and research – not marketing campaigns or big salaries for administrators.

I plan to make college affordability a major issue in this campaign – because it's a major issue for millions of American families. Here's the bottom line. An education shouldn't be something just for those at the top. And it shouldn't be a burden. An education should be affordable – and available – to everyone.

I remember how proud my parents were when I graduated college. I remember how proud Bill and I were to see Chelsea graduate – I'll never forget how grown-up she looked that day. And even though my new granddaughter is already growing up faster than I'd like, I can't wait to see her walk across a stage someday and receive her diploma. And I know that mothers and fathers and grandparents across the country feel the exact same way.

I want every young person in America to have their shot at that moment. I want every hard-working parent out there to get the chance to see his or her child cross a stage – or to cross it themselves. America should be a place where those achievements are possible for anyone who's willing to work hard to do their part. That's the country I want to help build – for this generation and all the generations to come.

Thank you very much. And now, let's hear from you.

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Ann O'Leary
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Hillary for America
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<8-7-15 draft NH college town hall 730pm - AOL.docx>

From: ["ABA CLE - Section of Science & Technology Law" <cle@americanbar.org>](mailto:cle@americanbar.org)

To: ["John D Podesta" <podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU>](mailto:podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU)

Date: 3/11/2016 6:45:24 AM

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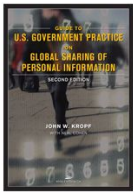
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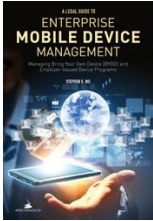
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From: "Josh Schwerin" <jschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 6/18/2015 10:01:36 AM

Subject: Re: Fwd: Martin O'Malley: Zero out fossil fuels by 2050

OK we'll hold off

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 5:00 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

We need the get to 80% emission reduction by 2050. Which implies close to a zero carbon energy sector.

On Jun 18, 2015 4:52 PM, "Josh Schwerin" <jschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Martin O'Malley published an op-ed this morning calling for 100% renewable energy by 2050. Tom Steyer has praised it as well as some other environmental types.

I don't know much about the issue but zeroing out fossil fuels in 35 years seems unrealistic. We're considering asking friends to pitch a smart enviro reporter or columnist on a story about how this may be well-intentioned but its not a serious proposal. Does that seem right to you?

Martin O'Malley: Zero out fossil fuels by 2050

<http://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2015/06/18/pope-francis-encyclical-clean-energy-technology-campaign-column/28859409/>

Martin O'Malley9:19 a.m. EDT June 18, 2015

Today, Pope Francis published his first encyclical —an official teaching document to all [1.2 billion](#) Catholics — on the moral imperative of addressing climate change. He is not alone among leaders of world faiths making such a clarion call for action.

We have come a long way as a nation in [making](#) ourselves more energy independent. Now is the time to take this progress to the next level — the future of our country and our planet depends on it.

New [technologies](#) now put an independent clean energy future decidedly within our reach as a nation.

But reach for it we must.

Clean energy represents the biggest business and job creation [opportunity](#) we've seen in a hundred years. And reliance on local, renewable energy sources [means](#) a more secure nation and a more stable world.

Given the grave threat that climate change poses to human life on our planet, we have not only a business imperative but a moral obligation to future generations to act immediately and aggressively.

This is why protecting the United States from the devastating impact of climate change — while capitalizing on the job creation opportunity of clean energy — is at the center of my [campaign for president](#) .

All of us can acknowledge that with an "all of the above strategy," President Obama has made the United States more energy independent in every category of fuels, including oil and gas.

But America did not land a man on the moon with an "all of the above strategy." It was an engineering

challenge.

Making the transition to a clean energy future is also an engineering challenge.

We cannot meet the climate challenge with an all-of-the-above energy strategy, or by drilling off our coasts, or by building pipelines that bring oil from tar sands in Canada.

Instead, we must be intentional and committed to one over-arching goal as a people: a full, complete transition to renewable energy — and an end to our reliance on fossil fuels.

Saving the world is a goal worthy of a great people. It is also good business for the United States of America.

I believe, within 35 years, our country can, and should, be 100% powered by clean energy, supported by millions of new jobs. To reach this goal we must accelerate that transition starting now.

As president, on day one, I would use my executive power to declare the transition to a clean energy future the number one priority of our Federal Government.

I would create a new Clean Energy Jobs Corps to partner with communities to retrofit buildings to be more energy efficient, improve local resiliency, create new green spaces, and restore and expand our forests so they can [absorb](#) more greenhouse gases.

I would retrofit federal buildings to the highest efficiency standards and require new federal buildings to be net-zero, require the federal fleet to be subject to low- or zero-emissions purchasing agreements, and require all federally-funded infrastructure projects to meet climate resiliency [standards](#) .

As president, I would direct the Environmental Protection Agency to take aggressive action to limit greenhouse gases: expanding rules to other large sources of emissions beyond power plants, adopting a zero-tolerance policy for methane leaks from current oil and gas production, and setting higher energy efficiency standards for new buildings while requiring energy costs to be transparent to building tenants and purchasers.

And I would reject projects like [Keystone XL](#) and drilling off our [coasts](#) and in Antarctica and [Alaska](#) . Furthermore, I would keep domestically produced oil and gas in the U.S., instead of [selling](#) it abroad — unless there is a clear strategic security rationale.

Beyond executive actions, I would make clean energy deployment — and employment — a first-order priority.

I would set a national, cross-sector Renewable Electricity Standard so our nation is powered by 100% clean energy by 2050, and a national goal of doubling energy efficiency within 15 years. Many states like California and Maryland are already [leading](#) the way forward for the United States.

I would fight for federal legislation for a cap on carbon emissions from all sources, with proceeds from permits returned to lower and middle-class families, transition assistance, and new jobs with the Clean Energy Corps.

As president, I would support a Clean Energy Financing Authority to support projects to increase efficiency and resiliency upgrades in cities, towns, and rural communities nationwide.

I would prioritize modernizing our electric grid to evolve to support localized, renewable energy generation, reduce electricity waste and increase security from sabotage or attack.

And I would increase our investment in basic clean energy research so the U.S. can reclaim the lead on energy innovation, including advancing development, deployment, transmission and storage for renewable energy and new efficiency technologies.

The fact is, there is no either/or choice between our prosperity and protecting our planet — we can create a future where there are more jobs, and a future with a livable climate. And there is no future for humankind without a livable climate.

The reality, as I learned in Maryland, is that the two goals are indivisible. Driven by ambitious targets, we [created](#) thousands of new jobs while deploying clean energy technology and [reducing](#) greenhouse gas pollution by nearly 10% over just seven years.

As the nation, we can do far more — with a bold vision for America's clean energy future and the strong leadership needed to get it done.

Martin O'Malley has served as the governor of Maryland, mayor of Baltimore, and a city councilor — earning a reputation as a bold, progressive, and pragmatic executive who is willing to take on our toughest shared challenges.

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From: "Betty Currie" <Betty.Currie@ptt.gov>
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 11/18/2008 7:27:40 AM
Subject: Calls for Today - Tuesday, November 17th

Calls - Tuesday, Nov 17, 2008

Peter Kadzik
202-549-0393
202-4200-4704
Would like for you to return call

Susan Micheaux - FBI
703-686-6376
FBI Background for Susan Rice and Dan Restreppo

Sen. Bob Graham - called twice - he himself the 2nd time
305-72607893 ©
305-817-4040 (o)

Would appreciate a call - re. Arranging a time for the Commission on the Prevention of Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction and Terrorism to meet with appropriate people in the Obama Transition. It was suggested that his person might be Joe Biden. The situation now is that the Comm will present their report to the Congressional Leadership on 12/2. On 12/3 they will have the official release and meet with Bush that afternoon. He would like to schedule the meeting with Transition people between Dec 2 and Dec 3.

Irene Schwofferman
Congressional Black Caucus
202-226-8121 ©
202-302-9592 (desk)
Chairwoman of the Congressional Black Caucus seeks a meeting with Podesta

Aide to former Gov. Elliot Spitzer
212-765-5170 (o)
(would not give out his cell #)
Former Gov. Spitzer would like to speak with Podesta

John Hess Chief of Staff for Cong. Jane Harman)
(call just came in - Cong. Harman would like to arrange a quick 5 minute meeting (in person) this week.
She is quite flexible re. time.
John Hess can reach Cong. - 202-225-2570 (cell)
202-226-7281 (direct)

Phil Schiliro (Cong. Rangel's Office)
(left no #)
Cong. Rangel will be calling his week re. a position in the WH for
Cedric Grant (apparently interested in Faith-Based initiative)

From: ["Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)
["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)
Date: 3/28/2015 5:21:43 AM
Subject: Update on TPA/TPP

Simas says that the senate will have hearings on a bill after recess--right around launch. He said they want to issue their letter from former SOSs then or they could do it next week if we prefer.
So there's now a bit more urgency. Wondering if we want to do an initial call w her earlier in the week.

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: Amy.Dacey@seiu.org

Date: 9/21/2007 11:25:50 AM

Subject: Re: also anna wants the agenda a little vague so here is what she approved to email out- okay?

Hi Amy,

I'd like John to glance at this before it is sent out. When do you need his approval by? He is in a meeting, but I hope he will finish up soon.

Best wishes,

Natalie Ondiak

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On 9/21/07, John Halpin <jlrhalpin@gmail.com> wrote:

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From: Amy Dacey <Amy.Dacey@seiu.org>

Date: Sep 21, 2007 4:39 PM

Subject: also anna wants the agenda a little vague so here is what she approved to email out- okay?

To: John Halpin <jlrhalpin@gmail.com>

AGENDA FOR NYC MEETING

September 27, 2007

Locations:

Noon to 5:30 pm

Soros Fund Management

888 Seventh Avenue,

32nd floor.

Enter on 57th, between Broadway and Seventh

Dinner at 6:00 pm

Home of George Soros

1060 Fifth Avenue

Entrance on 87th Street

Tel: (212) 722 1177

12:00 PM to 4:00 PM: General Meeting

Attending include:

George Soros, Andy Stern, Anna Burger, Jonathan Soros, Michael Vachon,
Peter Lewis, Jonathan Lewis, Herb and Marion Sandler, Steve Bing,
John Sperling, Amy Dacey

12:00 PM to 12:30 PM

Greetings and opening observations

12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

Strategic Goals

1:30 PM to 2:15 PM

Voter registration

Voter contact and mobilization

2:15 PM to 3:30 PM

Controlling the dialogue

3:30 PM to 4:00 PM

Review

4:00 PM to 5:30 PM

Discussion of Major 2008 Initiatives:

*At this time we will be joined by: a Representative from MoveOn.org, Gerald McEntee President of AFSCME,
John Sweeney President of the AFL-CIO, and Rob McKay.*

6:00 PM Dinner hosted by George Soros

Location: 1060 Fifth Avenue, entrance on 87th Street Tel: (212) 722 1177

The following are invited to a dinner at the Soros home:

Andy Stern, Anna Burger, Jonathan Soros, Michael Vachon,

Peter Lewis, Jonathan Lewis, Herb and Marion Sandler, Steve Bing,

John Sperling, Gerald McEntee, John Sweeney, Rob McKay and Amy Dacey

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: jharrison@scdp.org

Date: 1/7/2016 3:28:03 AM

Subject: Re: Happy New Year

Yes. Let's try to catch up.

On Thursday, January 7, 2016, <jharrison@scdp.org> wrote:

John, Happy New Year! It has been a crazy year already for us... Debate and have been living at a hotel for the past week because our house is still not ready.

Will you be in Charleston next week? If so can we grab coffee and chat? Would love to talk shop and thoughts on DNC, etc.

All the best,

Jaime

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 3, 2016, at 1:22 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Wishing you a happy New Year. 2015 was challenging, but we ended in a good place thanks to your help and support. Look forward to working with you to elect the first woman President of the United States.

Have a great New Year.

-John

From: ["Kate Offerdahl" <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)
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["Heather Stone" <hstone@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:hstone@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 12/18/2015 2:23:51 PM

Subject: Call

Please call in now!

Call-In Line: 718-766-5165, no pin

From: ["Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Jesse Lehrich" <jlehrich@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jlehrich@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 7/14/2015 4:07:23 PM
Subject: Re: July 14th Nightly Press Traffic Summary

who is the vanity fair writer?

On Tue, Jul 14, 2015 at 10:48 PM, Jesse Lehrich <jlehrich@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

July 14th Nightly Press Traffic Summary

- Ben Geman (National Journal) is doing a long-form story for Friday on climate change as a 2016 issue with a focus on Hillary Clinton's record and plans.
- Separately, Clare Foran (also from National Journal) is doing a positive climate change piece based on what Hillary said to Dems on the hill at her meetings today.
- Nick Confessore (NYT) is working on story about our grassroots fundraising efforts this quarter.
- Jodi Enda (CNN) is writing about Hillary Clinton's unique challenges as a somewhat inevitable nominee – we have pushed back with the obvious point that it's a contested race and one that we've always expected to be hard-fought.
- Vanity Fair is working on a long-form piece about Hillary Clinton's advisors. We're working on getting more information about their angle.
- Other outstanding stories include:
 - Los Angeles Times on Amanda Renteria and the Latino vote
- David Freedlander profile on Dennis Cheng
- CNN's long-form story about Hillary Clinton/Bernie Sanders' appeal to minority communities
- Dana Liebelson on whether candidates have visited prisons
- Various fact-checks on Hillary's economic speech

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From:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To:	DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>
Date:	3/16/2015 12:58:20 AM
Subject:	How was the race?

From: "George Medairy" <info@quinnforillinois.com>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 10/30/2014 9:51:17 AM

Subject: 477,943 people have already voted

Friend,

In a race this close, some people watch polls -- but I watch votes.

Every day, my team compiles the list of everyone who has already voted, so volunteers know which supporters they still need to talk to.

As of yesterday, 477,943 people have already voted in this election. That's on pace to shatter the record from 2010.

Take a second and let us know if you've voted:

[Yes, I voted early. What else can I do to help?](#)

[I haven't voted yet -- I'll make plans now.](#)

There's still time to vote early. In addition to Thursday and Friday hours, most locations are open Saturday, and some are even open Sunday.

Right now, voting early is one of the best ways you can help this campaign.

Find your nearest Early Vote location, and make plans to vote:

<https://www.quinnforillinois.com/make-a-plan-to-vote>

Thanks.

George

George Medairy
Data Director
Quinn for Illinois

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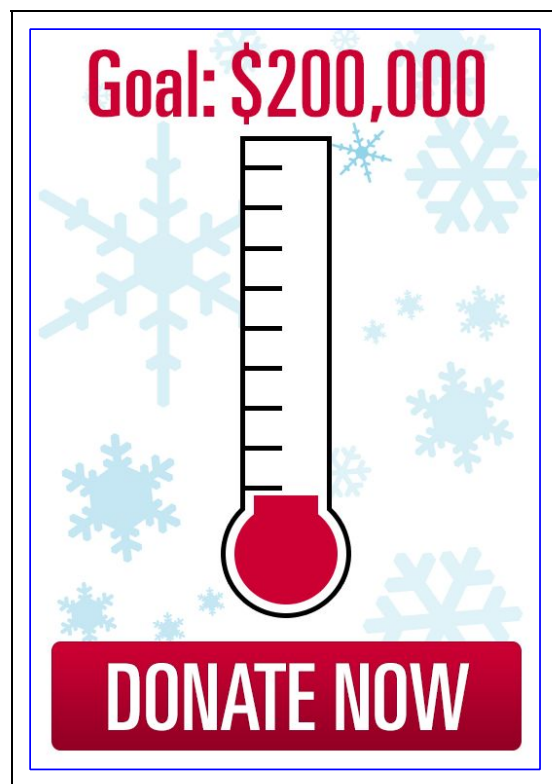
From: "Ilyse G. Hogue, NARAL Pro-Choice America" <can@prochoiceamerica.org>

To: "John Podesta" <John.Podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/22/2015 1:59:33 PM

Subject: Re: Clinic shutdown emergency

John—I just wanted to make sure you saw this email I sent you the other day.



Dear John,

Some time next year, the Supreme Court will decide whether states can effectively end safe and legal abortion by simply forcing clinics to shut down.

And if we lose, here's what we could be left with:¹

- 9 abortion clinics left in Texas
- 2 clinics in Louisiana
- 2 clinics in Alabama
- 1 clinic in Oklahoma
- ZERO clinics in Mississippi

With so much at stake, we're aiming to raise \$200,000 by January 1 to make sure we have the resources we need to defend abortion rights in the coming year.

[Will you make a year-end contribution today? All year-end donations will be MATCHED by a few generous NARAL Pro-Choice America donors.](#)

How can abortion be considered safe and legal when there are no abortion providers left? The answer is: It

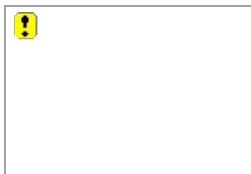
can't.

This has been the anti-choice game plan for years. Since they can't outright ban abortion, they're simply making it impossible to access by passing waiting periods of up to 72 hours and clinic shutdown laws that force women to travel hundreds of miles.

But 7 in 10 Americans support safe and legal access to abortion, so if we're organized and fight hard, we will win.

[Will you make a year-end donation? All year-end donations will be DOUBLE-MATCHED if you give today.](#)

Thank you for helping to make reproductive freedom real for all women.



Ilyse G. Hogue
President, NARAL Pro-Choice America

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Sources:

1. [What is HB2?](#), Texas Policy Evaluation Project, updated August 13, 2015; [Jindal signs bill that may close Louisiana abortion clinics](#), MSNBC, June 25, 2014

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Subject: Jane's out / Vivek?

Hi John--

Jane couldn't get off work Friday, but Vivek Viswanathan from Jake's team is available and willing. He just ran a Ragnar two weeks ago at 7:40s, and he'd be taking over Clay's legs.

Can I pull the trigger and add him?

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Eryn M. Sepp

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Date: 6/4/2015 1:48:30 PM

Subject: Experiences with Georgetown's Project Management Certificate courses?

Have any of you taken courses in Georgetown's [Project Management](#) certificate program? I'd very much like to hear what you thought about them.

Thanks,
Mariko

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Date: 8/31/2010 9:02:58 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Newsweek: [...] Fewer Jobs, Larger Deficits If Republicans Were in Charge

This is the narrative we need to hammer home for the next 62 days!

[http://www. newsweek .com/blogs/the-gaggle/2010/08/26/on-jobs-and-deficits-republicans-are-worse-than-obama.html](http://www.newsweek.com/blogs/the-gaggle/2010/08/26/on-jobs-and-deficits-republicans-are-worse-than-obama.html)

Estimates Say Fewer Jobs, Larger Deficits If Republicans Were in Charge

by [Andrew Romano](#)

August 27, 2010

Nothing is more important to Republican politicians these days than jobs and the deficit—at least according to Republican politicians. As House Minority Leader [John Boehner](#) put it in a "[major economic address](#) " Tuesday, " President Obama is "doing everything possible to prevent jobs from being created" while refusing to do anything at all "about bringing down the deficits that threaten our economy." *Elect Republicans in November*, Boehner assured his audience, *and we will put an end to this insanity*.

There's only one problem with Boehner's message: so far, the things that Republicans have said they want to do won't actually boost employment or reduce deficits. In fact, much the opposite. By combing through a variety of studies and projections from nonpartisan economic sources, we here at Gaggle headquarters have found that if Republicans were in charge from January 2009 onward—and if they were now given carte blanche to enact the proposals they want to enact—the projected 2010-2020 deficits would be larger than they are under Obama, and fewer people would probably be employed.

The math is pretty straightforward. Let's start with the deficit. According to the CBO, Obama's stimulus plan is [projected](#) to increase budget deficits over the next decade by \$814 billion. That's a big number. But Republicans opposed the legislation, refused to provide an alternative, and now insist that it's been a total failure. So let's be generous and subtract it from their side of the equation. Obama deficit, \$814 billion. The GOP deficit, \$0.

Next up is health-care reform. Obama passed it; Republicans want to repeal it "[lock, stock, and barrel](#) ." The reason, as Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell [explained](#) in July, is that "we all know that it's going to increase the deficit." Unfortunately for the GOP, though, nonpartisan experts tend to disagree. Just this Tuesday, for example, the Congressional Budget Office released a [letter](#) saying that Obama's health-care reform legislation would "reduce the projected budget deficit by \$30 billion over the next 10 years," while repealing the law would generate "an increase in deficits ... of \$455 billion ... over that [same] period." Factors those figures into the equation and the Obama deficit falls to \$784 billion. The GOP deficit, meanwhile, rises to \$455 billion. Getting warmer.

The final piece of the puzzle is the Bush tax cuts. Obama wants to extend them for the 95 percent of taxpayers making under \$250,000 a year; Republicans want to extend them for everybody. How will these extensions affect the deficit? Glad you asked. According to data compiled by the Washington Post, "[the Democratic proposal would add about \\$3 trillion to the deficit during the next decade, while the GOP plan would cost \\$3.7 trillion](#)." That brings the total Obama deficit to \$3.784 trillion over ten years, and its GOP counterpart to—drumroll, please—\$4.155 trillion.

That's right. Even if we assume that the Republicans would've spent \$0 to stimulate the economy in the wake of the largest economic collapse since the Great Depression—an unlikely scenario, given [the very real risks of inaction](#)—their proposed policies would still produce a deficit \$371 billion larger than President Obama's.

(Or \$335 billion; Boehner also says he'd like to freeze non-defense discretionary spending at 2008 levels, which would [save a grand total of \\$36 billion](#) .)

On jobs, it's a similar story. So far, Republicans have only said they'd do—or that they would've done—two large-scale things the Democrats haven't: 1) scrap the stimulus and 2) extend the Bush tax cuts for Americans earning

over \$250,000 so as not to (in Boehner's words) "impose job-killing tax hikes on families and small businesses."

How would these measures affect employment? Regarding the stimulus, the answer is pretty clear. In a [report out this week](#), the CBO estimates that between 1.4 and 3.3 million fewer people would be employed right now if the American Reinvestment and Recovery Act had never made it through Congress. Split the difference, and the pro-stimulus Obama moves ahead of the anti-stimulus GOP by about 2.35 million jobs. (A more dramatic [estimate](#) by the economists Alan Blinder and Mark Zandi [a McCain 2008 adviser] puts the number at 2.7 million, but we'll stick with the CBO stats for now.)

The effect of tax cuts on job creation is a little trickier to tally. Extending all of them, according to the CBO, would [lower unemployment by 0.3 to 0.8 percent over the next year or so](#); extending them solely for people making less than \$250,000 would produce a somewhat smaller effect, for a difference of roughly 200,000 to 500,000 people. The problem, as economist William G. Gale of the Brookings Institute has [noted](#), is that "of 11 potential stimulus policies the CBO recently [examined](#), an extension of all of the Bush tax cuts ties for lowest bang for the buck." In fact, he continues, "letting the high-income tax cuts expire and using the money for aid to the states, extensions of unemployment insurance benefits [or] tax credits favoring job creation ... would have about three times the impact ... as continuing the Bush tax cuts."

In addition, it's unlikely that extending the cuts for the richest Americans would have much of an effect on small-business hiring, which is a claim that Republicans make with some regularity. Why? Because [only two percent of taxpayers in the top two income brackets actually run small businesses](#). The other 98 percent of small-business owners make less than \$250,000 a year and wouldn't pay higher taxes under Obama's plan.

History isn't on the GOP's side, either. If keeping the top marginal tax rate at 35 percent--the rate under Bush, and the rate that Republicans are fighting to preserve--spurs so much hiring, why didn't America experience [any job growth at all](#) during Bush's time in office? And if a top marginal tax rate of 39.6 percent--the rate under Bill Clinton, and the rate that Democrats are fighting to restore--is such a job-killer, why did payrolls [grow by 20 percent during the 1990s](#)?

The implication here isn't that higher tax rates equal more jobs. Far from it. But there's simply no evidence, either in the history books or the latest projections, to suggest that extending all of the Bush tax cuts would provide an employment boost large enough to offset the number of jobs that would've been lost if the GOP had succeeded in blocking the stimulus--let alone lasting enough to justify adding another \$700 billion to the deficit.

The bottom line, then, is that recent GOP proposals would produce fewer jobs and far larger deficits than the plans Obama has already passed or currently wants to pass. This isn't to say that the Republicans couldn't create jobs or cut the deficit if restored to power--just that right now, they've chosen to support policies that would prove less effective in both respects than the Democratic programs they so vehemently criticize.

On the trail, it's easy to talk about cutting pork, slashing taxes, and reducing "[uncertainty](#)." But if the party wants to provide voters with real alternatives on jobs and deficits, they should start talking about the sort of deep spending cuts and targeted tax incentives that might actually make a difference someday: reforming Medicare and Social Security; cutting defense spending; reducing payroll taxes; creating tax credits for job creation. Otherwise, they're worse than what we have now.

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Subject: Don't head out just yet (and a Happy New Year)



Hi John,

I hope you had a chance to see my email from earlier today. We have done so much together this past cycle and the only way to continue our success is by not resting on our laurels.

And the response from our supporters has been incredible - we are only \$1,258 away from fully funding a great program.

[Can you make a contribution of \\$ 10, \\$25, or \\$100 before heading out to celebrate the New Year?](#)

Thank you so much for your support. See you in 2015! I hope you have a safe and prosperous New Year!

Sincerely,

Mike Honda

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Subject: Requesting 2014-15 Syllabi

Dear Faculty,

I am writing to request syllabi for the 2014-2015 academic year. Having access to current syllabi is a helpful tool for the academic advisors in this office when they meet with students. Would you please email me (brownd2@law.georgetown.edu) your Fall 2014 and/or Spring 2015 syllabi? If you only have a draft syllabus for the Spring 2015 semester, I would appreciate receiving the final version when it is ready.

Thank you,
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Date: 4/27/2014 8:01:10 AM

Subject: Re: Are you by chance free for a 30 minute call today at 5pm?

can folks do 9pm edt?

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On Sun, Apr 27, 2014 at 1:59 PM, David Plouffe daplouffe@icloud.com > wrote:

But you guys should proceed if need be without me.

> On Apr 27, 2014, at 1:26 PM, Cheryl Mills cheryl.mills@gmail.com > wrote:

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> I am in Ghana but had a matter that was a bit pressing.

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Date: 3/12/2010 1:42:29 AM
Subject: [big campaign] CO Statesman: Norton under fire for remarks about Social Security

EXCERPT:

Americans United for Change, the group formerly known as Americans United to Protect Social Security that led the national campaign to beat back President Bush's effort to privatize Social Security in 2005, called on Norton this week to elaborate on her "shocking remarks" linking Social Security to a Ponzi scheme.

Tom McMahon, acting executive director of the organization, said that Norton "may not be aware that Social Security has operated successfully as the same pay-as-you-go system it always has since FDR signed it into law nearly 75 years ago. If Norton believes Social Security, which has been credited with pulling millions of seniors, survivors and disabled Americans out of poverty, is a 'Ponzi scheme,' she owes the people of Colorado a straight answer on what specifically she would change about the system or replace it with."

<http://www.coloradostatesman.com/content/991675-norton-under-fire-remarks-about-social-security>

Norton under fire for remarks about Social Security

3/12/2010

From Staff Reports

THE COLORADO STATESMAN

Former Lt. Gov. Jane Norton, the frontrunner in this year's contest for the Republican nomination for U.S. Senate, attracted a barrage of local and national attention this week — and most of it not very complimentary. The mounting criticism stemmed from remarks made by Norton at a Colorado Springs event Tuesday night — hosted, in part, by several local Tea Party chapters. Norton was asked to identify which programs she deemed unconstitutional and should not be funded by the federal government.

"The federal government is fundamentally out of control," Norton answered. "They are seizing control of things like car companies, banks, insurance companies. They're encroaching in areas of education, of the EPA and its endangerment finding, circumventing the rule of law, circumventing legislative processes. They are absolutely out of control."

And then came the part that's gotten her into such political hot water this week.

Norton added, "With regard to Social Security, it has been turned into a Ponzi scheme. The money that people paid into it should be there for those who need it for their retirement."

Her remarks immediately sparked controversy both in Colorado and nationwide from critics upset over the analogy.

Pat Waak, the state Democratic Party chairman, pounced on Norton's comments in a conference call to reporters this week.

"I'm not sure whether she knows what a Ponzi scheme is or not, but clearly she is a candidate (who) is out of step with Colorado and out of step with the issues she is trying to raise as she moves around the state," said Waak.

"To take something like Social Security that people have paid into for years and years and are getting their Social Security benefits from, and to turn around and say it's like a Ponzi scheme — I don't get it," she stated.

"Coloradans have paid into the program for years and many Coloradans who have paid in are now receiving their benefits.

"What do the beneficiaries think of Norton's remarks? Is she going to tell us what she meant by that? I would like to know," the Democratic Party leader added.

This isn't the first time that Norton has come under fire for remarks to Tea Party supporters. With the advent of YouTube and instant coverage caught on video, it's become increasingly more difficult to shield candidates from detractors trying to document a particular candidate's impromptu remarks for the record.

Norton was similarly criticized earlier in the campaign for allowing an attendee at a coffee shop event to go unquestioned when she complained about President Obama being a Muslim.

At another Tea party function, Norton reportedly said the president cares more about protecting the rights of terrorists than protecting the American people.

Waak mentioned these occurrences during her conference call this week, including another instance when Norton said the president cares more about protecting the rights of terrorists than protecting the American people.

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Nate Strauch, Norton's campaign press secretary, responded that Norton stands by her description. "In a Ponzi scheme, new investors are used to pay old investors, which is exactly the way social security works," Strauch said in an email to reporters.

"A Ponzi scam ends when the money runs out. Social Security is headed toward bankruptcy in its current form, meaning later investors won't get paid, just like a Ponzi scheme," he said.

Eric Schultz, communications director for the admittedly partisan Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee, wasn't buying Strauch's explanation.

"She thinks Social Security is a Ponzi scheme. Notice how that came kind of at the end of her big statement about how liberals are taking over America and we can't turn this thing around," Schultz said on The Ed Show on MSN cable television.

"She just got on a roll and really got after Social Security, which has been the most successful and reliable government program for more than 70 years. Period.

"Now, watch out Colorado," Schultz intoned.

"The woman who wants to be your next senator sounds like she's reading right out of the Michele Bachmann playbook. Norton is courting the crazy book and so far it's working," Schultz added, mentioning that in a recent hypothetical match up she is leading Democratic Senator Michael Bennet.

"We're going to keep an eye on this one in Colorado because anyone who calls Social Security a Ponzi scheme belongs in psycho talk," Schultz said.

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Subject: Re: Update: Follow Up Policy Call

The RFS option is only meant to tee up the question of whether HRC should take an unexpected position on ethanol. Consultants were looking for a range of ideas that cut against grain. This was one.

Would love to discuss further.

On B corps, yes. We have looked at incentives for states to establish/expand B corp regimes and for corporations to participate. We haven't worked up a specific proposal but will do so.

On Feb 11, 2015, at 12:04 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Why are we weighing into rfs morass? Did you look at B Corp proposals?

On Feb 11, 2015 10:16 AM, "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> wrote:

Sent from my iPad

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Subject: Re: Update: Follow Up Policy Call

All,

As Jake promised, attached is the policy poll memo. Please let us know if you have any questions/concerns. We look forward to discussing tomorrow.

Thanks,

Ethan

From: Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, February 9, 2015 6:33 PM
To: Marissa Astor
Cc: Robby Mook; Shannon Currie; John Anzalone; Margolis, Jim; Mandy Grunwald; Mona Thinavongsa; Dan
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Schwerin; Jeff Liszt; Jennifer Palmieri; Ethan Gelber

Subject: Re: Update: Follow Up Policy Call

Team -- greetings from snowy New England. Hope you all are doing well.

In the next couple of hours, Ethan will be sending around our memo providing inputs for the policy poll.

Please be warned: it is an extensive document -- more than 40 pages -- covering a significant number of proposals in a significant number of policy areas.

But please rest assured: It is a user-friendly document with a table of contents, clear sections, and very brief capsules on each policy item. We followed the Benenson categories and the Benenson model for presenting the proposals. Even a quick scan will give you a good sense of the options.

The reason it is so long is that we have erred on the side of inclusivity, to give you a range of choices as you construct the poll. We have also identified -- at the front end of the memo -- those proposals that we think it makes the most sense to test. If you would prefer a briefer input memo with fewer choices, say the word and we will turn that around quickly.

We look forward to the phone conversation tomorrow.

Best,
Jake

On Thu, Feb 5, 2015 at 11:36 AM, Marissa Astor <marissa.astor@icloud.com> wrote:

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Date: 5/5/2015 12:51:17 PM
Subject: May 14/15

John, here are more details regarding the finance meeting on the 14th and how it meshes with the Georgetown Law event. We also included Friday for your reference so you could make some decisions about whether it's worth it to go up on Thursday and stay over for a portion of Friday morning. See below, and let us know what questions and concerns you have. Offline for dinner from 8-9 pm EDT (7-8 pm your time) but free after that.

200 Hillstarters gathering in Brooklyn

Timing: 2:00-6:00 PM (HRC from 2-5 pm, most likely, with evening reception 5-6 pm – finance staff is pretty confident that the reception will go long, as late as 7 pm, but HRC is not scheduled to attend that. And, of course, we've been warned the entire timeline could change if HRC's calendar dictates it.)

Location: In Brooklyn: Liberty Warehouse: 260 Conover St, Brooklyn, NY 11231

Here is the tick-tock for the Georgetown event. They are expecting you to stay until 1:50 pm. Below that is your flight option:

12:00 PM – Guests arrive and head to the alumni reception on the outdoor patio (Astor Terrace), located through the Salon. *Reception will be held inside the Salon in the case of inclement weather.

12:35 PM – Alumni and Guests are seated for the luncheon. Salads are pre-set.

12:40 PM – Dean Treanor welcomes alumni to the St. Regis and on behalf of Georgetown Law, thanks them for attending, and advises them that lunch will be served and then he will return to the mic to give an update on the Law Center and introduce John Podesta toward dessert.

1:15 – 1:20 PM – Dean Treanor makes remarks about the Law Center, introduces John Podesta (L'76), and invites John to join him on the stage.

1:20 - 1:40 PM – Conversation between the Dean and John Podesta.

1:40 – 1:50 PM – Questions from the guests.

1:50 PM – Dean Treanor thanks Mr. Podesta, gives him a small token of appreciation, and close the lunch.

2:00 PM – Alumni and guests depart from the St. Regis.

1 Flight option that allows your participation in both Georgetown & the evening reception portion of the Finance Meeting in Brooklyn (5-6 pm):

3:00pm-4:24pm

DCA - LGA

Delta 2720

This is the only option that works with Georgetown and the reception.

If you decide to go up and stay in New York and stay overnight, Dennis had something in mind for the next day, if this makes it worth your while to go: *"All of our regional fundraisers are flying in for the summit on the 14th and then we are doing a team meeting with them on Friday, May 15 during the morning/day. Would be great if JP could stop by for 15 mins - most likely at HQ."*

We had planned on you being in DC for the 15th to:

- meet with the Equitable Growth team
- have dinner with Antonio Weiss
- just in case we needed to do anything physically on the Georgetown grades (which are due at Noon), but grades and WCEG can be done over the phone.

Amtrak Options to return on Friday 5/15:

-2 pm Acela (gets into WAS at 4:53 pm)

or

-2:02 pm Northeast regional (gets into WAS at 5:20 pm)

Both allow you enough time to get out of the NY tunnels to get on the call with Equitable Growth:

3 - 4 pm: (Call if you're on the train back from NY / Meeting if you decide to stay in DC)

Equitable Growth team: May 26th Pre-Meeting

Background materials? Yes—and they want your thoughts on them. Docs will be ready this Friday 5/8 and Eryn will bring them to your house on Sunday morning 5/10 (along with the London briefing and anything else you need).

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Then finally, **dinner with Antoniou** (Time tbd—he's totally flexible and even says push to a different date if it's too hard). He just wrote today to say Susannah (his wife) would love to come too if Mary will be joining, and especially if at Brandywine. Otherwise, could just meet somewhere downtown.

There you go! That's what the 14th and 15th look like. Milia and Eryn are available this evening to discuss on the phone if you have questions or want to tweak any part of this.

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Subject: Michael Ramdatt - Penn for Hillary

Hello Mr. Podesta,

Thank you again for taking my call especially considering its unorthodox nature. As I said on the phone, I currently serve as Political director for Penn for Hillary: a student-led organization building a Philadelphia base for Hillary Clinton's next political endeavor. Our group started out as a campus franchise of Ready for Hillary but after surpassing the goals set by the national organization, we broadened our vision to include the greater Philadelphia area. We've formed partnerships with most of the major schools in the trip-state region and we have established a network of students approaching 500 members. These partnerships include strong ties to the Pennsylvania College Democrats.

As I mentioned, we'll be traveling to DC this week to attend the Winter Meeting. Our hope is for us to form more connections within the party and to establish ourselves as a resource in Philadelphia. We'd love to meet with you informally if your schedule allows. If we're unable to meet in DC, you always have an open invitation to visit us here at Penn (we'd love to have you speak to our student body).

Travel Details:

Arriving in DC Thursday evening and leaving Saturday night.

Delegation Members:

Mitchell McVeigh, Co-Founder and Co-President

Emily Irani, Co-Founder and Co-President

Michael Ramdatt, Political Director

Robert Klein, Outreach Director

Thanks again for being so kind. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

-Mike

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Date: 1/9/2016 10:13:14 AM

Subject: Hillary or Bernie? (please respond)

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John --

We know you're someone who cares about getting big money out of politics.

So you've been selected to participate in End Citizens United's Presidential Campaign Questionnaire. [Please take 1 minute to respond:](#)

PRESIDENTIAL QUESTIONNAIRE

JOHN PODESTA
PARTICIPANT ID: 1650293
STATUS: **INCOMPLETE**

The New Hampshire Primary is exactly one month from today.

As you read this email, Democrats are deciding which candidate to support for President.

We think our nominee should be dead serious about reforming our broken campaign finance system and overturning *Citizens United*.

But we need to hear from you -- before the first votes are cast.

Click below to take our brief Presidential Campaign Questionnaire:

Take the questionnaire >>

<http://act.endcitizensunited.org/Questionnaire>

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From the entire *End Citizens United* team, thanks for your support!

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Date: 4/2/2013 5:39:04 AM

Subject: Don't forget - RSVP now to help fight for immigration reform in Bethesda



John --

While members of Congress are home in their districts this week, they're meeting with constituents and getting a sense of how folks are feeling about the issues.

That makes this a critical week for moving comprehensive immigration reform forward.

[Come out to the Week of Action event on immigration this Wednesday in Bethesda and help keep the pressure on Congress.](#) Here are the details:

What: Immigration Week of Action event in Bethesda

Where:

Bethesda, MD 20814

When: Wednesday, April 10th
2:00 pm

RSVP NOW

This really could happen, John -- we could help pass a bipartisan bill that not only helps grow our economy and fixes our broken immigration system, but also ensures that 11 million people currently living in the shadows have a real path to citizenship.

If you agree with President Obama that comprehensive immigration reform needs to happen now, then RSVP for the event on Wednesday and help get this done:

<http://my.barackobama.com/Immigration-Reform-Week-of-Action>

Thanks,

Emmy

Emmy Ruiz
Immigration Campaign Manager
Organizing for Action

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Date: 3/4/2016 10:18:52 AM
Subject: Re: John, good time to talk for a minute today? Thanks - Bill

Much appreciated

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: Fri, 4 Mar 2016 12:12:18 -0500
To: bdeblasio.nyc@gmail.com<bdeblasio.nyc@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: John, good time to talk for a minute today? Thanks - Bill

On the plane to Michigan. Will call when we get there.

On Friday, March 4, 2016, Bill de Blasio <bdeblasio.nyc@gmail.com> wrote:

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Date: 4/17/2015 1:56:19 PM
Subject: RE: Staff Transition

Dear Members of the Board,

Thank you for allowing me to a small part of this amazing institution. It has been an incredible experience and an honor, in particular to have the opportunity to work closely with all of you. I will miss CAP, but consider myself a permanent part of the family.

I look forward to seeing the great things you will all do in the future. And I hope to stay in touch. I can be reached at debsfine@gmail.com or 917-373-8308.

Warm wishes,
Debbie

From: Neera Tanden
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2015 4:41 PM
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Subject: Staff Transition

Dear Members of the Board,

After more than a decade of service to the American Progress, Debbie Fine will be leaving us for a fantastic new opportunity as the Deputy Director of Global Philanthropy at J.P. Morgan Chase. We are incredibly grateful for her years of dedication, hard work, effective leadership and sense of humor. Debbie has been part of American Progress from the very early days, helping build its infrastructure and establishing a legal team that protects CAP without hindering its programmatic goals. She has been a true team player, filling many roles as needed over the years. Few have worked as hard to make CAP the place it is and I will miss her spirit as well as her counsel.

I am pleased to announce that Alex DeMots will be leading the legal team as our new General Counsel. Alex has served as in-house counsel at American Progress for more than seven years, and as VP and Deputy General Counsel since 2011. During that time he has been an effective leader, helping to guide the legal team with excellent problem solving skills, and working with American Progress staff to ensure legal compliance in all manner of activities. He has been particularly effective in guiding us with judiciousness as the world of nonprofits and electoral activities has been radically altered. I know he will make a strong General Counsel. In addition to his years of experience at American Progress, he served as counsel to Chairman Robert D. Lenhard at the Federal Election Commission and spent two years as an associate with Trister, Ross, Schadler & Gold, specializing in advising nonprofit organizations on the full range of issues relevant to them. Alex is a graduate of Georgetown University Law Center and the University of Michigan.

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I am recommending that the board appoint Alex as the new Corporate Secretary effective April 20, 2015. As described above, he has a wealth of experience in legal matters impacting tax exempt organizations, including best practices in governance, and he has already worked side by side with Debbie during his tenure here on these issues.

If you agree with my recommendation, please email Debbie Fine to let her know at your earliest convenience at dfine@americanprogress.org , and complete the attached Unanimous Consent and submit it to Debbie by email or fax to 202-315-0453 by Thursday April 16.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask me.

I look forward to seeing you in May.

Thank you as always for all that you do,
Neera

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Date: 4/29/2015 12:19:17 PM
Subject: Column: Hillary's big test on trade | TheHill

<http://thehill.com/opinion/brent-budowsky/240581-brent-budowsky-hillarys-big-test-on-trade>

Sent from my iPad

From: ["Ulrich Boser" <ulrich@ulrichboser.com>](mailto:Ulrich.Boser@ulrichboser.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 1/19/2014 12:34:34 PM

Subject: following up on a blurb for a book on social trust

Attachments: The Leap, Ulrich Boser, DRAFT.docx

John,

I wanted to reach out about my book on rebuilding the nation's social trust. Would you be willing to consider the book for a blurb?

I emailed just before you left for the White House--and I know things have been crazy busy--so I thought I might ping you again.

As for the book, it looks at how we might rebuild our faith in others--and society itself. As part of my research, I visited a soap opera in Rwanda that aims to restore the country's broken trust; profiled the man who brought honesty to one of the most corrupt nations in Latin America; and even jumped out of an airplane to see if my so-called "trust hormone" would go up. (It did.)

The book is called "The Leap: The Science of Trust and Why It Matters." The book includes new data on trust in government as well as a set of policy recommendations. The book grew out of my work on the Doing What Works project.

Also, do you think Bill Clinton might be interested in providing a blurb? I reached out to Tina Flourney as well.

Thanks again for your support. I look forward to hearing what you think.

All best,

Ulrich

From: [GIDEON <mond1967@zahav.net.il>](mailto:mond1967@zahav.net.il)
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 Date: 9/14/2014 12:52:42 AM
 Subject: Drugs and Terror Monster Conjugated

SALVATION OF MANKIND BY NARCOTIC VEGETATION ERADICATION FROM THE AIR BY UNMANNED AIRCRAFT VEHICLES

Dear President Obama,

According to my analysis a breakthrough advent has appeared with Unmanned Aircraft Vehicles Development proved being capable of hitting even point targets. It is well known that Afghanistan has World record of Poppy Opium Production of about 200 tons annually yielded from a cultivated 157,000 hectares area. That enormous dope amount (90% of world opium production) is in my opinion the main financial source for Terror Organizations' Weaponry Acquisition. According to my assessment, UAV could have been Redemption for Entire Mankind if being utilized as follows:

2,4 D Defoliant is splashed on the Narcotic Vegetation causing its Desertification within several days inevitably. The following favorable consequences might have been anticipated:

- 1) Severing of Terror Organizations from their Financial Source that dry up with Narcotic Vegetation Desertification
- 2) Salvation of millions of Potential Drug Addicts from Awful Agony and Death
- 3) Rehabilitation of US Deterrence that has weakened considerably after Nine Eleven Horrendousness
- 4) Precipitation of NATO Troops Evacuation from Afghanistan as a result of UAV Bombardment Intensification resulting in Terror Suppression Reinforcement
- 5) Deterrence of El-Qaida Reactivation by leaving a Souvenir of dry Poppy-Opium Bushes from pulling out NATO Troops
- 6) I suggest having a Debate in the Senate that might hopefully lead to successful termination of the Afghan War after being stuck in its Marsh for 12 long years
- 7) Waiting for your Response as US friend since 1948
- 8) There could not have been any doubt about terminating the Armed Conflict in Afghanistan Honorably averting an Ignominious ending up as currently impending.
- 9) Similarly, Central American Dope Smuggling could have been drastically diminished by UAV Utilization for Narcotic Vegetation Eradication Grown on Mountainous Gradients. Very large amounts of Dope are smuggled annually into the US having found hitherto no efficacious way of overcoming that calamity
- 10) Please contact me by scheduling a meeting at US Embassy in Tel -Aviv for Clarifications with your experts' participation specializing in Explosives, Electronics and Aviation
- 11) I have got all the required specifications for getting mankind be extricated from the two conjugated calamities, Drugs inundation and Terror attacks of Innocent Population thanks to UAV activities.
- 12) To my great astonishment, my correspondence versus US Senate Committee on Armed Services has been irresponsive despite the extraordinary importance for entire Civilization Meanwhile as many as one billion of Muslims are threatening America encouraged by their Nine Eleven Precedent Success
- 13) In reminiscence, as many as 50,000 Aircraft were ordered according to Presidents' Roosevelt Ordinance after the Japanese Attack of Pearl Harbor while 7000 UAV by comparison are being idled in Storage letting the Afghan Armed Conflict be continued indefinitely.
- 14) Please let me explicate for US Air-Force an efficacious way emerging victorious from Afghan Entanglement in favor of Entire Mankind instead of suffering an ignominious defeat.
- 15) To my great surprise, US Does not exercise its Self Defense Right according to UN Charter Chapter 51 (1946), enabling Criminal Organizations of Third World Countries attacking it with impunity. Nine Eleven Catastrophe could have been averted if the US had utilized its complete Arsenal particularly UAV in high numbers instead of being kept idle in Magazines.
- 16) I propose meeting your Experts for UAV, Explosives and Electronics at US Embassy in Tel Aviv for thorough debate about Dual Headed Monster Decapitation in favor of beleaguered Mankind believing in great success of my Innovative

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Unprecedented Method as an only feasible efficacious expedient against it.

17) Is White House Correspondence Team busy to such an extent being unable responding even most important letters?

18) To my great Astonishment Dereliction of US Air Force results in smuggling of

Tremendous Dope Amount from Central America via Mexico into the US with its

Awful damage for many millions American's Health

19) I don't see any reason for hesitancy! The President may issue tomorrow an ordinance in order to open emergency

Magazines, getting ten thousands of UAV

Aloft in order to achieve Narcotic Vegetation Desertification with achievement for

Posterity

20) Emerge preferably with an Upper hand honorably instead of being ignominiously defeated!

21) Despite being Non US Citizen I think to have done my best in assisting ending up

Afghan War victoriously thanks to my Innovative Narcotic Vegetation Eradication Method, however not a single word of Acknowledgement has hitherto

Reached my mailbox! In my opinion, Disparagement and Ungratefulness are conjugated at least according to my feeling!

22) There could not have been any justification keeping as many as 70,000 UAV unused in magazines instead of operating them against Nine Eleven Cruel enemy. Moreover, US taxpayers have already paid for that arsenal!

23) I believe Mr. Attorney General that Narcotic Vegetation Desertification Utilizing UAV is the only Feasible way of getting Mankind been extricated from the Doubling Stricken Menace Grabbing, Drug and Terror Simultaneously.

24) November election is going to be beginning of President Obama last Congress Tenure working with but if the President is being able indicating monumental achievements. He might have been eligible into the Parlor of great Leaders having annihilated Drugs and Terror calamities for Posterity affluence

25) Wiping out Narcotic Vegetation and launching consequently an Overwhelming

Strike on Terror Organizations by UAV Utilization might have been an Unprecedented Achievement of Entire Mankind and President Obama personally.

26) Incredibly, no reaction has come from the White House in latest four years despite

My pure intention for assistance for the US as well as Entire Civilization!

27) In my opinion Nobel Institute might have contributed to a very great extent to Drug and Terror Monster Decapitation in favor of Entire Civilization.

28) Prime Minister of Israel might have contributed a great role in exerting an influence on US and Western Governments in General in a Universal Effort of Dual Headed Monster, Drugs and Terror simultaneous eradication

Be successful

Gideon Rodeh

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/26/2015 2:32:37 PM

Subject: The Inside Story. Yours to Explore. Times Insider Free for 8 Weeks.

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Date: 11/28/2008 7:18:37 AM

Subject: Govr Napolitano

To call Govr Napolitano tomorrow afternoon -

Govr Napolitano
602-252-5214

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Date: 1/12/2016 6:10:36 AM
Subject: Re: CORRECTION: Senior Staff Call: 1:15 PM ET

This call will start at 1:30 ET.

Thanks!

On Tue, Jan 12, 2016 at 12:37 PM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
The Senior Staff Call will now be at 1:15pm ET.

For those in HQ, please meet in the Iowa Conference Room.

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On Tue, Jan 12, 2016 at 12:22 PM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Dear all,

We will be having a call with all Senior Staff and State Directors at 2:30 PM ET.

Dial-In:

[718-766-5165](tel:718-766-5165) , no pin

Thanks!

Kate

From: ["Mandy Grunwald" <gruncom@aol.com>](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)

To: robbymook2015@gmail.com
huma@hrcoffice.com

Date: 2/17/2015 4:47:46 AM

Subject: Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

Sounds good. And the NYT piece is fine -- for both sides.

Mandy Grunwald
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-----Original Message-----

From: Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>

To: Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>

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Sent: Tue, Feb 17, 2015 11:35 am

Subject: Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

Just talked w Mindy. Good convo. She said she's been getting really good feedback about Dan's outreach--she said she knows we are talking to the people they suggested and they really like Dan. So good work, Schwerin!

We should think about going back to them when we've isolated one or two ideas and getting more input on those (without showing our cards, obviously)...will probably be in our interest for them to have a sense of where we're headed before HRC delivers to the public.

Also, she flagged that they're going to push back hard against POTUS on trade. She understood that HRC was already on the record as his SOS so we don't have a ton of room to maneuver.

On Tue, Feb 17, 2015 at 11:01 AM, Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Per Mindy, they received the same call simultaneously but are not returning it. Sounds like they plan to ignore but I asked her to confirm that.

From: Robby Mook [mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, February 17, 2015 10:38 AM

To: Mandy Grunwald

Cc: Nick Merrill; John Anzalone; Jim Margolis; Huma Abedin; Dan Schwerin; Ethan Gelber; Joel Benenson; John Podesta; Philippe Reines; Cheryl Mills; Kristina Schake; Jen Palmieri

Subject: Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

Huma emailed Mindy this am and I left her a msg.

I told Mindy in my msg I heard it had leaked and wanted to discuss how we want to handle and touch base generally.

On Tue, Feb 17, 2015 at 10:26 AM, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com> wrote:

Have you reached out to Elizabeth's people?

Do you need any help doing that?

What do you plan to say?

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
[202 973-9400](tel:2029739400)

> On Feb 17, 2015, at 10:21 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

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> Hi All,

>

> The NYT (Jonathan Martin and Maggie Haberman) reached out this morning to tell us that they are aware of a meeting HRC had with Senator Warren at her house back in December. They plan to write imminently, so wanted everyone to be aware that this could pop soon.

>

> Nick

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Date: 9/24/2015 10:11:08 AM

Subject: Notes for 8am Call Tomorrow

Attachments: Notes.docx

Hi everyone,

Attached are notes John asked us to pass on for discussion on tomorrow's 8am call.

From: ["Earth Day Network" <earthinfo@earthday.org>](mailto:earthinfo@earthday.org)

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 2/14/2016 3:16:22 AM

Subject: Happy Valentine's Day from EDN to You



Today is Valentine's Day. And it marks a perfect time to show some love for the Earth, our planet that loves us unconditionally and asks for so little in return.

We have compiled a short top ten list for you on how to have a red and green Valentine's Day. We hope you enjoy it, use it, and have a great Valentine's Day!

For the Earth,
Earth Day Network

Top Ten Ways to Make Your Valentine's Day Green

- 1. Plant Some Love:** Plant a tree in honor of someone that you love.
- 2. A Different Gift:** Gift a house plant rather than cutting another typical rose. As a bonus, many house plants also act as air purifiers and absorb toxins! Go for an aloe plant or a cactus.
- 3. Show Your Love:** Submit your picture and join the #ShowYourLove campaign with the Climate Coalition and show decision-makers that you love the earth.
- 4. DIY:** Make a DIY present with some old items from your home. Show your loved one that you care about them by spending time and effort on the present while reducing waste at the same time!
- 5. Chocolates with a Twist:** Go the classic Valentine's Day way but with a twist: buy eco-friendly chocolates that were produced with sustainable farming methods.
- 6. Food is Always Good:** Surprise your loved one with a home-cooked meal made with fresh, healthy, local and organic ingredients.
- 7. Provide a Loving Home:** This is a step up but consider adopting a pet from the local animal shelter! Give those poor animals a warm home and show them some love.
- 8. Cards:** Send a card made of recycled paper or even better, an e-card!
- 9. A Gift from Nature:** Go on a hike or bike-ride and enjoy the beautiful scenery that nature has to offer. If you want to be extra romantic, go at sunset or sunrise!
- 10. Go Organic:** Can't give up traditions? Send organic/fair-trade flowers this year!

10/18/2016



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From: Jimrlyons@aol.com

To: John.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/11/2008 5:39:30 AM

Subject: Fwd: Conversation with Pete Rouse

Attachments: Information requested.eml

John --

I met with Pete Rouse on Friday when I was in Chicago. He suggested I contact you regarding the transition work you're doing for Obama. I am forwarding to you the note I sent to Pete. Please let me know how I can be of help.

And, thanks for all the support you've been giving Jen through the Edwards debacle. They've really been leaning on here to get them through this. I know she appreciates the friendship and counsel you've provided her during this difficult time. Just wanted you to know that I appreciate it, too.

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From: Jimrlyons@aol.com
To: Prouse@barackobama.com
Date: 8/11/2008 5:03:34 AM
Subject: Information requested
Attachments: Lyons.resume_Feb.2008.update.doc
Short bio with recent photo 050608.doc

Pete --

Thanks for taking the time to meet on Friday. Glad to help out on the campaign in whatever way I can and will continue to work with Heather when and where she needs.

I appreciate the opportunity to work on the transition and am attaching my bio and resume as you suggested. I appreciate your passing this along to Chris and will contact John Podesta directly.

As I mentioned, I've been working on a transition piece for USDA for a book that CAP will produce. However, I probably can be most helpful in working on the natural resources, energy and environment elements of the transition given my work with conservation agencies in USDA and DOI. Having focussed alot with the Clinton administration and since at Yale on western lands issues like fire, forests, and roadless area protection, I probably know more about the large landscape issues. But, wherever I can help...

One final thought.

I mentioned to Heather that I thought a simple and direct way to deal with the energy issues raised by gas prices (and the critical editorial in the NY Times yesterday) would be to **propose to redirect the tax credits now going to big oil (aka Exxon-Mobil) and instead give them to GM, Ford, and Chrysler to accelerate their efforts to develop fuel efficient cars.** The auto manufacturers need the credits (given big financial losses) and Exxon doesn't. But rather than an abstract redirect of these funds to consumers or to "accelerate development of cellulosic ethanol", by specifically redirecting the tax credits to the auto manufacturers, the benefits should be clear -- especially for the union employees and the states that would benefit like Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin. Key electoral states, of course.

Thanks again. I look forward to helping with the campaign and the transition.

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From:	"Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date:	12/2/2015 11:48:32 AM
Subject:	SRB

Nick said the plan is to receive friends Friday evening post memorial service at Nick & Debbies, 4712 Cumberland Ave, Chevy Chase

Saturday 6-8pm and Sunday 2-4pm at Susan & Sandy's.

From: "Kate Offerdahl" <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
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"Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>
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Date: 3/8/2016 7:11:32 PM

Subject: Re: 7:30am Call

+ Teddy

On Wed, Mar 9, 2016 at 2:00 AM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Update:

This call will happen from 7:30-8:30am on Wednesday morning.

On Wed, Mar 9, 2016 at 1:48 AM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
+ Marlon and Brynne

On Wed, Mar 9, 2016 at 1:46 AM, Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Hi all,

We will have a call at 8:30am Wednesday morning.

Dial-In:
[718-705-7774](tel:718-705-7774) , no pin

Thanks!
Kate

From: ["R.scott Pastrick" <rspastrick@gmail.com>](mailto:rspastrick@gmail.com)

To: mfisher@hillaryclinton.com

Date: 2/28/2016 1:22:56 AM

Subject: Scott Pastrick

Milia,

Good morning. Does John have time next week in DC for a short meeting.

I will send him a note but wanted to run the traps through your scheduling as we

L.

Very best

Scott

R. Scott Pastrick

President & CEO

Prime Policy Group

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Washington D.C.

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R. Scott Pastrick

From: [imATHLETE <support@imathlete.com>](mailto:support@imathlete.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/16/2015 2:30:16 PM

Subject: Your imATHLETE Purchase Confirmation (JWwJ2YYW-UgUgfHHW)



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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM Capitol Hill Classic 10K, 3K, and Fun Run

Do you need to train for the Classic? We've partnered with Moms in Training for an in-person training program that kicks off on March 14th, and we've also partnered with runcoach for an online training program that adapts to your performance and guides you all the way to the starting line of the Classic. Get more information at: <http://www.capitolhillclassic.com/training/>

If you included the runcoach training program in your registration, you should hear directly from runcoach within 24-48 hours. If you do not hear from them, please reach out to us at info@capitolhillclassic.com and we'll take care of it!

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Phone:	202-244-5673		
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How did you hear about the Capitol Hill Classic?:	I was a past participant		

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Jeff & the imATHLETE team

www.imATHLETE.com

Here's a little advice: To ensure that you receive imATHLETE messages in your inbox without them being accidentally routed to your bulk or spam folders, you should add support@imATHLETE.com to your address book.

From: ["Thomas DELONGE" <t.delonge@me.com>](mailto:t.delonge@me.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/15/2016 12:59:50 PM

Subject: Rolling Stone

We are splitting my project release into two pieces. The first one is an in-depth story about what I'm doing. The second one, is releasing the trailer to the documentary and foreword to the Novel.

This first piece is going to be with Rolling Stone, they're flying a journalist out to sit with me for two days and do an in-depth printed feature on this. They are high on the Sean Penn drug story that got them international attention. This made them call back within an hour with the editor and say "we are all in absolutely".

We like Rolling Stone, right?

When we release the trailer, with my foreword, we are planning on doing the New York Times, the Wall Street Journal, or the Washington Post.

My question is this: Do you know anybody at those institutions that you can put in a good word to consider the story? I think we can do fine on our own, but knowing a good journalist, somebody that would get the hint if you put out an email, we can set up the entire project credibly. I remember Leslie Keane, but I can't remember who she writes for... Or somebody else more elevated than her, that they can get this in the right publication.

Jimmy Kimmel is now calling, and we might be able to get some TV appearances on this. The story: *I'm setting up a project that is going to do huge things for the youth, and I have a secret group of men supporting me to do it.*

Thoughts?

I do not expect anything, but I will always politely ask. I apologize if it is an inappropriate question, i'm just a man on a mission...

Best,
Tom DeLonge

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["Law?? Center Staff" <LawCenterStaff@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawCenterStaff@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 2/1/2016 1:39:07 PM
Subject: Margaret Gerety

Dear all,

I am pleased to announce that Margaret Gerety, Director, JD Program, will be transitioning to a new role as Assistant Dean for Experiential Learning and Director of the Delaney Post-Graduate Residency Program. Margaret will be joining the experiential education team and will help us continue to grow and integrate this important part of the curriculum. Margaret will take on several key responsibilities at the Law Center, including developing and monitoring our simulation and competency-based courses and developing new cross-curricular and multi-disciplinary initiatives, in collaboration with the Office of JD Academic Services and Graduate Programs. She will also be working closely with the Office of Public Interest and Community Service to direct the new Delaney Post-Graduate Residency Program, made possible with the generous donation of Rep. John Delaney (D-Md.), L'88 and April McClain-Delaney, L'89. Building off of our successful Public Interest Partner Fellowship Program, Margaret will develop a supportive curriculum for our post-graduate fellows, providing them essential training and mentoring during their one-year fellowship.

Margaret's new role comes at a critical and exciting time as the Law Center, and law schools nationwide, seek to bridge the gap between analytic and other lawyering skills and effectively prepare our graduates for the practice of law. This is also the aim of many of the ABA's latest accreditation standards that will apply to the Law Center in the next academic year. Margaret will be working collaboratively with many of our offices and faculty, who have already developed exciting and important initiatives, to grow these types of opportunities for our students and help ensure the Law Center is not just meeting the ABA requirements, but emerging as a true leader in this field.

Since coming to the Law Center in 2011, Margaret has supported hundreds of students in academic advising sessions and has helped transform our first-year Week One program, including co-authoring the skills-heavy Anti-Corruption and International M&A problem with Professors Cedrone and McMahon. She has worked tirelessly to track ABA and Law Center rules, and is seen by many as the go-to person for policy-related questions. She is a dynamic problem-solver and creative thinker and we are excited to be able to apply her skill set to new initiatives.

Please congratulate Margaret and support her as she takes on this important new role!

Jane

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/3/2016 2:09:46 PM

Subject:

Will forward the email chain from Schake

Sounds like xochitl applied the same logic used for Latino list - we didn't include personal friends or staff, as press wouldn't see them as real endorsers.

But she raised it in the daily Afam mtg yesterday and again on email chain today ours before putting it out, with Marlon Finney de'ara la'davia Tyrone etc - Finney said fine, and no one else flagged. She shouldn't shoulder the blame!

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)
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Date: 2/4/2016 10:07:57 AM

Subject: Draft NH Expectations TPs

New Hampshire is an uphill climb for Hillary. Recent public polls show Bernie Sanders with as much as a 20 to 30 point lead. But Hillary pledged to fight for every vote in every state and that's exactly what she's going to do here in New Hampshire.

New Hampshire is Bernie's backyard and that gives him a big advantage. Nate Silver estimates neighbor state candidates enjoy a 15% lift in New Hampshire on average, and history back up his assessment. In the last 30 years, border state candidates have always won the New Hampshire primary.

Hillary has also faced some still headwinds from the Republicans and their super PACs. Before Hillary Clinton announced she would be running for President, Republicans started attacking her on television and radio. To date, GOP candidates and Super PACs have spent nearly \$6 million in New Hampshire alone attacking Hillary.

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To: ["Kristina Costa" <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:kcosta@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 11/16/2015 10:48:33 AM
Subject: Re: DRAFT: New Wall Street oped

Good for research

On Mon, Nov 16, 2015 at 5:42 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Team,

Attached for your review this evening is a new HRC op-ed on our Wall Street plan that reflects edits from Dan and Jen, and has been reviewed by Gary. The intent here is to draw a clear distinction between HRC's plan and the Republicans, and to forcefully make the case that HRC's plan is the toughest and most comprehensive. We would like to send this to HRC tonight to review in order to get it placed quickly, so please send any comments or edits ASAP.

Thanks,

Kristina

From: "Jennifer Dunn" <jennifer.dunn@clintonglobalinitiative.org>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/3/2011 7:49:44 AM

Subject: RE: <no subject>

Hello John,

We are happy to hear you can join Monday's meeting.

There is a small chance the meeting may be pushed back 30 minutes (now 4:30pm-6:30pm), however, if this will not work with your schedule, I will report to our team accordingly.

As for travel, if you can provide the following information, I'll book your flight to NY next week.

Legal Name (as appears on ID):

Date of Birth:

Departing City:

Departing Date:

Ideal Departing Flight Time:

Return Date:

Ideal Return Flight Time:

Passenger Requests (if any):

Please let me know if you have any questions and if a 4:30pm-6:30pm meeting would still work on your end. I look forward to your response.

Best,
Jenny

Jennifer Dunn

Event Operations Associate
212.710.4443

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, November 03, 2011 11:48 AM

To: Ed Hughes

Cc: Scarlet Cronin; Jennifer Dunn

Subject: Re: <no subject>

That will be great.

On Thu, Nov 3, 2011 at 11:10 AM, Ed Hughes <ed.hughes@clintonglobalinitiative.org> wrote:

> Apologies for the premature send. As I was writing, Scarlet will provide you with the briefing materials for Monday's meeting while Jenny can coordinate your travel.

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> Please let us know if you have any question or would like us to work with anyone on your behalf to coordinate logistics.

>

> Thanks and see you soon,

>

> Ed

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> On Nov 3, 2011, at 11:01 AM, "Ed Hughes" <ed.hughes@clintonglobalinitiative.org> wrote:

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>> (Adding Scarlet and Jenny)

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>> John,

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>> Thrilled to have you participate. The meeting is scheduled to last from 4 - 6 pm, but we can structure it to accommodate your travel itinerary.

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>> Scarlet (Cc'd)

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>> On Nov 3, 2011, at 9:25 AM, "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>> Thatn works for me. I need to get a flight back to DC that evening

>>> so try to adjust the back end accordingly. How much time were you

>>> planning for?

>>>

>>> On Thu, Nov 3, 2011 at 8:40 AM, Ed Hughes

>>> <ed.hughes@clintonglobalinitiative.org> wrote:

>>>> Bruce,

>>>> Thank you for the update. Happy to see you're on-line, and hope

>>>> you're on pace for a full recovery. Everyone at CGI - as well as

>>>> Counsel's Office alums - are wishing you well and looking forward

>>>> to seeing you soon. Please let us know if there is anything that we

>>>> can do for you and when you want to start getting bothered by CGI again. All the best and get well.

>>>> John - Happy to hear you're able to get more involved. My apologies

>>>> for the late notice, but we have one immediate item for your

>>>> calendar: CGI was planning to conduct a full debrief meeting on the

>>>> 2011 Annual Meeting this morning with the Foundation heads (Bruce, Doug, Chelsea, Eric Nonacs, etc.).

>>>> We've decided to postpone the meeting until after Mrs. Rodham's

>>>> services on Sunday and would now welcome your participation. It

>>>> appears that Doug and Chelsea could meet at CGI next Monday, Nov 7

>>>> at 4 PM. Would it be possible for you to join us? We're happy to

>>>> coordinate any necessary arrangements. We will send you the background materials today.

>>>> Please let us know if you have any questions. Happy to talk and discuss.

>>>> Thank you,

>>>> Ed

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>>>> Begin forwarded message:

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>>>> From: Bruce Lindsey <blindsey@clintonfoundation.org>

>>>> Date: November 2, 2011 11:23:54 AM EDT

>>>> To: 55 and 77 Staff <5577staff@clintonfoundation.org>, LittleRock -

>>>> Staff <littlerock@clintonfoundation.org>, CGI NY Staff

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>>>> Office All <BostonOfficeAll@clintonHealthAccess.org>

>>>> Cc: "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

>>>> Subject: <no subject>

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>>>> Dear Foundation Staff:

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>>>> First, I want to thank all of you for the well wishes for my swift

>>>> recovery. I am getting better and I am looking forward to being

>>>> back in the office.

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>>>> Until I am able to return to the office full-time, the President

>>>> and I have asked John Podesta to serve as a special advisor to
>>>> support me and the Foundation staff in our work. He has graciously
>>>> agreed to be available by phone and email, as well as to be in the
>>>> office periodically, to help provide leadership. Please seek his
>>>> guidance and decision-making as necessary to ensure the work of the
>>>> Foundation continues apace while I am out.
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>>>> Once I am settled into a routine, I will update you on when I am
>>>> available to address matters that might be more efficient for me to handle.
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>>>> Again - thanks for all the good wishes.
>>>>
>>>> Bruce
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Chris Cillizza will post the statement from David at 11 am.

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Subject: UNH speaking

John,

Just wanted to re-plant the seed as we get close to students reporting to campus that I'd love to host HRC as a Carsey School of Public Policy speaker at the University of New Hampshire. The Durham campus is where the bulk of the students are (14,000 of them) but UNH also has space in Concord at the law school and on a Manchester campus.

Thanks. Hope things are going well. Dropped by WCEG and CAP a couple times this week. All going strong—good to see.

- Michael.

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Yes will call tomorrow.

On Apr 7, 2015 6:41 PM, "Ed Hughes" <ed.hughes@clintonlobalinitiative.org> wrote:
John,

Hope this note finds you well. We are reaching out to 'friendlies' for their advice on the CGI Mediterranean meeting in Greece in June and are hoping to get your thoughts. Do you have any availability to discuss with Bob (Cc'd) and me this week?

As always, we're grateful for your help,

Ed

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Subject: [big campaign] Tracking Update: McCain Town Hall in Denver, CO 10/02/08

Hello All,

Just got off the phone with our tracker, Ryan, on the ground in Denver. Below are the notes from our call.

Big Highlights

- Says "I've had hundreds of town hall meetings around this country for many, many years and I've got to say, thanks to you and to you and to you this is one of the more impactful and emotional town hall meetings I've ever had. Maybe it's because a women's town hall."
- Disabled vet asks him if he'll support Community Choice Act - he responds that he will continue to examine that legislation and im committed to fix the problems we have
- Says Obama doesnt have a clear understanding of military and how important men and women there are.
- Promises to "listen to her [Palin's] arguments" on ANWR (but says they disagree)
- Says americans are cynical now b/c we're not Big Govt people, he "know[s]" we "don't need another government-run bureaucracy"; soon after says it was a "failure of regulation" and oversight that led to the crisis
- Says he loves to blame the media and will blame them for a lot of other things - but not Fannie / Freddie
- Thanks CO for their water
- Intro speaker, Lisa Shall, says she was afraid to use the C-word, change - corrects herself in earnest: oh i forgot i was in a group of ladies -- it's not what you were thinking

Denver, CO: McCain Town Hall 10/02/08

(Disclaimer: The following are notes, not direct quotes. If you'd like a quotable transcript or video of any part below, please email us.)

Background details

- about 1500 ppl -- venue was packed, seats were all filled + people standing in aisles
 - all white women (a handful of hispanic women, no black); predominantly middle-aged
- Ticket-only event
- Tracker was told by a video crew member beforehand that event was pooled, but saw 22 press cameras and 5 still photographers inside the event
- Tracker didn't see any protesters, save 1 guy 'McCain and Bush are the same' sign [footage not available]
- Pre-event fanfare: state Rep. Amy Stevens led in prayer; unnamed female emcee
- Lisa Shall makes brief intro remarks
 - i was afraid to use "c-word" -- you know, change-- (corrects herself in earnest): oh i forgot i was in a group of ladies -- it's not what you were thinking
- Cindy NOT in attendance - McCain said she was at home w/ their daughter
- Banner behind mccain read "McCain and Palin Town Hall"

Speech Highlights

- thank you thank you!! ty Lisa for those kind words of intro and thank you for your success and for employing 500 americans, thank you Amy Caplas. I can assure you your reward will be in heaven, not earth.
- as a citizen of AZ, thank you for the water. Barry Goldwater used to say we have so little water the trees chase the dogs. most importantly thank you for your participation in essence of democracy, the town hall meeting. a chance for me to give you my ideas but also for me to hear from you. america is hurting tonight, today tmrw yesterday. ppl worried about jobs, homes. this is tough time in USA. ICYMI, gov. sarah

palin going to have a lil debate tonight. i know she'd be pleased by that incredible response that she's inspired all over this country. her husband todd is a great father; a fisherman; he's a 4x world champ of Iron Dog.

- tonight palin's going to deliver news to me-first-country-2nd bigspending crowd in DC and this that change is coming change is coming and some of them aren't going to like it. i cant tell you how proud i am of her and the inspiration that she has provided to young women and men and every American. that you can take on these responsibilities and special interests. she went in front of her oil and gas board and said i'm gonna quit it. as gov, she cut taxes and gave taxpayers money back. she took on oil and gas and got pipeline to go down to lower 48.
- this freddie and fannie thing couldnt have happened without collusion and cooperation with members of congress who had cozy relationships. the greed and corruption on Wall st and washington.
- we'll keep your taxes low. obama's voted 94 times to raise taxes or keep them the same. he talks the talk, youve got to walk the walk. and he hasn't. obama's got a line about not raising taxes for 95% of americans. but he's voted 94 times to raise taxes for 100% of americans.
- i went back to DC when we were facing fiscal crisis. i understand why americans were cynical, they viewed this as bailout for WS. we suspended campaign, ads. i sat down with Congress, esp members of my part. they went thru the negotiations, legislation was improved and alst night we passed it thru Senate. many are still cynical and i understand b/c we're not big govt ppl. we want to be free.
- credit was drying up, ppl were having trouble getting loans. difficulties in Main St America. if we pass this legislation, which i believe we will in House, it's like a tourniquet, not a cure. itll stop the bleeding but then we have to set about fixing the situation. its gonna take a new broom to drain the swamp. ill fix it. time after time, ive taken on my own party and special interests and Dems, whether it be on climate change which i think is real, on spending, on out of control spending and i stood up against the failing strategy at the rt time. in bipartisan way on judges. with lieberman to put together 9/11 commission. i have a clear record of putting my country first and being bipartisan. obama doesnt.
- so ill promise that debate tonight, big choice in this election. we all know DC is on wrong track. if you want reform, this is debate b/t obama-biden team that talks about change and mccain palin team thats actually made it happen. they voted for higher taxes, we cut taxes. theyve proposed \$800b spending and we'll veto pork and get spending under control.
- im sure you know what earmark porkbarrel spending is. you might not know what its been spent on, e.g. DNA of bears, museums and outrageous projects. obama sought \$932M that never saw light of day. we'll cut 2nd highest corp tax rate. there are stark differences and stark choices. the american ppl will see what they are. i know how to keep this country safe. i know how to bring our troops home with honr and victory, not defeat.
- and id like to mention to you brief story of somethin that happened last Aug: Matthew Stanley story, mccain wears bracelet to make sure soldier KIA in Iraq didnt die in vain. i take that chrage very seriously. we have 2 sons in military. and had the great honor of serving this country. i believe i can inspire a gnereation to serve a cause greater than selfinterest. theres nothing nobler. ive put country first my whole life.

Quesiton and Answer

- 1Q) how important is youth vote and what are you 2 doing to GOTV?
 - MCCAIN: we have work to do. i have a daughter that just graduated from Columbia and btw if you know of a job for art history majors, pls let me know after this mtg. i have a daughter in high school. we need to use internet, young americans are using this as their sole source of news. check out our website. and then going to the venues, the late-nights, letterman, leno, and i did a MTV town hall a while ago. and young americans are concerned about their future and our work is to "hand them their future" and i want to do that
- [back-and-forth banter with voter, McCain says that purple hearts are most exclusive club in world]
- 2Q) i considered myself a swing voter until recently. i had been laid off with enron deal, ive lost 2 other jobs. i have a math and engineering backgrd, im a security guard. cant pay the bills, health care, immigrants are killing ppl and getting my free health care and i cant even afford to buy my monthly meds. what are you going to do to help ppl in my situation. im from adams county, 1 in 4 houses are foreclosing every day.
 - MCCAIN: thank you for being here. and your story unfortunately is being retold all over america today and im glad you told it here b/c you move me and all americans. 2 aspects to address: (1) job

creation. we've got to start creating jobs in america. as i mentioned earlier, small businesses are the only job creator today in the last pd of time so we have to keep their taxes low. also, we need to create new opportunities for these small businesses. and that brings me back to health care. b/c they're having biggest problem paying for it. i want to give you and your fam \$5k tax credit so you can go anywhere in america so you can find health care of your choice. if you have preexisting condition or cant get health care, i want fed govt and states to work together so we can assist you get the health ins. you need. i know we dont need another govt-run bureaucracy. if you like govt-run health care, go to canada or britain adn see if you like it. obama wants to force ppl and create govt-run bureaucracy.

- o MCCAIN: who's being hurt most by high price of gas? lowest-income americans. thats why the high cost of energy is so harmful to ppl of low income. we have to stop spending \$700B to countries that dont like us very much. i want you to be able to afford your transportation. i want wind, tide solar and all those that will help us create jobs. if we build 45 nucl pwr plants by 2030, thatll create 45k jobs. thatll have direct relation to wind, tide, solar. obama has voted 42 times to raise or keep your taxes, ,has voted to raise taxes on those making as little as \$42k / yr. im willing to have govt step in and help for health care. for those who cant get it, we'll have GAPS. we'll create jobs and keep taxes low on small businesses. all so we can get america back on track again. and that includes cleaning up washington so your tax dollars arent wasted. sorry to take so long to answer. our hearts and our thoughts are with you. you are what we have to do for america. you have jsut articulated it in the most compelling fashion. every time i meet someone like you, you renew my commitment.
- 3Q) i cant expres my gratitude for serving. as a vet, i see a lot of fellow vets coming back that end up in mental institutions and head injuries. Community Choice bill (senate bill #99). will you support it?
 - o MCCAIN: i will continue to examine that legislation and im committed to fix those problems that we have. on vet health care, theres a situation with iraqi and afgh. war vets, we have increased PTSD - its 1 of toughest wars weve ever fought in. we're able to take more from battlefield to care, but there are severe wounds. we need to expand VA in capability to care for wounded warriors. theres a problem w/ wounded vets. [baby cries] thank you for bringing her. too often theres not sufficient care and treatment for women vets. we have an ever larger # serving in military, but we've not expanded facilities to give them care they need - that mght be true in your case. for ordinary medical treatment needed for our vets, we need to give them a card. so they dont have to stand in line to stand in line. and next time they need care, just take that card and go to their doc. i want to thank you for serving and ive been very touched already for this chance to be with you all.
- 4Q) you and your oppo have differences on # of issues. which do you think most affects most americans?
 - o MCCAIN: i think its a fundamental disagreement on who is best to help econ whether it be lower taxes and less govt and affordable health care and obama has record of wanting govt to do jobs citizens should do, he creates bureacracies that are unnecessary, he doesnt have a clear understanding of military and how important men and women there are. this isnt right time to increase spending, he wants \$800B more. we need to reduce, now we have thsi debt to china that we our govt let happen. it depends on what you think role of govt is. we need lower taxes, more opportunities incl. choice and opportunity in school system adn how we keep america safe. reform, peace and prosperity. and thats where we have starkest difference as youve seen in a long time. and taking on the special interests even when its your own party. obama has never taken on party leaders on any issue. ill take on all of them.
- 5Q) im a small business owner. weve had 2 yrs of hell. 9/10 times - what do we do about the media? the media is killing the car business, the real estate business. [cheers]
 - o MCCAIN: um. [pauses, crowd cheers] i do believe that there are many occasions when media exaggerates and perhaps not be as accurate as we'd like. [laughter] but let me say very seriously i think that 1 of the biggest causes of this problem wasnt so much the media- in fact theyre not responsible for fannie and freddie- i love to bash the media all the time - but the beginning of this crisis was such a corrupt system in DC, Freddie and fannie were out of control, their execs got exorbitant pay pkgs and they encouraged risky behavior, while members of Congress were complicit

in not trying to rein in and even encourage this kind of behavior. and that was the major catalytic factor in bringing us here. that combo'd with greed in WS. not the media's fault, but failure of regulation, oversight, failure of Congress and watchdog orgs in reining it in. i proposed 2 yrs ago legislation that wouldve reined in Freddie and Fannie. id love to blame the media, ill blame them for a lot of other things, but not this.

- 6Q) [MCCAIN: i like your shirt] has palin convinced you that drilling in ANWR is one of best things to relieve energy crisis?
 - MCCAIN: now thats what happens when you think youre gonna get a softball question b/c youre wearing a mccain-palin tshirt. we've gotta drill offshore and drill now. we have a disagreement on that but i promise ill listen to her arguments. we'll drill offshore and drill now.
- 7Q) when are you gonna take the gloves off and just go at it? [crowd cheers]
 - MCCAIN: how about tue night? [crowd cheers] i, i , may i say i respect obama for what he's achieved, his success, the fact that he was able defeat a remarkable woman senator from NY, HRC is formidable candidate. what ill try to do is describe our stark differences and different paths we'll take nation on. thats respectful. he says he'll not raise taxes on 95% of ppl but has voted 94 times to. he said he would support the troops but no. health care.
- 8Q) youve said youll ruffle feathers in DC. specific examples?
 - MCCAIN: i have done that. when i saw that big money and soft money contributions were going to members of Congress and they would call up these special interests and say i need X number of \$\$s and btw your legislation is up in front of committee. and there are some in federal prison. i investigated a guy named abramoff, he was one of most pwrful lobbyists in DC and i knew he was GOP. i took on my party there, on campaign finance too. when i saw everything was gonna blow up on nomination of judges-- the most important duty-- i said we have to join together Dems and GOPs. obama had choice to do it, he didnt. he's never reached across on any significant issue that everyone else hasnt. in 2000, young ppl asked what we'll do about global warming. i travelled around and saw it. lieberman and i proposed a way that would try in effective way to alleviate this and that went against many of my party. not that i sought to challenge my party but it happened. and on iraq, i went there and saw it was being badly handled and sought a change. then they said my campaign was finished. i said then, ill say now, id rather lose a political campaign than a war. palin has done the same in AK. we've got to take them on, regardless of party, of who is making campaign contributions. i have a clear record of that. obama has never taken on his party leadership on any issue. we'll continue when palin and i are Pres and VP.
- 9Q) i just turned 18. given the economy, what policies will you support to make college more affordable?
 - MCCAIN: thats a vital ingredient to future of USA, an educated and welltrained work force, incl. science and engineering. it also means we have to retrain our workers. we have to make student loans more available. costs of colleges are going up. state institutions are more affordable we need to expand those. id like to not reburden you immediately after graduation with repayment of student loan. we should give you some time to repay it. lets give them some yrs of breathing space with no interest on that loan so when they move up the economic ladder, theyll be able to afford repayment. we need to understand the inflation on these costs are far exceeding normal inflation, we have to look into why. part of this crisis that we're in is that there are banks like Wachovia which is responsible for student loans are in trouble. you should pay back loans when youre capable of doing so.
- audience member- i want to give you this reason designed by niece of someone who raised flag at iwo jima to acknowledge that you and ppl like you, the integrity and honor youll bring to this country. youll be an extraordinary role model and we'll have confidence to put country in your hands.
 - ive had hundreds of town hall mtgs in this country. i have to say this is one of the most emotional, maybe b/c its a women's town hall mtg.
- 10Q) i recently left my career to be home with my kids. im 31. with Social Security benefits, where are they gonna be when my children need them and whatll you do to change that?

- MCCAIN: Straight talk: Social Security in its present form will not be there when you reach retirement. americans have to understand that. we have an obligation to you. we'll now have a system that even though you pay into it, they'll not have present benefits. it's disgraceful. Medicare. it cries out for-- if we have problem of burdening you with debt we have now, shouldnt we sit down together in bipartisan way? we're not doing it. we're putting it on younger generation of Americans. last time, reagan and tip o'neill fixed Social Security, and they did and it was tough medicine. and itll be tough medicine this time. i dont want to raise anyones taxes, but we have an obligaiton to you.
- MCCAIN: can we do 1 more with the baby there? i cant resist.
- 11Q) if obama raises taxes on ppl with more than \$250k, wont they pass it on so we'll all have tax increase?
 - MCCAIN: yes. i dont think that at this time in history that we should raise anyones taxes. we shouldnt raise taxes. obama has had a multitude of differnet positions on this issue. americans should look at record--not rhetoric--but the record that obama has favored an increase in taxes and has repeatedly voted for it. as i mentioned, my friend and running mate will be in debate tonight soon. and i know she'll do very well and i want everyone cheering her on. id appreciate it if youd keep us in your thoughts and prayers in next 30 days.
 - CO will be key in deciding next POTUS. i need your vote and your help GOTVing and making sure we win in CO. i want to assure you again ive had the great honor and privilege of serving country for long, long time. we might disagree on a certain issue, but ill always do whats right for the country. i ty for your support. we can win.

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Subject: Check-In / Foreign Policy Advice

Dear Mr. Podesta,

I hope this finds you well. As a reminder, this is Mae's friend - we met in New York last fall when you were in town for CGI and you were kind enough to dispense career advice. It's certainly been an eventful summer around the world, but I hope you're managing to get some rest while the President is back and forth to the Vineyard. In fact, I had dinner with Mae just last weekend and she was catching me up on the family's updates.

I wanted to reach out to you to follow up on something you suggested when we met. Although I've switched career tracks from investment banking to strategic communications, and am loving my new job with the Brunswick Group in New York, one of my core interests has always been foreign policy. When we met, you suggested it was important for me to continue to engage in this pursuit, even as an extracurricular activity. As such, I thought a terrific way for me to contribute would be to get involved with Secretary Clinton's campaign, although I realize it's far from official that she's running. You mentioned that it was very important for me to be involved in a capacity of this sort, particular as I'm out of the DC day-to-day orbit given that I live in New York City. She's a candidate I believe in, representing a party whose values I enthusiastically subscribe to, and after following her time in public life it's clear to me she has a strong and terrifically informed world view.

In terms of qualifications, although my career has been in the private sector, I am a founding member of the Brookings Institution next generation board (the Robert S. Brookings Society) of which I am currently a member, and am also a member of Chatham House (the Royal Institute of International Affairs). I sit on the youth board of Global Kids, a non-profit organization in New York which teaches inner city youth in New York City about the world and cultivates a new pack of foreign policy leaders among youth in New York. I have, in the past, been appointed a "Next America Fellow" by the Center for Strategic and International Studies, and did an internship at the Council on Foreign Relations while I was in college. I'd love to have the opportunity to contribute my spare time to Secretary Clinton's campaign, whether it be in the form of helping to write position papers or helping with her foreign policy effort in any way. As you had suggested this sort of engagement as a useful endeavor when we met, I was hoping you would kindly be able to put me in touch with the appropriate people. I realize there may be no formal structure just yet, but I'll await your guidance as to how best to proceed.

Many thanks, as always for your advice and guidance - I greatly appreciate it, as always. Wishing you and the family a terrific Labor Day and start to the fall.

All my best,

Mustafa

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All of this looks great -- would only change the "what causes autism" phrase -- since several people in the advocacy community are wary of any rhetoric connected to causation. (One possibility: change "about what causes autism" to "about how the brains of children with autism develop") -- thanks,

Vivek

On Mon, Jan 4, 2016 at 3:21 PM, Ann O'Leary <aoleary@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Thanks, Megan. Here are a few edits on the autism rollout section.

On Mon, Jan 4, 2016 at 9:25 AM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi all --

These are for tomorrow's 3 town halls in Iowa. Like today and yesterday, it's the closing argument and call to action, with a separate section on the news of the day -- in this case, autism.

Please send edits by 5pm.

Thanks!

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Congratulations on this great and most well-deserved recognition, Sherm!

Warmest regards, Bill

Sent from [Outlook](#)

On Sat, Oct 31, 2015 at 10:36 AM -0700, "Wallace J. Mlyniec" <mlyniec@law.georgetown.edu> wrote:

Dear Colleagues,

I am happy to report that Sherman Cohn is this year's winner of the Georgetown Alumni Association's Faculty Recognition Award. We all know of Sherm's long term service to the Law Center and the University and his dedication to teaching and to his students. As Sue Bloch wrote in Sherm's biography for the Community of Scholars project,

"When asked to perform a task for alma mater, Sherm asks but two questions – "is the cause valuable? Can I help?" If the answer to those questions is yes, his answer is predictable. 'Yes, I will do it with 100 percent of my energy.'"

To that I would add, "With that answer, the results are preordained. Georgetown will be better off and all of us will be better colleagues and people because of Sherman's efforts, wisdom, kindness, and love."

Wally Mlyniec

From: Michael Karam [mailto:mekaram@verizon.net]
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All,
I am very happy to report that Professor Sherman Cohn, (F'54, L'57, L'60) has been selected as a recipient of the 2016 Faculty Recognition Award. Each of you played a key part in Sherm's selection by writing in support of his nomination and I want to thank you for that. If you would like to congratulate Sherm on his selection, his email address is "cohn@law.georgetown.edu." Sherm will receive his award on Friday, February 5, 2016, in Washington, D.C., at the Georgetown University Alumni Association Service Recognition Awards Banquet. For more information about this event, please visit [Georgetown Alumni Online](#) in mid-December.

All the best in Blue and Grey!
Michael

-----Original Message-----

From: "Bill Reynolds C79 & Bob Barone C84, M'88"
Date: Oct 30, 2015 5:23:07 PM
Subject: 2016 Alumni Recognition & Faculty Award Recipients
To: "Michael Karam" <mekaram@verizon.net>



We are pleased to announce the recipients of the 2016 Alumni Recognition and Faculty Awards. These individuals have demonstrated outstanding leadership and dedication to Georgetown University. In recognition of their service, we are proud to add these alumni to the distinguished group of [Georgetown University Alumni Association awardees](#). ;

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2016 Alumni Recognition and Faculty Award Winners ;

Apollonian Alumni Award ;

Alfred LaPorta, D.D.S. (D'87) – Goldens Bridge, New York ;

Founders Alumni Award ;

Roni Wechsler Ford, M.D. (M'89) – Gaithersburg, Maryland
 Joanne Kechejian, M.D. (MS'85, M'89) – Northport, New York
 Michael Sharkey, M.D. (M'85) – Richmond Hill, Georgia
 Theodore Steinman, M.D. (M'64) – Brookline, Massachusetts

William Gaston Alumni Award ;

Joseph Amato (B'84) – Essex Fells, New Jersey
 Vincent Dwyer III (C'70) – Jefferson, Maine
 Michelle Mauboussin (B'86) – Darien, Connecticut

1820 Graduate Award ;

Laura Ferris Anderson (I'89, MBA'97, MPP'97) – Chicago, Illinois
 Lisa Barry (MSFS'79) – Chevy Chase, Maryland

Reed Alumni Award ;

Patrick Grant (C'73, L'77) – Bethesda, Maryland

Faculty Recognition Award ;

Prof. Sherman Cohn (F'54, L'57, L'60) – Chevy Chase, Maryland
 Prof. Donald Knowlan, M.D. (R'60, W'82, H'04) – Fairfax, Virginia

Young Alumni Service Award ;

Omari Faulkner (C'04) – Bluemont, Virginia

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For detailed descriptions and criteria for each award, please visit [Georgetown Alumni Online](#).

These awards will be bestowed on Friday, February 5, 2016, in Washington, D.C., at the Georgetown University Alumni Association Service Recognition Awards Banquet. For more information about this event, please visit [Georgetown Alumni Online](#) in mid-December. ;

Our congratulations to all of the deserving award recipients and a special thanks to all who submitted nominations. The accomplishments and records of service of Georgetown leaders are unending and inspiring. ;

Best regards,

10/18/2016



Bill Reynolds (C'79, Parent'10, '13) ;
Associate Vice President, Alumni Relations & Annual Fund ;
Executive Director, Georgetown University Alumni Association

 Bob Barone signature

Bob Barone (C'84, M'88) ;
Awards Committee Chair, Georgetown University Alumni Association

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From: ["Mitch Stewart, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>](mailto:info@barackobama.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/18/2010 3:35:53 PM

Subject: Video: What the Recovery Act did

 Organizing for America

John --

Just over a year ago, thanks in part to your organizing, President Obama was able to sign the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act into law.

The Recovery Act wasn't a silver bullet, but it's very good policy. It cut taxes for 95% of working families to give them a leg up as they fight to get by. It invested in our nation's infrastructure and clean energy. It gave tax breaks to small businesses to help hire workers, and it helped out state and local governments -- including local police departments like the one in Englewood, Colorado, which was able to hire officers like Eddie B., whose story is below.

We've got a lot more work to do. But as many as 2.4 million Americans are working now who would otherwise be unemployed, and we're breaking the back of the recession.

We put together a video explaining where we were just one year ago, and what the Recovery Act has done for our country. [Watch it here.](#)

 [Road to Recovery: Watch the video](#)

In the three months prior to the Act, the nation lost 2.2 million jobs. The financial system was collapsing, and the "Great Recession" was being recognized for what it was -- the worst economic downturn since the Great Depression.

But since the Act's passage, Americans of all stripes have been able to get back to work. One example of what the Recovery Act made possible is the story of Eddie B., from Englewood, Colorado.

He graduated from police academy in 2009. Without the Recovery Act, he and his classmates would have had to wait for two years before being hired into the police department -- but stimulus funds led to him being hired immediately. In Eddie's words, "the President, with the Recovery Act, gave me the opportunity to serve my community and help the people I live with."

The success of the Recovery Act is composed of millions of stories like Eddie's -- of folks getting to work who wouldn't otherwise be in their jobs, families able to buy their first home because of the homeowner's tax credit, and much more.

Please check out the video we put together, and pass it along to 5 friends:

<http://my.barackobama.com/RecoveryVideo>

Thank you,

Mitch

Mitch Stewart
Director
Organizing for America

South Capitol Street SE, Washington, D.C.
20003. This communication is not authorized
by any candidate or candidate's committee.

This email was sent to: john.podesta@gmail.com

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From:	"Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>
To:	"Speech Drafts" <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com>
Date:	3/1/2016 12:42:34 PM
Subject:	Latest draft for tonight
Attachments:	2016-03-01 Super Tuesday Remarks - 745pm.docx

From:

[LinkedIn <messages-noreply@linkedin.com>](#)

To:

["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](#)

Date:

11/2/2015 12:00:54 PM

Subject:

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Brynne Craig" <bcraig@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:bcraig@hrcoffice.com)
["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)
Date: 4/11/2015 10:48:05 AM
Subject: Fwd: Latina for Clinton Campaign

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

Begin forwarded message:

From: Yol-Itzma Aguirre <yolitzma.a@gmail.com>
Date: April 11, 2015 at 5:11:52 PM EDT
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: Latina for Clinton Campaign

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Un abrazo fuerte (big hugs)

Yolitzma

On Apr 11, 2015 4:10 PM, "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I will pass this along to the right people.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Apr 11, 2015, at 4:32 PM, Yol-Itzma Aguirre <yolitzma.a@gmail.com> wrote:

Hello most esteemed Professor Podesta,

I am so sorry to be reaching out so randomly, I am currently the Director of Communications & Special Events for Latino Leaders Magazine...we travel across the nation interviewing the top ranking & up coming influential Latinos. However, long before that I was a "newsie." I worked as a morning show newsroom producer and my first major election was the 2008 historic campaign. From that moment my love for politics made it's debut, I poured my heart and soul into the coverage...I campaigned in my hometown for Hillary. I have saved my 2008 Hillary poster from that time, because even then...I KNEW one day I would see her win. Since 2008, I have followed the Clinton trail, and with each career move I have tried to climb one step closer. I will move anywhere, I want to be part of this team. I have a tremendous amount of experience in communications and public relations, above that I have a very strong networking pool in the major Latino cities. I have build our magazine's presence in cities where Latinos dominated and in cities where Latinos are still the minority. I know how to gather people. It has been etched in my soul that should Hillary Rodham Clinton ever run again, I would be on her campaign team. Any position, big or small would be an honor.

I once read a quote, *"Life does not give you what you want or what you love, life will only give you what you fight for or what you are willing to accept."* It is with that fighting spirit,

that I reach out to you now, for this is what I love and what I am willing to fight for. I hope this message reaches you...I would love to continue this conversation. Thank you deeply for you time.

sincerely,
Yolitzma

<Yolitzma Yvette Aguirre_Resume 2015.doc>

<cover letter- 2015.docx>

From: ["Eli Pariser" <eli@moveon.org>](mailto:eli@moveon.org)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 2/19/2008 9:36:47 AM
Subject: RE: FW: Iraq 08 draft advisory.doc

Korb would be great if he's up for making the priorities argument. Can he make it?

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2008 4:15 PM
To: Eli Pariser
Subject: Re: FW: Iraq 08 draft advisory.doc

I'm in the air at that time. Brian Katulis is in Pakistan. Korb?
Faiz? Palmeiri? As a stand in?

On 2/19/08, Eli Pariser <eli@moveon.org> wrote:

> John,
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> As you've probably heard, we're pushing forward on the Iraq front with
> a new campaign focused on the economic cost of the war -- bringing
> together those two issues.
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> US Action's anteing up with over \$10m in program, and SEIU and MoveOn
> are on board as well. We'll be doing some serious advertising work in
> this frame as well as events and other activities.
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> We're kicking this off at 1pm on Thursday in a tele-press conference
> (phone only), and I'm hoping you can join -- I think it'll send a
> strong message of movement unity if all of the AAEI principals are there.
>
> Can you make it?
>
> --Eli
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> -----Original Message-----

> From: tmatzzie@gmail.com [mailto:tmatzzie@gmail.com] On Behalf Of Tom
> Matzzie
> Sent: Tuesday, February 19, 2008 12:59 PM
> To: Eli Pariser
> Subject: Fwd: Iraq 08 draft advisory.doc
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> ----- Forwarded message -----

> From: Moira Mack <moira@hildebrandtewes.com>
> Date: Feb 19, 2008 12:43 PM
> Subject: Iraq 08 draft advisory.doc
> To: Tom Matzzie <tom@zzranch.com>, Nita Chaudhary <nita@moveon.org>
> Cc: martin@hildebrandtewes.com
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> Please feel free to use this and or the memo in your outreach to CAP
> and SEIU.
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> Please reply to all with changes to the advisory so Martin can
incorporate.
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> Thanks!
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From: "[Clinton Foundation Press Office](mailto:press@clintonfoundation.org)" <press@clintonfoundation.org>
To: "[Clinton Foundation Press Office](mailto:press@clintonfoundation.org)" <press@clintonfoundation.org>
Date: 10/3/2015 8:26:11 AM
Subject: Note from Donna Shalala

Many of you have asked how Donna is doing so we are pleased to be able to share the reassuring news that Donna has made great progress and her condition continues to improve.

So much so that on Friday she sent the note below from the hospital to Clinton Foundation staff along with her weekly update on our colleagues' work.

She asked that we convey her appreciation for your thoughts and well wishes and hopes to see you all soon.

- Craig Minassian

From: Donna Shalala
Sent: Friday, October 02, 2015 6:28 PM
To: Donna Shalala <dshalala@clintonfoundation.org>
Subject: This Week

Hi everyone,

You didn't think anything could keep me away from you for that long, did you? Thanks to the excellent care I've been receiving and the tremendous outpouring of love and support from all of you, I'm feeling strong and eager to get back into the swing of things. I'm looking forward to getting back to work very soon, and until then, just keep being your amazing selves and continue making a difference in people's lives!

Below find our initiative updates thanks to all of you who submitted them to Kate and Allie. Congrats to CGI team – lots of great Annual Meeting highlights!

This morning, President Clinton joined nearly 1000 guests who gathered on the grounds of the **CPC** to celebrate the opening of the Center's newest permanent installation, The Anne Frank Tree. A partnership between the Clinton Foundation and Sisterhood of Congregation B'nai Israel, and in conjunction with the Anne Frank Center USA's "Sapling Project," the new installation conveys the complex history of human rights in Arkansas and throughout the world. Guests at today's ceremony included more than 700 local school children, family of Holocaust survivors, members of the Quapaw, Japanese Americans who were interned during World War II, and relatives of the Little Rock Nine. The program included remarks by Stephanie Streett; Lexi Elenzweig, president of Federation of Temple Youth at Congregation B'nai Israel; Ronald Leopold, executive director of the Anne Frank House; and a keynote speech by President Clinton. Find out more and see photos of the installation [at this link](#).

The 2015 CGI Annual Meeting concluded on Tuesday. Over four days, **CGI** members [announced](#) 123 new Commitments to Action, expected to impact more than 15 million lives around the world when fully funded and implemented.

Here are some press highlights from the Annual Meeting:

- The [Chronicle of Philanthropy](#) wrote extensively on the Annual Meeting, the unique commitment model, and how commitment-makers are positively impacting lives around the world.
- A [New York Times](#) article explained how, through a CGI commitment, the New York City public advocate's office is working to make sure nail salons are safe to both employees and patrons. Retweet the piece [here](#).
- A piece for [National Geographic](#) discusses how a new partnership, "Blue Guardians," which was formed through a CGI commitment, is helping to "protect oceans and enable blue economies." **CGI** is one of the partners on the commitment. Share the piece [here](#).
- Quartz wrote about a commitment [by Google and Aclima](#) to map air pollution in California.
- A piece in [Fortune](#) discussed a commitment from Gap Inc. to expand life skills training for female garment workers.
- Forbes explained how the [NHL's Tampa Bay Lightning committed](#) to develop the neighborhood surrounding their arena "into the first health- and wellness-focused neighborhood anywhere in the world." Retweet the article [here](#).
- Vanity Fair explains how supermodel [Natalia Vodianova's CGI commitment](#), a mobile app, serves as a "platform that brings the power of social and the digital world to charities to connect with people around the world."
- A coalition of CGI members and others committed to launch the [Working Parent Support Coalition](#), a group of companies who are banding together to commit to improve their parental leave and support programs. Fortune explained how Nestle, one of the companies in the consortium, announced "is launching a study that will collect data on the number of employees who use its parental leave and protection policy and how many of those employees remain at Nestlé six, 12 and 18 months after returning from leave."
- The [Huffington Post](#) covered a CGI panel in which Code to Inspire founder and CEO Fereshteh Forough and MIT professor and biomedical engineer Sangeeta Bhatia discussed how their organization will teach girls in Afghanistan "how to code and program in a safe place, without fear, and prepare them for future employment opportunities." Panel participant Fereshteh Forough also penned a piece for [Elite Daily](#) on the topic.
- The Huffington Post also covered the [CGI Closing Plenary](#), during which President Clinton, Alibaba chairman Jack Ma, and

Theranos founder Elizabeth Holmes discussed how technology can increase economic development around the world.

- At the Annual Meeting. VICE CEO and co-founder Shane Smith moderated a “Sustainable Oceans” panel with actor Ted Danson, oceanographer Sylvia Earle, Executive Director of the Mesoamerican Reef Fund Maria José González, and President of the Republic of Seychelles, James Michel. Watch the online broadcast [here](#) .

In addition to the **CCI** Blue Guardians Commitment to Action announcement on Monday with DigitalGlobe, SIDS DOCK, the World Bank, Waitt Institute, The Nature Conservancy, and other partners, this week, Dymphna van der Lans gave remarks at the United Nations for over 15 Heads of State and Foreign Ministers at the ratification of SIDS DOCK as a new UN intergovernmental organization. President Clinton and CCI were recognized by several Prime Ministers for providing ongoing support to small island nations through the CCI Resilient Communities renewable energy program, and going forward with the Blue Guardians partnership as well.

On Tuesday, **No Ceilings** and the Center for Universal Education at Brookings hosted “Accelerating Progress in Girls’ Education,” an event celebrating the anniversary of the CHARGE initiative. The event featured remarks and panel discussions with former Australian Prime Minister Julia Gillard, as well as No Ceilings director Terri McCullough. Thirteen new partners were announced, bringing the total to 50 partners committing \$800 million over five years to support girls' secondary education. That morning, No Ceilings and CGI co-hosted “From Access to Assets: Advancing Women’s Financial Opportunity” to discuss how CGI members and industry leaders can identify strategies, mobilize communities, and replicate best practices to increase financial literacy and access for women. Also at CGI, No Ceilings released new data visualizations on noceilings.org that give an overview of the status of gender equality across key indicators on a global, regional, and local scale and allow viewers to compare them country by country.

CGEP’s supply chain enterprise in Haiti, Acceso Haiti’s purchasing activities started in the north last week with average farmer yields averaging more than 900 kg of peanuts per hectare, a 100% increase from typical yields. Season two activities are underway with 588 peanut, 410 sorghum and 262 castor seed farmers contracted. This brings our total farmers trained and contracted for the year to over 3000 farmers.

This week, **CDI** received an offer from Tractors and Farm Equipment Limited (TAFE), a global manufacturer of farm equipment ideal for smallholder operations, agreed to donate full sets of tractors and equipment to both CDI Malawi and CDI Tanzania. With this advanced mechanization, CDI is expanding its curriculum to present an entirely new set of opportunities to farmers who have now moved well beyond subsistence agriculture and are ready to become small-scale commercial farmers. To date, this equipment is not available in either country, making CDI the first and only organization to demonstrate it. CDI’s goal is to help establish an equipment leasing business that will cater to smallholder farmers in this advanced group.

On September 29th, **CHMI**'s Community Health Transformation program in Houston, Texas convened their Leadership Council which is comprised of 35 executive level stakeholders to help advance goals within our local Blueprint for Action. Represented at the convening were delivery systems from both major hospitals and community clinics, appointed officials, community based organizations, law enforcement, academia, medical associations, financial institutions, and built environment in public health experts. As a next step, the Leadership Council, with ongoing support from CHMI and our funding partner GE, will concentrate efforts on addressing systems gaps within the healthcare, healthy eating and built environment sectors. In addition, this week Media Planet featured an op-ed published by CHMI Deputy Director James Kallusky about how access to sports is [vital in addressing childhood obesity](#).

Have a great weekend.

Donna

From: "[Megan Rouse](#)" <meganrouse@gmail.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](#)

Date: 10/8/2015 1:41:38 PM

Subject: Debate prep

Strikes me as odd for someone to shun debate prep. If it's like an interview, usually the folks that are the most serious take the time to prepare. And practice.

<http://www.politico.com/story/2015/10/bernie-sanders-democratic-debates-214538>

On Tuesday I had to give a 2 min speech to city council about a controversial land deal. I practiced out loud too many times to count, and had also had a few folks read my remarks to edit. Practice was worth it, I felt good about it after.

I'm rooting for Hillary. And I appreciate that she's practicing for us.

Megan

From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

To: [H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:hdr29@hrcoffice.com)

Date: 8/6/2015 2:45:57 PM

Subject: Re: Earl Blumenauer

We will loop back with him tomorrow. And he's a super delegate, so we definitely want his endorsement!

Thank you for flagging!

> On Aug 6, 2015, at 9:37 PM, H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

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> He wants to support me on policy and fundraising specifically by helping on how to talk about marijuana and the need for fair taxes and banking and on animal welfare concerns which he says are the sleeper issues that will turn out young people and motivate voters.

> He has a lot of ideas about what I could do which would be the first time these interests are organized for a presidential campaign. And several states--NV, OH and FL--will have marijuana initiatives on the ballot in 2016.

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> Also he has a bill to raise the gas tax which has a lot of support.

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> He also believes we can raise very big money as well.

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> And he will endorse if we want.

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> Pls follow up and let me know what develops. Thx.

From: ["Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)

To: ["John Anzalone" <john@algpolling.com>](mailto:john@algpolling.com)

Date: 3/21/2015 5:38:29 PM

Subject: Re: TPA/TPP

More than middle class it should be making it sure it protects and creates American jobs

Sent from my iPad

On Mar 21, 2015, at 5:05 PM, John Anzalone john@algpolling.com > wrote:

Is the message we want to send that our middle class "competes on a fair playing field overseas" or that our middle class doesn't get screwed (not those words of course). I just think the issue of "fair trade" with normal folks goes in the category of the "deck stacked against them" so I think we should be more protective of foul play in anything she says. She is in their corner.

— John Anzalone

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From: Robby Mook robbymook2015@gmail.com >

Date: Saturday, March 21, 2015 at 3:57 PM

To: Jake Sullivan jake.sullivan@gmail.com >

Cc: John Podesta john.podesta@gmail.com >, Jennifer Palmieri jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com >, Kristina Schake kristinakschake@gmail.com >, Dan Schwerin dschwerin@hrcoffice.com >, Joel Beneneson jbenenson@bsgco.com >, Jim Margolis Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com >, Mindy Grunwald gruncom@aol.com >, John Anzalone john@algpolling.com >

Subject: Re: TPA/TPP

That's a relief to hear that you don't think it's moving. If that's the case, I completely agree she should keep her powder dry.

On the quote--and I agree she should have one ready for the event--I would maybe be more specific along the lines of "there have to be clear groundrules in these agreements that other countries must abide by the same labor standards and environmental protections that we do here so our middle class competes on a fair playing field overseas. I'm certain Americans can out compete anyone, but everyone needs to play by the same rules". Others can say that better than me.

On Sat, Mar 21, 2015 at 4:45 PM, Jake Sullivan jake.sullivan@gmail.com > wrote:

Robby - my sense is that the support isn't there now. But that could change. I'm open to doing the letter in the next week or so. But I would prefer to avoid this at the event Monday and we've been told by both cap and aft that they don't expect it to come up.

If it does come up, I would love guidance from the comms folks. As a straw man, let me throw this out:

"The details really matter. I believe that there is a way to do this right. I want to make sure that trade legislation and trade deals look out for the middle class. That's why the details really matter. I'll have more to say on this in the days to come."

Then I would have us do the letter.

> On Mar 21, 2015, at 4:16 PM, Robby Mook robbymook2015@gmail.com > wrote:

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> Simas called--few updates:
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> --This week, they're releasing a letter from former DNC chairs endorsing the deal
> --Deval Patrick and Tom Daschle are going to roll out a progressive coalition supporting it
> --They've been told she's going to get asked about TPA/TPP at the Saunders event...I don't think Lee would ever try to screw her, but I can see someone else doing it.
>
> Three questions:
> 1. Do we think this thing is actually going to move--or can we just hang back?
> 2. If we do think it's moving, do we want her to announce her support via letter before we announce the campaign so we can press "reset" with labor during announcement?
> 3. What should we prep her to say at the AFSCME event?
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From: ["Mary Kay Henry" <marykay.henry@seiu.org>](mailto:marykay.henry@seiu.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/17/2015 6:45:23 AM

Subject: Onward!

We're ready!

Let's go!

Sent from my iPhone

> On Nov 17, 2015, at 12:28 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> we'll be there with you too.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Judge Richard Leon" <Richard_leon@dcd.uscourts.gov>](mailto:Richard_leon@dcd.uscourts.gov)
["Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)
Date: 6/19/2015 11:53:46 AM
Subject: Fwd: Thank you.
Attachments: FINAL PAPER.docx

Dick
Can you read this one
John

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "Ali Zaidi" <aaz25@georgetown.edu>
Date: Jun 19, 2015 4:19 PM
Subject: Thank you.
To: "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

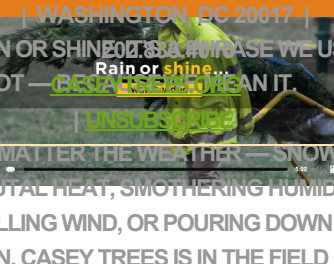
Dear Professor Podesta,

Attached you will find my final paper. My very sincerest thanks to you and Judge Leon for an incredibly memorable seminar.

I hope and expect our paths will cross.

My best always,

Ali

A person wearing a bright yellow rain suit and a yellow hat is working in a field. They are holding a long, thin tool, possibly a chainsaw or a similar cutting tool, and are positioned near a large tree trunk. The background is a blurred natural setting with trees and foliage. The image is used as a background for a text overlay.

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A LOT — **RAIN OR SHINE...**
WE MEAN IT.
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CHILLING WIND, OR POURING DOWN
RAIN, CASEY TREES IS IN THE FIELD RE-
TREERING D.C.

THAT IS WHY EACH FALL, WINTER, AND SPRING, WE ARE HAND-DIGGING HOLES TO PLACE NEARLY 2,500 NEW TREES — EVEN IN THE MOST CHALLENGING CONDITIONS. AND RETURNING IN THE STIFLING HOT SUMMERS TO WATER AND MULCH THEM.



From: "Michael Huttner \(\LinkedIn Invitations\)\" <invitations@linkedin.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 4/5/2011 1:42:42 AM

Subject: Reminder about your invitation from Michael Huttner

LinkedIn

This is a reminder that on April 4, Michael Huttner sent you an invitation to become part of his or her professional network at LinkedIn.

Follow this link to accept Michael Huttner's invitation.

https://www.linkedin.com/e/2gjb5a-gm4kzrqj-12/doi/2627261276/HReQuS5x/gir_481472812_0/EML-inv_17_rem/

Signing up is free and takes less than a minute.

On April 4, Michael Huttner wrote:

> To: [john.podesta@gmail.com]
> From: Michael Huttner [Michael@huttner.org]
> Subject: Michael Huttner wants to stay in touch on LinkedIn

> I'd like to add you to my professional network on LinkedIn.

>

> - Michael Huttner

The only way to get access to Michael Huttner's professional network on LinkedIn is through the following link:

https://www.linkedin.com/e/2gjb5a-gm4kzrqj-12/doi/2627261276/HReQuS5x/gir_481472812_0/EML-inv_17_rem/

You can remove yourself from Michael Huttner's network at any time.

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From: "Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>

To: podesta.mary@gmail.com

Date: 1/23/2016 11:17:30 PM

Subject: Re: This morning

Amazing. It looks like Truckee, not DC.

On Sunday, January 24, 2016, podesta.mary@gmail.com <podesta.mary@gmail.com> wrote:

Looking out from living room window as I came downstairs just now.

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Gabe Podesta

From: "Ilyse G. Hogue, NARAL Pro-Choice America" <can@prochoiceamerica.org>

To: "John Podesta" <John.Podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/1/2015 1:35:42 PM

Subject: Re: Giving Tuesday: All donations MATCHED



#GIVINGTUESDAY™

John--There are just a few hours left in Giving Tuesday, and we're still \$10,000 short of our goal. [Will you chip in? All Giving Tuesday donations are matched 100%!](#)

Dear John,

Two weeks ago, the Supreme Court announced that it would take up what could be the biggest abortion case since *Roe v. Wade*--deciding whether to allow states to end access to abortion by simply shutting down every abortion clinic in the state.

With so much at stake and facing violent anti-abortion extremists like we saw this weekend in Colorado, we're going all-in by hiring a team of full-time organizers to focus exclusively on saving access to abortion at the Supreme Court.

This Giving Tuesday, we've set a goal of raising \$50,000 to make sure we have the resources to keep fighting--and ALL Giving Tuesday donations will be matched by a generous NARAL Pro-Choice America donor. Will you chip in \$15?

[Click here to make a Giving Tuesday donation. All Giving Tuesday donations will be matched 100%.](#)

With your help, here's what the team of NARAL Pro-Choice America organizers we're hiring will be able to do:

- Organize grassroots actions so the court and the media hear loud and clear from the 7 in 10 Americans who support safe and legal abortion.
- Educate the public so people understand what's at stake and how to get involved.
- Make sure the public understands what this is really all about: well-funded, organized opponents of abortion rights dedicated to ending legal abortion in our country.

The stakes couldn't be higher. If we lose, the constitutional right to choose won't be worth the paper it's written on. Will you help us reach our Giving Tuesday goal by chipping in \$15?

[Click here to make a Giving Tuesday donation. All Giving Tuesday donations will be matched 100%.](#)

Thank you for helping to make reproductive freedom real for all women.



Ilyse G. Hogue
President, NARAL Pro-Choice America

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Tammy Murphy" <tammy.murphy@murphyendeavors.com>
Date: 5/20/2014 7:30:07 PM
Subject: Re: NJ Star Ledger newspapers

This is great. Look forward to helping. One suggestion--resist the press's obsession to make this about your motivation/reasons for running and keep coming back to making this about helping the middle class succeed.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On May 20, 2014, at 8:59 PM, Tammy Murphy <tammy.murphy@murphyendeavors.com> wrote:

Hi again, John. In case you are interested and as you can see from the below, the article was posted on line as expected tonight. It is a bit rough (for example, millions vs. billions, etc.) but essentially what will appear in print tomorrow. For your reading pleasure...

http://www.nj.com/politics/index.ssf/2014/05/former_ambassador_to_germany_seriously_considers_bid_for_nj_governor.html

From: Tammy Murphy <tammy.murphy@murphyendeavors.com> >
Date: Tuesday, May 20, 2014 at 4:10 PM
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >
Subject: NJ Star Ledger newspaper

Hi John,

Just a quick heads up that a piece is coming later today on Phil and me re our plans, etc. in Star Ledger on line. Thank you again for a great dinner last week!

Tammy xo

From: ["Mary Pat Bonner" <mpbonner@bonnergrp.com>](mailto:mpbonner@bonnergrp.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["John Podesta" <jpodesta@americanprogress.org>](mailto:jpodesta@americanprogress.org)
Date: 8/5/2008 10:10:09 AM
Subject: PA - Budinger Bill 8-08.doc
Attachments: PA - Budinger Bill 8-08.doc

John,

Bill Budinger would love to see you while you are in Aspen. as you know, he and his foundation are huge education funders and I think could be helpful to CAP. he is also very interested in Free trade. He is free to meet with you on Thursday between 2 and 5 if you can squeeze him in. I think it would be a really good thing for you to do.

Thanks,

MP

From: "Chris Lu" <clu@barackobama.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 9/11/2008 9:01:43 AM
Subject: RE: a couple transition documents

He called yesterday to find out where to send the checks. I left him a message with the address, so they should be coming in shortly.

Chris Lu
clu@barackobama.com
(312) 505-4864 (cell)

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 11, 2008 5:00 PM
To: Chris Lu
Subject: Re: a couple transition documents

I'm going to see lou sussman tonight. Is his \$ coming in?

On 9/11/08, Chris Lu <clu@barackobama.com> wrote:

> 1) At our last meeting, I believe there was some discussion of
the
> "no ego" memo that the agency review team has sent to its members.
> Attached is the memo.
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> 2) The research assistants have spent the past few days
cataloguing
> all Bush executive orders. When they are done, their memo will be
> provided to the agency review teams as well as the policy teams. In
the
> meantime, Carol has had some folks looking at executive orders
affecting
> the environment. Attached is that memo.
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From: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)
To: ["Fran Shapiro" <fran@mercedesberk.com>](mailto:fran@mercedesberk.com)
Date: 12/13/2015 1:26:37 PM
Subject: Re: Showing today 3:45

In Belgrade
No problem

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 13, 2015, at 9:24 PM, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

Have someone who wants to see it in about 30 mins - hope that's OK! On my way!

Fran

On Dec 11, 2015, at 10:25 PM, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Going from Hanukkah to Belgrade where they celebrate Christmas in January
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Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 12, 2015, at 4:26 AM, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

Shalom :)

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On Dec 11, 2015, at 9:02 PM, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

I'm in Israel

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 12, 2015, at 3:52 AM, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

11:30 tomorrow morning.

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On Dec 11, 2015, at 3:56 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Fine

On Friday, December 11, 2015, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:
Ok by me

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2015, at 10:47 PM, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com> wrote:

Hello

If OK for you, I'm scheduling for morning/mid-day TBD both tomorrow, 12/12, and next Sun 12/20.

Thanks
Fran

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From:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To:	"Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
Date:	12/28/2014 6:13:29 AM
Subject:	Julie

Saw her pic in this or last weeks Enquirer. Probably need to revisit our Whitehaven conversation.

From: "Kendall, David" <DKendall@wc.com>
To: cheryl.mills@gmail.com
"Turner, Katherine" <KTurner@wc.com>
hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com
Date: 3/7/2015 7:14:50 PM
Subject: Re: Can you be available late tonight?

I'll be on.

From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]
Sent: Saturday, March 07, 2015 09:13 PM
To: Turner, Katherine; Kendall, David; Heather Samuelson <hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com>
Cc: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>
Subject: Can you be available late tonight?

HRC is not free until 11pm at the earliest.

If we have everything done and circualted to her, she would like to do a call tonight.

That means the 930pm call John/PIR is doing to touch base with the consultants will be a call to say that we are still working through content with her and what time should we do a call with them all tomorrow once we have content she is comfortable with rather than anything more until we have something to share.

If you all can be free for a call with her between 11pm - 12am, I am inclined to make sure we send her updated material by 1030pm and tell her we will get on with her at 1130pm.

Will that work for you all?

cdm

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To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 5/22/2015 11:06:42 AM

Subject: Re: SEIU wage event

Hi, I'm checking in with them and just waiting to hear back. Will let you know asap. Nikki

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 22, 2015, at 5:51 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Team--John said that Mary Kay Henry was willing to have HRC participate in the wage event by video. Aside from other considerations, I was wondering if this conference is set up by SEIU or if it's a pan-labor event. If there are a number of unions involved, I'd feel differently than if it's just SEIU. Anyone know?

From: "Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Karen Finney" <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 11/24/2015 2:41:16 PM

Subject: Re: FOR ASAP REVIEW: STATEMENT ON SHOOTING OF LAQUAN McDONALD

We are holding for now

On Nov 24, 2015, at 9:40 PM, Karen Finney <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 24, 2015, at 8:55 PM, Emily Aden <eaden@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Good for research

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 24, 2015, at 8:06 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

All, below is a draft statement on events in Chicago, written in consultation with Maya and Marlon. We need to move fast on this, so please send any edits or concerns ASAP.

Thanks

Dan

STATEMENT ON SHOOTING OF LAQUAN MCDONALD

The video released tonight is appalling and heartbreaking. I am praying for the family of Laquan McDonald and all the people of Chicago. They deserve justice and accountability. They deserve a city where everyone can live with dignity, free from fear. The mothers I met recently in Chicago are right: we cannot go on like this. No more parents should have to bury their children. No more communities should feel the pain of violence. And as Mayor Emanuel said, no one is above the law.

We have a lot of work to do to make our criminal justice system actually deliver justice, and to rebuild the trust that outrages like the death of this young man has ripped away. All over America, there are police officers honorably doing their duty, demonstrating how to protect the public without resorting to unnecessary force. We need to learn from those examples. The killing of Laquan McDonald, coming on the heels of so many other young African Americans taken too soon, should compel us to confront the reality that communities of color face every day. People are making their voices heard across the country and we have to listen to what they're saying. We have to hear their pain, their anger, and their call for change.

Tonight let there be peace and prayers. Tomorrow, let us press forward toward progress.

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From: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/27/2016 4:34:34 PM
Subject: Ben's relatives

Are caucusing for Hillary. He has an aunt and an uncle near Iowa City. Who can I bug to see if Hillary is going anywhere near there between now and Monday. I'd love to set them up at an event.

Sorry to bother you!

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/5/2015 7:33:02 AM

Subject: Bill Daley / Duckworth ?

from Marlon -

HRC gave her props at a event in IL and said "should be the next Senator from Illinois!" etc

Wasn't a full fledged endorsement and wasn't in her talking points and we haven't sent anything out on it publicly.

But it was reported on in the press as an endorsement

From: ["Steve Phillips" <steve@powerpac.org>](mailto:steve@powerpac.org)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/6/2015 4:28:31 AM
Subject: Re: My book!

Thank you! It's on the way.

The publisher is looking for a "lead quote" for the sales document of 40 words or less.

Much appreciated,
Steve

On Mon, Jan 5, 2015 at 10:15 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
Happy to do. Send a manuscript to my house. 3743 Brandywine St NW. WDC 20016

On Jan 4, 2015 10:19 PM, "Steve Phillips" <steve@powerpac.org> wrote:
Hi John - Thanks for being willing to give us a quote for the book. I really appreciate it. I have a draft I can share (still prob just 80% done, but it'll give you a good feel). Herb said I should ask you how you'd like to receive it. I can send a hard copy to your house or email you what I submitted.

Thanks!
Steve

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From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 6/3/2014 1:10:52 PM

Subject: FW: John Oliver Net Neutrality - Business Insider

This is a “must watch”
Do you really miss me?

From: Sandler, Jim

Sent: Tuesday, June 03, 2014 12:51 PM

To: Sandler, Herbert

Subject: John Oliver Net Neutrality - Business Insider

<http://www.businessinsider.com/john-oliver-net-neutrality-2014-6>

From: john.podesta@gmail.com
To: "[Anita Dunn](mailto:adunn@barackobama.com)" <adunn@barackobama.com>
"[Jennifer Palmieri](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>
Date: 10/22/2008 7:10:50 AM
Subject: Re: Good morning, Robert

I think we should knock this down. This is Bush putting it out. Only helps them. We want to stay 1000 miles away from Kashkari. And we can get people confirmed day 1 with or without Bush's help. I don't have Jason's email. Can you forward. I think we should say we are not going to discuss but this is fundamentally wrong. Maybe there are secret negotiations about Kashkari I don't know about, but seems crazy.

-----Original Message-----

From: Anita Dunn
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
To: Jennifer Palmieri
Sent: Oct 22, 2008 9:18 AM
Subject: FW: Good morning, Robert

Fyi - our guidance is as usual to say nothing

-----Original Message-----

From: Robert Gibbs
Sent: Wednesday, October 22, 2008 8:02 AM
To: Anita Dunn; Dan Pfeiffer; David Plouffe; David Axelrod (AKPD Media)
Subject: Fw: Good morning, Robert

Any guidance?

----- Original Message -----

From: Weisman, Jonathan <Jonathan.Weisman@wsj.com>
To: Robert Gibbs
Sent: Wed Oct 22 07:52:20 2008
Subject: Good morning, Robert

I meant to corner you last night on this. One of our dogged Treasury reporters got word that there is discussion within the Obama campaign that they will ask Bush (if Obama wins) to send some of the new president's nominees up for confirmation BEFORE inauguration day, so that some key posts could be confirmed before Obama even takes office. That would allow the government to hit the ground running in January. Dems would in exchange allow a vote on Colombia... they might also vote to confirm Kashkari (not sure why that would be important). There is also talk about Sheila Bair being given a prominent -- perhaps cabinet level -- post in the Obama administration.

The reporter is pursuing, but I would like some guidance. It could be a strong story about Obama economic crisis planning, and of course would be couched in all the "if he is elected" caveats.

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Date: 9/22/2015 11:13:01 AM
Subject: You're Invited! Celebration for Therese Stratton



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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 2/28/2015 2:12:39 PM

Subject: PENDING [John Podesta - 02/28/15]

Right now, with the GOP in charge of Congress, things are more of a circus than ever before.

That is why we NEED to ensure that President Obama has the support he needs to fight back against the GOP.

We're just 1,523 membership activations away from tonight's goal. But, John, your record is still pending. That's why we need you to activate your membership...before it's too late.

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To: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 4/16/2015 2:09:11 PM
Subject: Re: Trade Statement

One thought: do we need a sentence acknowledging her prior support for TPP?

Hillary has been on record in favor of an outcome that meets both these tests. But we should be willing to walk away from an outcome that falls short.

Or Robby is that a problem?

On Apr 16, 2015, at 9:01 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

How does this look to everyone?

Hillary believes that any new trade measure has to pass two tests: First, does it put us in a position to protect American workers, raise wages and create more good jobs at home? Second, does it also strengthen our national security? We should be willing to walk away from any outcome that falls short of these tests. The goal is greater prosperity and security for American families, not trade for trade's sake.

Hillary will be watching closely to see the result of a number of pivotal questions yet to be decided, including what is being done to crack down on currency manipulation and unfair competition by state-owned enterprises; to improve labor rights and protect the environment, public health, and access to life-saving medicines; and to open new opportunities for our family farms and small businesses to export their products and services overseas. And, as Hillary warned in her book, *Hard Choices*, we shouldn't be giving special rights to corporations at the expense of workers and consumers. Getting these things right will go a long way toward ensuring that trade will be a net plus for everyday Americans.

From: ["ABA Legal Technology Resource Center" <publishing@americanbar.org>](mailto:publishing@americanbar.org)

To: ["John D Podesta" <podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU>](mailto:podesta@LAW.GEORGETOWN.EDU)

Date: 11/13/2014 3:00:00 AM

Subject: The 2014 Executive Summary

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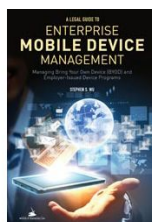
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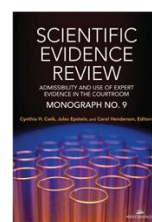
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Date: 8/21/2015 5:26:32 AM

Subject: Alice & Vivek Wedding Details

Attachments: Truckee to Sonoma-- Murthy:Chen Wedding.pdf

Hi John and Mary-

Here are the details for the Alice and Vivek's wedding reception on Saturday, which is (I think) the only part of the event you're planning on attending. PDF of driving directions from Truckee attached.

Let me know if you have any Qs or need additional info.

Thanks!

Milia

Saturday Ceremony and Reception on Saturday at 3-10pm

- Location: Cline Cellars, Great Lawn, 24737 Arnold Drive, Sonoma, CA 95476
- What to Wear: Your wedding clothes, of course! Cultural dress is welcome. We will be outdoors on the Great Lawn for the ceremony, cocktails, and dinner. Wear shoes that work on a lawn (like wedges or flats for gals). Bring a hat and sunglasses if you'd like. It will get cool toward the end of dinner, so the gals will likely want a sweater or shawl. Dancing and dessert will be indoors. By the end of the night, it will be cold leaving the dance area, so we recommend that everyone has a sweater or jacket!

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Milia Fisher

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Date: 7/15/2015 5:00:18 AM

Subject: [CANCELED] Weekly Long-Term Message Meeting

Dear all,

Tonight's 6-7pm Weekly Long-Term Message meeting is canceled. Thanks!

Kate

From: "[Joel Benenson](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>

To: "[Nick Merrill](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)" <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Date: 1/20/2015 8:15:58 PM

Subject: Re: SOTU Tweets

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 20, 2015, at 10:11 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Great. #3 with a small lead.

Going once...

On Jan 20, 2015, at 10:06 PM, Margolis, Jim <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com> wrote:

2 or 3
wouldn't do 1

From: Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Date: Tuesday, January 20, 2015 at 10:03 PM

To: GMMB GMMB <jim.margolis@gmmb.com>, Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com>

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Subject: SOTU Tweets

Some options. Edits welcome but would love to send her an option right after the speech. Appreciate the feedback.

1) I applaud @BarackObama's energetic #SOTU speech tonight. We must work together to keep fueling an American comeback. #FairShot #FairShare

2) POTUS pointed the way tonight toward an economy that works for everyone. Now we have to step up & deliver for middle class families. [#SOTU](#)

3) @BarackObama #SOTU pointed way to an economy that works for all. Now we need to step up & deliver for the middle class. #FairShotFairShare

On Jan 19, 2015, at 5:40 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Sounds good. Thank you all.

From: <Margolis>, Jim Margolis <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>

Date: Monday, January 19, 2015 at 5:37 PM

To: Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com>

Cc: Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>, NSM <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>, Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

Subject: Re: Press Updates

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I like that.

On Mon, Jan 19, 2015 at 5:13 PM, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com> wrote:
That is great

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On Jan 19, 2015, at 4:12 PM, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com> wrote:

Maybe:

What would MLK say today? Great strides but miles to go. We have to keep up the fight against injustice.

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On Jan 19, 2015, at 5:07 PM, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com> wrote:

What is missing is the "but there is much to still do."

Then I would add; we must match on against ...

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On Jan 19, 2015, at 3:41 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Hi All,

We've talked among the personal staff about HRC sending out a tweet to commemorate MLK Day, and the following is what we came up with. We wanted everyone to see it before it goes out in about 30 minutes.

"What would MLK say if he was alive today? Much progress has been made but we must march on against injustice & inequality. #MLKDay"

For context, here is what HRC tweeted last year:

"As a teenager I saw # MLK speak in Chicago & shook his hand. He urged us to stay engaged with the cause of justice. As vital as ever today."

Nick

From: NSM <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>
Date: Friday, January 16, 2015 at 3:59 PM
To: Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>, Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>, Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>, Jim Margolis <jim.margolis@gmmmb.com>, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
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Also I want to mention that a Daily Beast reporter from the hill beat emailed and asked the diversity question. I reminded him that anyone that's come on to help out doesn't replace those who have been close advisers for sometime, and I mentioned Cheryl and Maggie's names. I don't know that he'll write but FYI.

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Hi everyone,

We wanted to share a tweet HRC sent out a little while ago and give some background on it.

In short, Barney Frank reached out to us yesterday and asked if she would engage on Dodd-Frank. He made the obvious arguments, that it would be good for her and good for him as he is spending a lot of time making the case for why the GOP chipping away at it is such a travesty. After thinking through the language with HRC, Jake, Dan, and Philippe, we tweeted the below.



Hillary Clinton (@HillaryClinton)

[1/16/15, 1:57 PM](#)

Attacking financial reform is risky and wrong. Better for Congress to focus on jobs and wages for middle class families.

From: NSM <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>
Date: Wednesday, January 14, 2015 at 11:12 AM
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Amy Chozick posted, here it is below.

A Field Guide to Who's Who in the Fledgling Clinton Campaign

Republicans are already clawing for spots in next year's presidential race, and so are the Democratic operatives who are meeting in **Hillary Rodham Clinton's** living room and her New York offices.

Mrs. Clinton, whose schedule has been unusually quiet of late, and her advisers are fielding résumés and talking to potential campaign aides (a mix of old and new). As the presumptive front-runner, Mrs. Clinton has her pick of talent. But several people with knowledge of the discussions say that some of the Democrats' most gifted political professionals have decided, for the moment, that the safest place to be is on the sidelines.

After all, in 2008, things didn't end so well for Mrs. Clinton's first campaign manager or her first chief strategist.

So here's an informal and wildly incomplete guide to the Clinton 2016 campaign as it slowly, quietly and cautiously begins to take shape (No, **Mitt Romney** has not called):

People to impress: **Cheryl Mills, Huma Abedin** and **Evelyn S. Lieberman**.

Doesn't tolerate drama: **John Podesta**.

Will run things: **Robby Mook** (and his mafia).

Dark horse: **Stephanie Schriock** of Emily's List.

Spin meisters: **Brian Fallon** or **Jennifer Palmieri** (a Podesta pick)

Money man: **Dennis Cheng**.

Policy wonk: **Jake Sullivan**.

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Message makers: **Wendy Clark**, the Coca-Cola marketing whiz, and **Roy Spence**, the advertising guru based in Austin, Tex. (“Don’t Mess with Texas,” or Hillary.)

The X-Factor: **Chelsea**.

– *Amy Chozyick*

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Subject: Press Updates

I’ll use this to circulate things for discussion as they break. I’d also like to revisit getting a regular call on the books assuming we all agree that makes the most sense.

For our first installment, here’s what we teed up with Maggie.

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Date: 12/7/2015 2:23:16 PM
Subject: Magazine and Reunion

I hope this message finds you in good health and spirits. Thanks to the school, I have expanded my email list. I know there are many I have not heard from in a while. **Please write me now and let me know what you are up to, travels, jobs, grandchildren, lies, great stories, whatever. Classmates would love to hear from and about you! Do it today so that I can get it in the next alumni magazine.**

I am also hoping that you will soon make plans for homecoming next year, our 45th! It would be great to see many of you there. I am rescheduling a baseball tournament so I can be there. Especially if you have not been back to campus in a while, it will be wonderful. Alumni Hall has been rebuilt and remodeled and it looks spectacular. There have been many other changes around campus. Still, Knox remains the great educational institution it always has been. Make plans to be there!

I wish you all a wonderful holiday season and a healthy and prosperous 2016. Now, hit "reply" and let me know what you are up to!

Jerry Tatar

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Date: 10/1/2008 4:06:40 PM
Subject: RE:

I hope so. She hasn't done much to date, but in fairness the presentation she's supposed to be doing is difficult to define and will be helped by seeing others work. That said, I wouldn't say that she's been running at the opportunity perhaps because she feels that it's not sufficiently well defined.

From: john.podesta@gmail.com [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 01, 2008 8:34 PM
To: Steiner, Joshua
Subject: Re:

Is Karen K doing anything for you?

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

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CC: <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Subject:
Just a quick note about tomorrow's meeting.

We're scheduled to go from 4-830 although I know some of you may need to leave a little early.

I would propose going through the materials in the following order with the following time allocations (I will try to be pretty strict about enforcing these). I don't want to suggest that some matters are more important than others, but also think that realistically we need to devote time to those subjects that will benefit the most from group input and where I suspect the transition leadership will be most focused on our work:

- Budget (75 minutes)
- Stimulus (75 minutes)
- Financial (75 minutes)
- International (20 minutes)
- Misc (Jon will just cover the pieces that fit with the financial crisis) (20 minutes)

In addition, Karen has been working on some materials about how the actual transition would work, which I don't think she'll be ready to present in detail, but could I'm sure benefit from your thoughts.

Jon has arranged for people to show PP slides, but it would be helpful if you could bring hard copies for everyone as well.

Finally, John Podesta may join us for part or all of the session.

Thanks.

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Subject: [big campaign] New Huff Post from Creamer-Gut Check Time for Republicans on Immigration Reform

Gut Check Time for GOP on Immigration

There is a quiet battle underway within the Republican Party that may soon break out into the open – and it will heavily impact whether the GOP can continue as a national political party in the decades ahead.

The conflict is over how the Party will position itself with respect to the question of immigration reform – and just as importantly – the fastest-growing demographic group in country: Hispanic Americans.

President Obama has made it clear that he is intent on fixing the broken immigration system by passing immigration reform. He would do it with a package that combines smart and effective border enforcement with a crackdown on illegal hiring and unfair labor practices, and by modernizing the legal immigration system and requiring those who are undocumented to register with the government, pass background checks, study English, pay taxes, and get in line to work towards citizenship.

That would make sure that those who *are* here, are in the system legally; that all workers and employers are paying their fair share of taxes; and that those immigrants who come in the future do so legally.

But, more than with most any other issue, passing immigration reform requires bipartisan support – both as a question of legislative math and politics.

Senator Chuck Schumer (D-NY) has been deputized by Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid (D-NV) – himself a strong advocate of reform – to be point man on this issue for the Democratic Majority. Republican Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC) has worked with Schumer for months to hammer out the specifics of a bi-partisan bill.

Most of the substantive issues appear to be close to resolution. The major outstanding problem is entirely political: will other Republicans be willing to join Graham and provide support for a truly bi-partisan effort?

That's where the cleavage within the GOP will become so important.

For many Latino voters, and their friends and families, immigration reform is more than a simple matter of policy. It's an issue that involves the future of their families and their communities. That is particularly the case because enforcement actions continue every day. Almost 400,000 immigrants were deported last year. Those deportations touch legal immigrant families – voters – throughout America, and they increase the pressure building within the Latino community for action.

On March 21st, a huge national march will take place on the Mall to express the frustration of the immigrant community that even as deportations continue, there has been little action on immigration reform.

Immigration reform is a politically realigning issue for Latinos the same way civil rights was for African Americans.

One segment of the Republican Party completely understands that critical political fact. They understand that to compete successfully in the future -- on a national scale – they must be able to contest for a sizeable segment of the Hispanic vote. Hispanics, after all, are by far the fastest growing demographic group in America. According to the Census Bureau, nearly one in six U.S. residents – or 46.9 million people, are Hispanic – a percentage that continues to grow.

If Republicans can't compete for Hispanic votes, they will become politically irrelevant in much of the U.S. over the next several decades. Many Republicans leaders get it.

But there is another group of Republicans who want to use immigration as wedge issue to win short-term political advantage among anxious voters who think of Latinos as threats to their culture, their tax dollars, and their jobs. As a practical matter, this group is willing to sacrifice long term political viability for short term political gain. And this second group has not been deterred by the fact that in recent elections hard core immigrant bashers have not fared well – even in the short term.

These two factions do not fall neatly along traditional “conservative” and “moderate” lines. Former President Bush – having seen firsthand the importance of the Latino vote in Texas – strongly favored immigration reform. Supporters run the gamut from conservatives like Sam Brownback (R-KS) to moderates like Dick Lugar (R-IN). On the other side are followers of former Congressman and presidential candidate Tom Tancredo, with a tradition of anti-immigrant bashing that knows no bounds.

Immigration is one of the few issues that could garner truly bipartisan support in the current Congress. The social and economic forces involved in this issue do not reflect the other battles that have defined the last year and a half of partisan combat. Business and organized labor are united in their desire to fix the broken immigration system.

The President met yesterday with a group of grassroots immigrant leaders, and reiterated that he would use all means at his disposal to move the immigration agenda this year. Later on Thursday he delivered the same message to Senators Graham and Schumer – both of whom reiterated their commitment to move a bi-partisan bill.

But Senator Graham needs to be able to count on the support of other members of the Republican caucus to make a truly bipartisan drive for passage.

The question facing Republicans in the next several weeks is simple: will the forces who favor immigration reform have the political courage to stand up for the long-term interests of their Party (and the country), or will they be cowed into silence by the immigrant bashers?

The bell on the immigration debate is about to go off. The Republican Party faces a critical, and potentially historic, decision. As a progressive Democrat, I would like nothing better than to see the Republican Party marginalized and unable to compete effectively for even one Latino vote. But the interests of the country require that the immigrant-friendly forces in the Republican Party stand up straight and join with Democrats to address this critical American problem.

Robert Creamer is a long-time political organizer and strategist, and author of the recent book: [Stand Up Straight: How Progressives Can Win](#), available on [Amazon.com](#).

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Date: 8/11/2012 11:42:26 AM
Subject: Video: Get to know Paul Ryan



John --

This morning, Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan stood on a platform in Norfolk, Virginia, and introduced themselves to the country as "America's Comeback Team."

"Go Back Team" would be more appropriate -- because a Romney-Ryan administration is the definition of a fast track back to the failed, top-down economic policies of the past.

In Ryan, Romney has selected a running mate best known for designing the extreme GOP budget that would end Medicare as we know it, and -- just like Romney's plan -- actually *raise* taxes on middle-class Americans to pay for an additional \$250,000 tax break for millionaires and billionaires. As a leader of the House Republicans and a Tea Party favorite, Congressman Ryan has led the relentless, intensely ideological battle for these kinds of budget-busting policies that punish seniors and the middle class.

Today, Romney doubled down on those policies.

But most Americans don't know Paul Ryan. In the coming days, the other side will spend a lot of time trying to define Romney's choice and what it says about his candidacy -- so we put together a brand-new website on Romney-Ryan with everything you need to know.

[Check it out, watch the video, and then show your support for President Obama and Vice President Biden by sharing it with friends and family.](#)



If their records are any indication of how they'd govern, it's not looking good (unless you're a right-wing conservative in the top 5 percent of income-earners and NOT a woman or a worker counting on Medicare in your future).

This isn't a matter of opinion:

-- As an architect of the extreme GOP budget, Ryan will be Romney's biggest advocate for his plan to give more tax breaks to millionaires, paid for by \$2,000 in higher taxes on middle-class families with kids.

-- The Ryan plan, which Romney said is "an excellent piece of work, and very much needed," calls for deep cuts in education -- from college scholarships to Head Start -- critical scientific research, and clean energy investments, all to help pay for those tax cuts.

-- Ryan authored the original plan to convert Medicare into a voucher program, costing seniors an additional \$6,000 or more each year.

-- Ryan talks tough on balancing the budget, but his own plan would fail to do that for a generation. The burden of balancing any Ryan budget falls squarely on the backs of seniors and middle-class families -- while no one at the top is asked to pay even a dollar more.

-- Both Romney and Ryan are severely conservative, threatening to take us backward on women's issues and civil rights. Ryan cosponsored a bill that would ban common forms of birth control, in vitro fertilization, and abortions even in cases of rape or incest. He voted against the Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act, voted against the repeal of "Don't Ask, Don't Tell," and sponsored a constitutional amendment to ban marriage equality.

On so many issues, Paul Ryan, like Mitt Romney, has taken extreme positions that are out of touch with the values most Americans share.

It's our job, especially in these first few days and weeks, to make sure voters get the facts on his record, and a clear picture as to what a Romney-Ryan administration would look like for regular people, when the slogans fade away and the real policy decisions they'd face as president and vice president are on the table.

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Check out the new video and site on Romney-Ryan:

<http://my.barackobama.com/Go-Back-Team>

Thanks for everything.

Big day.

David

P.S. -- We are 87 days out from Election Day. This campaign is relying on people like you to help build it in the time we've got left. [Chip in to support the Obama-Biden campaign today.](#)

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["Vikram Singh" <vsingh@americanprogress.org>](mailto:vsingh@americanprogress.org)
["Wendy Sherman" <wendyrsherman@gmail.com>](mailto:wendyrsherman@gmail.com)

Date: 8/21/2014 4:20:44 AM

Subject: Strobe Talbott in Politico

New piece by Strobe in Politico

http://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2014/08/putin-the-backstory-110151.html?ml=m_a1_1#.U_WPIpmSxik

From: ["Arizonans for Ann" <info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com>](mailto:info@kirkpatrickforarizona.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/9/2014 11:49:38 AM

Subject: MSNBC just announced:

MSNBC: Ann Kirkpatrick releases ad in response to GOP attack

John -- today we're going on offense for Ann.

The purpose of our new ad is two-fold:

1. Spread Ann's vision of a bright future for Arizona to voters.
2. Fight back against Boehner's sexist attack.

Time is of the essence. With only 56 days until the election, it's absolutely critical that Arizona voters hear Ann's message. If we can't get out the facts, Boehner's lies will take hold.

So John, watch Ann's first ad and pitch in \$5 to help her keeping fighting for Arizona.



[Chip in \\$5 immediately >>](#)

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[Chip in \\$50 immediately >>](#)

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Thanks for all you do,

Arizonans for Ann

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From: ["Richard Smith, VoteVets.org" <info@votevets.org>](mailto:info@votevets.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/20/2010 7:54:23 AM

Subject: Help a veteran go to DC to get Gitmo closed!



Dear John,

This week, dozens of veterans from around the country – including me – will descend on Capitol Hill, meeting with Congressmen and Senators to push Congress to follow President Obama's lead and close the prison at Guantanamo Bay, that has become a blight on America's reputation and has endangered our troops and security. We need your help!

[CLICK HERE TO HELP FUND VETERANS' TRIP TO DC](#)

Every dollar helps, and we're pinching every penny to make this trip as inexpensive as possible. But, your money will go a long way to helping pay for a veteran's flight to DC, for his or her accommodations at a hotel, and a relatively small amount to buy meals.

Our veterans will be backed up by thousands of veterans, and you, who have all signed our petitions and letters calling for the facility to be closed. Every day the prison remains open is another day that al Qaeda has an effective recruiting tool, and another day we're creating more enemies who will target our troops and America.

It's far past time that we transfer detainees to one of our prisons that can handle them, and have many of them face trial and permanent, legal imprisonment (if they are not sentenced to death). We can both follow the rule of law and international human rights, while also being tough on terrorists. The two are not mutually exclusive.

[CLICK HERE TO HELP VETERANS SPREAD THE WORD – CLOSE GITMO NOW!](#)

We can't make this trip work without you. So, please, take a moment and donate whatever you can afford right now. Again, every little bit helps!

Thanks for your support.

Sincerely,
Richard Smith
Afghanistan War Veteran
VoteVets.org

And Jon, Peter, Brian, Mark, and the entire VoteVets.org team!

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Doug Band" <doug@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:doug@presidentclinton.com)

Date: 2/11/2012 1:49:04 AM

Subject: Re:

Not sure I have much to offer him other than I talk to Treasury once in awhile on the topic.

On 2/9/12, Doug Band <doug@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

> Peter is a great guy

> Maybe you two should connect/him come see you

>

> He has laurene jobs, jim crown and others weighing in for him

>

> ----- Original Message -----

> From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

> Sent: Thursday, February 09, 2012 08:57 PM

> To: Doug Band

> Subject: Re:

>

> thx.

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> On 2/9/12, Doug Band <doug@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

>> Muhtar not interested

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>> Peter seligman pushing for it....

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Brent Budowsky" <brentbbi@webtv.net>

Date: 7/12/2015 11:14:56 AM

Subject: Re: Hillary Clinton Economic Plan to Chart Center-Left Course - WSJ

This is a smart, tough and solid progressive speech and certainly not corporatist, but you may disagree in which case I will remember that you told me first. When raising wages for workers, defending the right to organize, providing fair and equal treatment for women in the workplace, raising taxes on the wealthy and corporate schemers and sending Wall Street crooks to jail is viewed as protecting the status quo, I have to say it's not a status quo I recognize.

On Sunday, July 12, 2015, Brent Budowsky <brentbbi@webtv.net> wrote:

From everything I have heard I believe this story got the Monday speech the most correct, and believe it is a huge mistake. It is not about left versus center left versus right. It is about her being, and being seen as, a corporatist Democrat unwilling to lead or challenge the institutional forces that create economic inequality and discontent. I will wait to hear the final speech but John, I hope I am wrong but doubt that I am, and if I am half-right about this, remember where you heard it..... Brent

<http://www.wsj.com/articles/hillary-clinton-economic-plan-to-chart-center-left-course-1436695201>

Sent from my iPad

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 1/14/2016 7:00:14 AM

Subject: Re: NEW dial in numbers for 2pm

yep

we're having hideous technical issues here....

so we're switching from MAESTRO to UBER - here is new number 410 702 4879 / NO PIN

On Thu, Jan 14, 2016 at 1:59 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

It says I'm the only person in the conference

On Thursday, January 14, 2016, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here they are:

WJC: [\(949\) 202-1057](tel:(949)202-1057) // 587071

JDP: [\(949\) 202-1057](tel:(949)202-1057) // 464738

Adrienne: [\(619\) 309-1058](tel:(619)309-1058) // 630607

On Thu, Jan 14, 2016 at 1:37 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

YOU are going to need DIFFERENT call-in numbers for the 2pm, will send shortly.

From: ["Gene Karpinski, LCV Action Fund President" <Jonathan_Tracy@lcv.org>](#)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/4/2013 3:56:01 AM

Subject: Breakfast with the Champ!



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From: "Your Signature Needed \(\via endcitizensunited.org\)" <admin@endcitizensunited.org>
To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 12/3/2015 10:54:16 AM
Subject: 📧 john we need you to sign this

ENDCITIZENSUNITED.ORG

100,000 SIGNATURES NEEDED: **Demand Republicans keep their campaign finance attack out of the spending bill >>**

Last week, Republican Leader Mitch McConnell revealed plans to GUT a key campaign finance law. If they succeed, billionaires like the Koch Brothers will wield more power than ever.

We have less than TEN days to stop the GOP's plans so we have to act fast.

Sign our petition demanding McConnell drop his back-door attempt to gut our campaign finance laws:

Supporter: John Podesta
Zip Code: 20005

SIGN IMMEDIATELY >>

URGENT: LESS THAN 10 DAYS to stop GOP from ELIMINATING this important campaign finance law

John --

Republicans in Congress are DEAD SET on dismantling the few campaign finance laws we have left.

What's going on?

GOP Leader Mitch McConnell just revealed plans to "insert a provision into a must-pass government funding bill that would vastly expand the amount of cash that political parties could spend on candidates."^[1]

What would this provision do?

McConnell's Republicans want to ELIMINATE caps on the amount of money that political parties can spend in coordination with their candidates.

If they succeed, billionaires like the Koch Brothers could exercise even more influence over our elected officials.

How is this different than past attempts to gut our campaign finance laws?

Congress is running up against a [December 11th](#) deadline to stop a government shutdown.

McConnell wants to tuck this provision into the spending bill that would prevent a shutdown. Republicans want to back President Obama and Democrats into a corner to funnel *even more* money into politics.

This is an all-hands-on-deck moment.

We need to shine a light on what the GOP is doing to show we won't stand by and let them muscle this bill through Congress.

We're trying to reach 100,000 signers pressuring Mitch McConnell to drop his bid to dismantle

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our campaign finance laws ANY further.

[Sign your name now demanding Mitch McConnell's Republicans keep the campaign finance provision out of this must-pass bill >>](#)

We can't let McConnell force Democrats to choose between allowing big money in politics or shutting down the government.

We need your help to fight back!

Join us and sign your name NOW to tell Republicans to keep the campaign finance rider out of the critical spending bill:

<http://act.endcitizensunited.org/Stop-GOP-Rider>

We hope you're with us,

-EndCitizensUnited.org

[1] POLITICO: 'GOP rider would boost party spending' 11/25/2015.

End Citizens United PAC
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Washington, D.C. 20035

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From:	re47@hillaryclinton.com
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com slatham@hillaryclinton.com hstone@hillaryclinton.com
Date:	12/7/2015 12:00:15 PM
Subject:	Invitation: Robby, John, Sara, Heather @ Tue Dec 8, 2015 2pm - 2:45pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

Robby, John, Sara, Heather

[more details »](#)

When

Tue Dec 8, 2015 2pm – 2:45pm Eastern Time

Where

Robby's Office / 718-441-3763, no pin ([map](#))

Video call

https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/robbby-john-sara

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john.podesta@gmail.com

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From: [ThinkProgress <progress@americanprogressaction.org>](mailto:progress@americanprogressaction.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/17/2015 8:30:27 AM

Subject: Top 5: Even More Racist Than You Think



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From: "David Huynh" <dhuyh@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 3/20/2016 3:26:35 AM

Subject: Re: Sanders-related advice from Mark Siegel

Will do. Thanks.

On Sun, Mar 20, 2016 at 10:11 AM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Thank you, Tamera!

David can you follow up with mark on this and then we can discuss?

On Mar 20, 2016, at 10:00 AM, Tamera Luzzatto <luzzatto@aol.com> wrote:

Sharing as a favor and cause of his role in the Dems' delegate system.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Mark Siegel <mark.alan.siegel@gmail.com>

Date: March 20, 2016 at 9:18:34 AM EDT

To: Tamera Luzzatto <luzzatto@aol.com>

Sent from my iPhone

Tamera, I've tried to get this

(below) to Robbie but I'm not sure he's seen it. Is it possible for you to get this to him or someone else in Brooklyn dealing with the convention? It might be useful. Thanks/love. Mark

I've lived through many national conventions and have found that it's critical that all delegates, especially those representing losing candidates, emerge from the convention feeling that they have won something, achieved something tangible. I think this is terribly important especially with people like Bernie's sometimes self-righteous ideologues. We want them to go home happy and enthusiastic in working their asses off for Hillary.

Hillary has already smoothly pivoted to incorporate some important elements of Bernie's ideas and rhetoric into her own message. Thus I don't think the 2016 Platform is a sufficiently tangible prize for the Bernie wing of the convention. I think they have to be given something that they can claim as a singular success. I think I know something that would painlessly work.

As you probably know I was the guy who drafted the "super delegate" provisions of the party's delegate selection rules. It was an outgrowth of the McGovern 1972 convention where very few of our elected officials were delegates. After the debacle, the "regulars," the Party establishment, wanted a big chunk of guaranteed representation at future conventions (as much as 25%) The liberal wing was firmly opposed to this, saying it was undemocratic. Through the Mikulski, Winograd and Hunt Commissions I worked out a compromise giving ex-officio delegate status to Democratic members of the House and Senate, Democratic

Governors and big- city Mayors. That would have totaled about 10% of the convention, what I thought was a reasonable compromise.

The liberals were ok with it but the Democratic State Chairmen's Association wanted to add party officials to this new class of ex-officio delegates.

When the new delegate selection rules were voted on by the DNC, it is not shocking that the DNC ADDED THEMSELVES as automatic delegates. That drove the percentage up to over 15%. It has crept up even a bit higher now.

(wouldn't the republicans like to have that now!)

So here's my idea. Bernie and his people have been bitching about super delegates and the huge percentage that have come out for Hillary. Since the original idea was to bring our elected officials to the convention ex-officio

(because of the offices and the constituencies they represent), why not throw Bernie a bone and reduce the super delegates in the future to the original draft of members of the House and Senate, governors and big city mayors, eliminating the DNC members who are not State chairs or vice-Chairs. (Frankly, DNC members don't really represent constituencies anyway. I should know. I served on the DNC first as Executive Director and then as an elected member for 10 years.)

So if we "give" Bernie this in the Convention's rules committee, his people will think they've "won" something from the Party Establishment. And it functionally doesn't make any difference anyway. They win. We don't lose. Everyone is happy.

Anyway, I don't know if Robbie is focusing on the convention at this point but the Bernie people have a lot of passion and we should try to keep them marginally on board. Just saying...

Thanks. Mark

Sent from my iPhone

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David Huynh
Director of Delegate Operations | Hillary for America
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[\(646\) 854-1160](tel:6468541160)

From: "Kirsten Gillibrand" <kg@kirstengillibrand.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/4/2010 7:02:29 AM

Subject: Unconstitutional



Dear John,

"Don't Ask, Don't Tell" is wrong for our national security and inconsistent with the moral foundation upon which this country was founded. For months we've worked together to repeal it. Last month, we experienced an important victory. **A federal court judge in California declared the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy unconstitutional, saying it has had a "direct and deleterious effect" on our military.**

I couldn't agree more.

That's why I teamed up with Senator Mark Udall of Colorado to write a letter to the Department of Justice urging Attorney General Holder not to appeal this ruling in court.

Now I need you to stand with us and call on Attorney General Holder not to appeal this ruling. **Because of the work we've done together over the past year and a half, we are closer than ever to repealing this dangerous policy. This ruling only gets us closer and it's imperative that it stand.**

[Click here to help repeal "Don't Ask, Don't Tell." Senator Udall and I are urging the Department of Justice to let the court ruling stand, and we need your support.](#)

"Don't Ask, Don't Tell" is an immoral policy that hurts our military readiness. Since DADT began in 1993, we've lost more than 13,000 men and women to this policy. That's 13,000 too many. **We must not lose one more brave gay or lesbian service member to this destructive policy.** It is unconstitutional and the federal court ruling should stand.

[Click here to help repeal "Don't Ask, Don't Tell." Senator Udall and I are urging the Department of Justice to let the court ruling stand, and we need your support.](#)

Stand with us and urge Attorney General Holder not to appeal this important ruling. While Congress will still need to repeal DADT, this is an extremely important step forward in affirming the civil rights of gays and lesbians. Our government should not be challenging it.

Thanks for your ongoing support on this issue.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Gillibrand



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To: jpodesta@americanprogress.org
John.Podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/18/2008 8:44:10 AM

Subject: I know you are crazy busy-

I you could just call me for 5 minutes on my cell -- 703-447-0435 -it would be great. I have a very important request from the gill folks

From: [Apple <News@InsideApple.Apple.com>](mailto:News@InsideApple.Apple.com)

To: johnpodesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/26/2015 2:17:03 PM

Subject: Get credit for your current phone.



Trade up to a new iPhone.

Get up to \$350 to use toward the purchase of a new iPhone. Just take your current smartphone to an Apple Store for instant credit.¹ Or simply tell us about your device online and receive an Apple Store Gift Card.²

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From: "Eli Pariser" <eli@moveon.org>
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 2/25/2008 3:18:36 AM
Subject: FW: Monday Call - Speaker program and dial in
Attachments: 022008 Iraq 08 tps_final.doc

John --

Just wanted to make sure you had this -- thanks again for however many minutes you can join.

--Eli

From: Moira Mack [mailto:moira@hildebrandtewes.com]
Sent: Sunday, February 24, 2008 3:35 PM
To: 'Eli Pariser'; 'Blum, Jeff'; 'Charney, Alan'; 'Alyssa Barnum'; 'Jon Soltz'; 'Eric Schmeltzer'; 'Brad Woodhouse'
Cc: 'Jeremy Funk'; 'Ilyse Hogue'; doug@fenton.com; 'Allison Price'; fshakir@americanprogress.org; Nita@moveon.org; tom@zzranch.com; 'Martin Matishak'; 'Silver, Marvin'; 'Matthews, Will'; 'Tara McGuinness'; 'Bridgett Frey'; 'Trevor Fitzgibbon'
Subject: Monday Call - Speaker program and dial in

Good afternoon all-

Thank you for participating in the Iraq/Recession campaign launch press call. We are thrilled that John and Elizabeth Edwards have agreed to join the call. Our speaker list is quite long so it is critical that speakers limit their remarks to 3 minutes.

Any speaker who would like help keeping time should send me their IM contact info and someone from Fenton or HT will IM you when your time is up (remember to keep computer sound off). Otherwise speakers must keep their own time and I will be aggressively moderating to keep the call moving.

Speakers should dial in at 10:30 am for 11 am press call. Speakers will be in separate private conference to prepare for call until 11.

Speaker(s) will dial 866-866-2244 or 404-260-1415 and when prompted enter code: 4145721 followed by the # sign

10:30-11 Speaker prep

Approximate Program Timeline with speakers limiting remarks to 3 minutes

11:00-11:04-Reporters join late
11:04-11:05-Moira explains the order and introduces Eli
11:06-11:08-Eli Pariser, MoveOn.org introduces the broad scope campaign and Senator and Elizabeth Edwards
11:08-11:18-John and Elizabeth Edwards
11:18-11:21-John Podesta, CAP
11:22-11:25-Jeff Blum, USAction gives overview of USAction poll (our agenda widely embraced and critical to electability) and campaign plans
11:26-11:29-Eli Pariser - MoveOn campaign Overview
11:30-11:34- Jon Soltz overview of military opinion, priorities and announce VoteVets ad
11:35-11:38- Anna Burger, SEIU
11:38-11:41-Brad Woodhouse, Americans United for Change on Iraq/Recession as Bush legacy
11:41 Reporter Questions

Below is the Advisory that will go out to press tomorrow announcing addition of John and Elizabeth Edwards to the call.

Talking points are attached. Please let me know if you have any questions!
Thanks,

Moira

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703-416-9188 (Cell)
moira@hildebrandtewes.com

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**For Immediate Release
February 25, 2008**

**Contact: Moira Mack
(202) 261-2383**

John and Elizabeth Edwards To Join Anti Iraq War Groups to Launch Multimillion Dollar Iraq/Recession Campaign

*****Teleconference Monday at 11 a.m.
Dial In: (866) 866-1333; Pass Code: IRAQ *****

WASHINGTON – Former U.S. Senator and presidential candidate John Edwards and his wife Elizabeth Edwards will join top anti-Iraq war leaders today to announce the launch of a new nationwide, multimillion dollar campaign aimed at shining a light on the cost of war in Iraq. The new Iraq/Recession Campaign will be launched with a teleconference today at 11am.

As economic concerns weigh heavily on the minds of Americans, opposition to President Bush's reckless war in Iraq continues to grow. The massive cost of the war in Iraq – hurtling toward one trillion dollars – has increased demand for a strategy to bring U.S. troops home. The Iraq/Recession Campaign will highlight the majority of Americans who want to see leadership on investing in critical priorities at home and establishing real security throughout the world.

WHAT: Press Conference Call to Launch Iraq Campaign 2008

WHO: John Edwards, former U.S. Senator and presidential candidate and Elizabeth Edwards
John Podesta, President and CEO, Center for American Progress
Jeff Blum, Executive Director, USAction
Eli Pariser, Executive Director, MoveOn.org
Jon Soltz, Co-Founder and Chairman, VoteVets.org
Anna Burger, Secretary-Treasurer, SEIU
Brad Woodhouse, President, Americans United for Change

WHEN: MONDAY, February 25, at 11 a.m. EST

PHONE NUMBER: (866) 866-1333; Pass Code: IRAQ

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From: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/12/2015 1:19:18 PM

Subject: Re: Boston Travel Options 10/20-10/21

Great! Will let Wyss know and they will book for us.

On Mon, Oct 12, 2015 at 8:11 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
3:30 aa up the 1:00 back.

On Oct 12, 2015 5:09 PM, "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
DCA-BOS: Tuesday, October 20th

CAP board meeting ends at 12:30 PM. *These flights all DCA- BOS Logan.*

- American Airlines 2:30-3:55
- Jet Blue 2:40-4:03
- American Airlines 3:30– 5:01
- Jet Blue 3:45-5:12
- American Airlines 4:30– 5:57
- Jet Blue 4:50-6:19
- American Airlines 5:30-7:04
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BOS-DCA: Wednesday, October 21st

WWF dinner begins at 6:30 PM (National Portrait Gallery) *These flights all BOS Logan-DCA.*

- American Airlines 11:00-12:30
- Jet Blue 11:24-12:59
- American Airlines 12:00-1:28
- Jet Blue 12:22-1:59
- American Airlines 1:00-2:37
- American Airlines 2:00-2:33
- American Airlines 2:00-2:34

On Mon, Oct 12, 2015 at 7:55 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
These aren't opening
Can you send plain text.

On Oct 12, 2015 3:32 PM, "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
DCA-BOS: Tuesday, October 20th

CAP board meeting ends at 12:30 PM

Tue, Oct 20	 2:30 pm – 3:55 pm Washington (DCA) – Boston (BOS) American 2149 · Airbus A319 Average legroom (31")	1h 25m Wi-Fi Stream to your device No in-seat power
Tue, Oct 20	 2:40 pm – 4:03 pm Washington (DCA) – Boston (BOS) JetBlue 690 · Embraer RJ-190 Above average legroom (32")	1h 23m Live TV No Wi-Fi No in-seat power

BOS-DCA: Wednesday, October 21st

WWF dinner begins at 6:30 PM (National Portrait Gallery)

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\$184 one way		12:22 pm – 1:59 pm JetBlue	1h 37m	Nonstop
\$184 one way		1:00 pm – 2:37 pm American	1h 37m	Nonstop
\$184 one way		2:00 pm – 3:33 pm American	1h 33m	Nonstop
\$184 one way		3:00 pm – 4:34 pm American	1h 34m	Nonstop

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Christina Reynolds" <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 9/23/2015 10:44:28 AM
Subject: Re: FW: Joe Biden article

Nice job.

On Wednesday, September 23, 2015, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We asked him to push back on the story—he did it well!

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 23, 2015 5:41 PM
To: Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> ; Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> ; Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> ;
Subject: Fwd: FW: Joe Biden article

This is nice. Seems like we should call people out on Iowa.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Michael Kives <mkives@caa.com> >
Date: Wednesday, September 23, 2015
Subject: FW: Joe Biden article
To: "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com> >

From: Michael Kives
Sent: Wednesday, September 23, 2015 12:06 PM
To: 'tina.daunt@thr.com' <tina.daunt@thr.com>
Subject: Joe Biden article
Importance: High

Tina,

Can we get together?

I've always loved your reporting, but this was really poorly done today.

<http://www.hollywoodreporter.com/news/key-hollywood-donor-backs-joe-826016>

There is one outlier poll that has Hillary trailing in Iowa. Every other poll has her with a fairly decent lead. Your indication that Bernie leads her there is misleading. Would have also been nice for you to mention the CNN poll this week that has her increasing her lead nationally.

<http://www.publicpolicypolling.com/main/2015/09/trump-still-leads-iowa-clinton-in-good-shape.html>

And Jay Sures is a “a major force on the Hollywood political-fundraising scene”?? Since when? To characterize his support of Joe Biden as some groundbreaking shift is a bit dramatic. How much money has he actually raised in the past? I’ve been around the Clintons for 15 years, and I’ve never seen Jay’s name as a co-host for any fundraiser for either President Clinton or Secretary Clinton. Did he bundle for her in ’08?

Finally – George Clooney has already said he’d do whatever it takes to get Hillary elected in 2016.

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-3075595/George-Clooney-says-happy-Hillary-Clinton-president.html>

As far as fundraising goes – I’ve had one of my best weeks yet. Have felt absolutely no indication anything was slowing down. People loved her on Jimmy Fallon, felt like the e-mail non-story was behind us, and were ecstatic about our prospects after seeing the Republican debate.

My two cents – but let’s get together and discuss.

Kives

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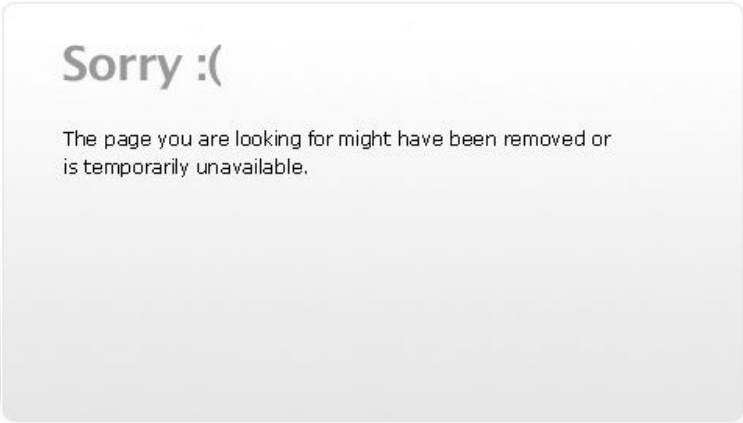
allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu

Date:

11/3/2014 3:00:04 PM

Subject:

An Update on Georgetown's Ebola Preparedness



Office of the President
Georgetown University

November 3, 2014

To the Faculty, Students and Staff of Georgetown University

Dear Members of the Georgetown Community:

I am writing to provide you with an update on the University's response and planning related to the global Ebola crisis and to reiterate the importance of cooperation by all members of our University community. Georgetown officials, in consultation with the D.C. Department of Health and health care professionals, have been working to ensure preparedness across all of our campuses. As part of our ongoing emergency preparedness protocols, we have been engaged in a multi-partner effort to ensure that we are ready in the unlikely event of a case of Ebola on our campus or in our area.

We are a community of great complexities—our campuses in Washington, D.C. span the city, we have a campus on the other side of the world, our members live and travel across the globe in pursuit of their scholarship and research, we receive visitors from all over the world, we share a footprint with a hospital, and we share a home in Washington with many other global institutions. As such, we have been working closely with strategic partners in our preparedness efforts, including MedStar Health, which operates MedStar Georgetown University Hospital, and the D.C. Department of Health, to ensure that we have a coordinated response plan with clear roles and responsibilities.

We are grateful to be guided in this work by our health professionals here at Georgetown, including Dr. James C. Welsh, who heads our Student Health Services, and who has led our previous efforts in response to Norovirus, H1N1 and other infectious diseases. We are also fortunate to have the consultation of Dr. Jesse Goodman, who served as Chief Scientist for the FDA from 2009-2014, where he led its public health preparedness and medical countermeasures efforts, including the response to the 2009 H1N1 pandemic, and who now serves on our Georgetown faculty.

Last week, a broad group of our University leadership, representing a cross-section of operational and academic areas, participated in a tabletop exercise focused on the various components of our response should there be an Ebola case at or near Georgetown University. MedStar Health and the D.C. Department of Health joined in the exercise, which was facilitated by an expert who helped us to identify areas for further development and preparation. The tabletop exercise generated a number of good ideas to further enhance our preparedness, and implementation of these recommendations is already underway.

We have also been coordinating with fellow members of the Consortium of Universities in the District of Columbia to share insights and best practices, especially as they relate to our shared identities as residential campuses, and to collaborate on our preparedness efforts.

We ask for the participation of our entire community in ensuring that we are all educated and prepared in the event of a case of Ebola at or near Georgetown University. As we have previously announced, Georgetown, in line with travel advisories from the [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#), has issued a temporary moratorium on all University-sponsored and University-related travel for students, faculty, and staff to Liberia, Guinea and Sierra Leone. We are also requiring students, faculty and staff to contact Joseph Yohe, Associate Vice President for Risk Management at 202-687-6622 or joseph.yohe@georgetown.edu, before coming/returning to campus, if they:

- plan to travel to these countries for personal reasons;
- have recently traveled to these countries;
- are considering bringing visitors to campus who have recently been in these countries; or
- have had direct exposure to a person known to have an Ebola infection.

More information on these policies can be found on our [Office of Global Services website](#).

I encourage you to educate yourselves by visiting the [CDC's website on the Ebola outbreak](#). We will continue to keep you apprised of our ongoing preparedness efforts here at Georgetown.

Sincerely,

John J. DeGioia

From: ["Susan Mccue" <susan.mccue@one.org>](mailto:susan.mccue@one.org)
To: ["Stanley Greenberg" <sgreenberg@gqrr.com>](mailto:sgreenberg@gqrr.com)
Date: 8/6/2008 9:46:32 AM
Subject: RE: Brand group

Sorry for delay responding. Vegas energy summit is Aug 19. Spoke to Steve and wanted to propose we regroup at convention to review Matt's business plan. It's possible we could convene in Vegas (will you be there?) but I know we'll all be in Denver.

From: Stanley Greenberg [mailto:sgreenberg@gqrr.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 05, 2008 4:35 AM
To: Susan Mccue
Cc: Paul Begala; John Podesta; Zach Schwartz
Subject: Brand group

Hi,

I know you are in Vegas for the energy summit. Does it make sense to meet there — right after. Maybe the Tuesday night? Don't know the schedule of stuff. What do you think? Stan

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Bob Clark" <ClarkB@claycorp.com>

Date: 1/3/2016 10:00:53 AM

Subject: Re: Happy New Year

Thanks Bob. Look forward to coming back.

On Sunday, January 3, 2016, Bob Clark <ClarkB@claycorp.com> wrote:

Happy New Year to you and hope to see you in Chicago.

All the best and I am sure we can all get the job done.

Bob

Robert G. Clark

Chief Executive Officer

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Email clarkb@claycorp.com // WWW.CLAYCORP.COM

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: Sunday, January 3, 2016 at 3:04 PM

To: Microsoft Office User <clarkb@claycorp.com>

Subject: Happy New Year

Wishing you a happy New Year. 2015 was challenging, but we ended in a good place thanks to your help and support. Look forward to working with you to elect the first woman President of the United States.

Have a great New Year.

-John

From: "Mandy Grunwald" <gruncom@aol.com>

To: john@algpolling.com
jbenenson@bsgco.com
jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com

Date: 3/2/2015 3:31:29 AM

Subject: Re: HRC @ EMILY's List

BTW, with Mikulski not running for reelection, I'll bet that Martin O'Malley decides to run for her Senate seat instead of running for President.

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
202 973-9400

-----Original Message-----

From: John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com>

To: Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>; Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

Cc: Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>; Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>; Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>; Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com>; Jim Margolis <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>; pir <pir@hrcoffice.com>; Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>; NSM <nmemill@hrcoffice.com>; Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>; Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Ethan Gelber <egelber@hrcoffice.com>

Sent: Mon, Mar 2, 2015 9:27 am

Subject: RE: HRC @ EMILY's List

This celebration may now turn into a Mikulski going away party

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/post-politics/wp/2015/03/02/sen-mikulski-to-make-announcement-about-her-future/>

From: Joel Benenson

Sent: Monday, March 02, 2015 8:17 AM

To: Jennifer Palmieri

Cc: Mandy Grunwald; Dan Schwerin; Robby Mook; Kristina Schake; John Anzalone; Jim Margolis; pir@hrcoffice.com ; Jake Sullivan; NSM; Cheryl Mills; Huma Abedin; John Podesta; Ethan Gelber

Subject: Re: HRC @ EMILY's List

The story about her staff is no doubt a problem. But if I was a reporter covering this and she in any way didn't lean right in on an issue she has been so vocal about, I would actually latch onto that. I'll defer to comms team but I think this issue has to be in the speech and she has to be as full-throated in talking about it, whether it's the first or third thing she talks about. So we're going to hit it hard anywhere it lands in the speech.

We're going to heave to deal with the facts in the story but we should just make sure that before we start diluting a strong position she has we decide whether staying strong isn't a better strategy.

Sent from my iPad

On Mar 1, 2015, at 7:52 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> wrote:

Hello all. Agree with many of Mandy's comments - in partic staring with equal pay, having an women's economic issue soundbite, and making GOP section edgier.

On Sun, Mar 1, 2015 at 3:48 PM, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com> wrote:

Dan,

A few notes on the politics.

1. I'd connect the opening accomplishments a little more directly to Stephanie Schriock. This draft tilts a little too far to Ellen Malcolm and it's important to give Stephanie and Ellen at least equal billing. (For example, I wouldn't mention Ellen on page 8 right after you ask whether they want to see a woman president. That

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may be the soundbite of the day.)

2. I think you need a little more thought on the women you name. (Mikulski, Gillibrand, Warren, Boxer, Pelosi, Raimondo, Murray). Thinking about our New Hampshire politics, you ought to mention Governor Maggie Hassan -- who was the only female governor in the country til Raimondo was elected and Hassan just got reelected (also focusing on the economy). You also ought to mention Jeanne Shaheen -- who was just about the only Dem to win a tough Senate race last year (also focusing on the economy). In fact, on the Senate side, I would mention all the current female Senators -- you're only going to annoy Feinstein or Klobuchar or McCaskill et al if you pick out just a handful. You can do a list after you highlight a few.)

3. On Mikulski, instead of just noting her long ago election and the pantsuit stuff, I'd mention that she was the first woman to chair the Appropriations Committee and is now its ranking member. Maybe ditto Patty Murray as chair of the budget committee.

4. On "the year of the woman in 1992", I believe the number of women went from 2 to 5. I would note that it was great to almost triple the number of women in the senate but hard to imagine that electing a senate with 95 men and 5 women was called the year of the woman. (It's better now...but still.....)

On the economic message...

1. I'm queasy about leading with equal pay, given last week's stories about HRC staff. It also doesn't allow you to frame a broader argument about families and small businesses as the heart of our economy/future. I'd move equal pay to later in the economic section.

2. The section on workforce participation seems off to me also. Seems like our main solution is to have more women work.

3. Should we make the GOP line even edgier? Something like: "And, by the way, isn't it nice to see a few Republicans starting to dip their toes into the debate about how to create opportunities for working families? That means our arguments are resonating. So come on in, fellas, the waters fine. But you better offer something more than the same old tired trickle down economics. Families don't need any more of that.

4. Finally, I feel like we need a soundbite about women's issues are economic issues; economic issues are women's issues. Something like that. Right now, the most likely soundbite is the female president line. That's probably what the audience wants, but is that what we want? I'd love to have a strong economic soundbite too.

many thanks

Mandy

Mandy Grunwald
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-----Original Message-----

From: Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>

To: Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>; Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>; Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com>; Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>; Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>; John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com>; Jim Margolis <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>; Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>; Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>; Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>; Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>; Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Cc: Ethan Gelber <egelber@hrcoffice.com>

Sent: Sun, Mar 1, 2015 12:13 pm

Subject: HRC @ EMILY's List

Team, here's a draft of HRC's speech at EMILY's List's 30th Anniversary Gala on Tuesday evening. I'd welcome your feedback.

Thanks

Dan

From:

"Schneider HQ" <info@schneiderforcongress.com>

To:

"John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date:

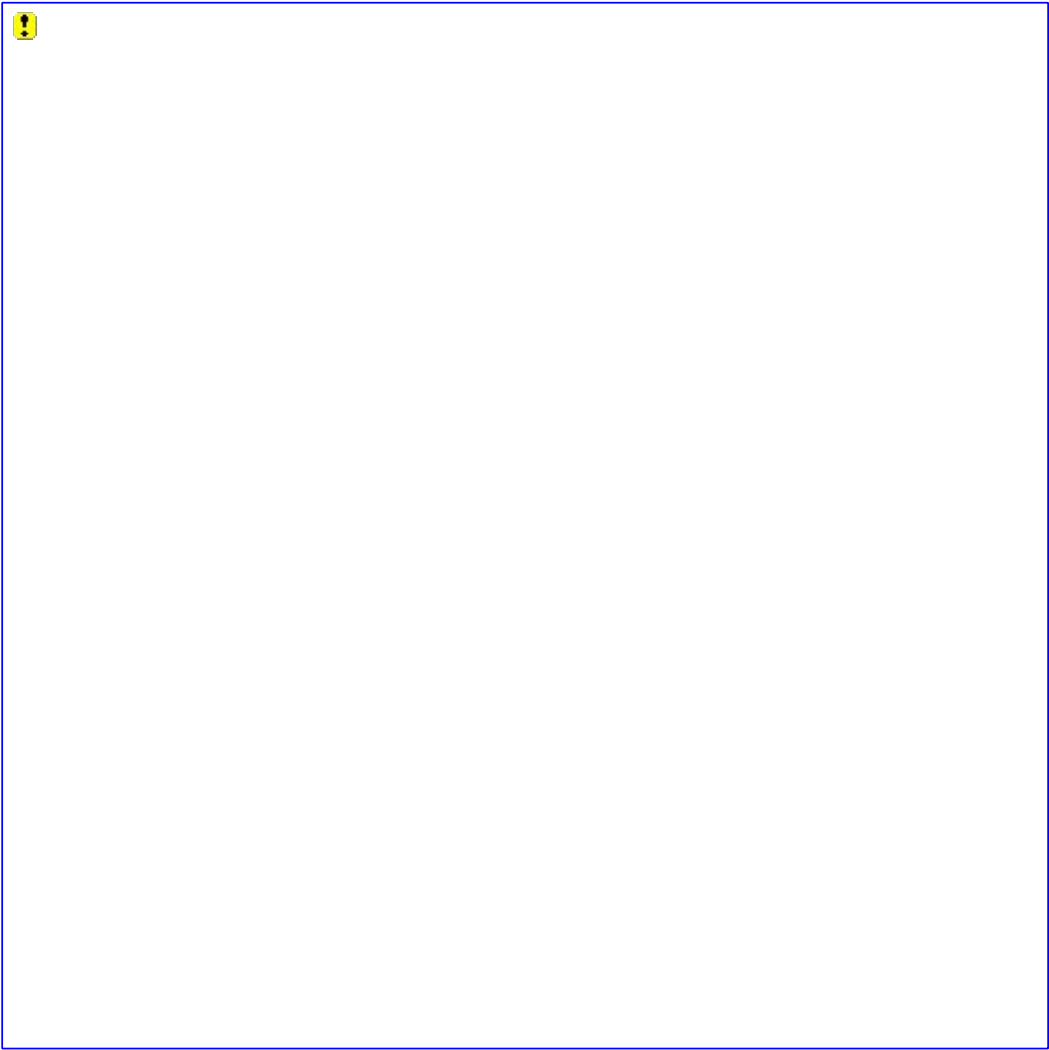
8/31/2014 6:04:20 PM

Subject:

we'd LOVE to see this

JOHN

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To: John.podesta@gmail.com
["John Podesta" <jpodesta@americanprogress.org>](mailto:jpodesta@americanprogress.org)
Date: 12/22/2008 12:28:44 PM
Subject: Need to talk tonight

Can you call whenever convenient however late at home 202 363 7846

Thanks -- time sensitive

Sent from my BlackBerry Wireless Handheld

From: ["Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)

To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)

Date: 1/29/2015 7:53:44 AM

Subject: Re: Big picture legal discussion with HRC

Great

On Jan 29, 2015, at 2:52 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

Marc and I are on a call about a number of things.

We'll come back with a list but I would like Marc to have a chance to do table setting memos before we do a meeting.

So hold on this for a bit until he has a chance to do that and we all then can get on the phone and add to things.

best.

cdm

On Thu, Jan 29, 2015 at 9:41 AM, Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com> wrote:

She mentioned again yesterday having a big picture strategic discussion about key legal issues. I was thinking we could do a call about the four items below to kick things off (or could be in person). Cheryl and Marc--thoughts?

1. Superpac interaction (fundraising, possible avenues for interaction like issue ads)
2. Transition period operating rules
3. Primary money strategy
4. Options for leveraging party money

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 9/16/2015 5:38:04 AM

Subject:

Not sure if JDP spoke to Huma yet

But Huma is running this previously scheduled 12:30pm WJC internal huddle with our ops and legal teams - to work out internal process.

Tho it may not happen because we don't have legal.

Sent from my iPhone

From: KAnderson@nea.org

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 7/23/2011 12:34:57 AM

Subject: [big campaign] NEA President on Debt Negotiations

Attachments: July 23 DVR Statement on Debt Talks.doc

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASECONTACT: Sara Robertson
July 23, 2011 (202) 822-7823, srobertson@nea.org

NEA President: Don't forget our children, the most vulnerable in debt deal
Negotiations on federal debt ceiling and deficit reduction stall in Washington

WASHINGTON— House Speaker John Boehner called off further talks on raising the debt ceiling and deficit reduction yesterday, writing to fellow Republicans that he and President Barack Obama “couldn't connect...because of different visions for our country.”

“To the 3.2 million members of the National Education Association and the students and families they serve, there are two very different visions playing out in this fiscal debate: one that favors those with great wealth and one that harms those without,” said NEA President Dennis Van Roekel.

“While there are many different ideas about how to bring America's fiscal house in order, no one disputes that our nation's children did nothing to cause our economic crisis,” said Van Roekel. “The facts are simple: one in three children in this country rely upon Medicaid as their sole source of healthcare. It would be unconscionable for lawmakers to even contemplate punishing children with a budget deal that asks nothing of billionaires or corporations that paid no taxes last year. The students we serve come to school every day more worried, more at risk, and more liable to fall through the cracks. To rob children of their futures by putting their very health at risk would be reckless and immoral.”

As of 2010, 68 million people are covered by Medicaid, including one third of America's children. Children who lack access to health care services are less likely to come to school healthy and ready to learn and to succeed academically.

"Our members want to remind negotiators that the measure of a country's greatness is in how it treats its children, its seniors, and its most vulnerable. Any budget plan must leave life-preserving programs such as Medicare and Medicaid untouched," said Van Roekel.

“It's time to put the families on Main Street ahead of the special interests of Wall Street and make billionaires and big corporations pay their fair share,” said Van Roekel. “Legislators need to stop looking to children, working families, and seniors to sacrifice without asking anything in return from the wealthiest, who continue to get wealthier due to continued tax loopholes and cuts.”

To read NEA's letter to the Senate opposing the Cut, Cap and Balance Act, please go to <http://www.nea.org/home/46518.htm>

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/25/2016 3:37:57 PM

Subject: Re: Stuck on the train tracks in NJ

Of course.

Would you prefer very, very early in the morning?

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >

Date: Monday, January 25, 2016 at 5:25 PM

To: Stanley Greenberg <sgreenberg@gqrr.com> >

Subject: Stuck on the train tracks in NJ

ok to call you a little later, like 7:00

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Samama Frederic \(AMUNDI\)" <frederic.samama@amundi.com>](mailto:frederic.samama@amundi.com)
Date: 7/20/2015 10:50:10 AM
Subject: Re: Climate Change & Institutional Investors/Visit to Washington

I'm out West on the 24th. Let me know the next time you are in DC or NYC.

On Monday, July 20, 2015, Samama Frederic (AMUNDI) <frederic.samama@amundi.com> wrote:

Dear John,

I hope this email finds you well. I am glad to report that we are witnessing a striking development in response to climate change: investors are increasingly tackling climate change-related risks.

This movement is due to:

- A growing awareness of the economic risks presented by climate change (e.g. exposure to increased taxation and stranded assets),
- The emergence of innovative investment solutions aimed at reducing these risks,
- The establishment of knowledge transfer organizations to exchange best practices, such as the Portfolio Decarbonization Coalition (PDC).
 - o The PDC is supported by the United Nations and by its Environment Program (UNEP),
 - o PDC signatories have recently made a commitment to decarbonize \$45 billion of their portfolios,
 - o This initiative sends a strong message to the investor community: reducing climate change related risk is feasible and is being undertaken on a large scale.

The policy makers are very interested into these initiatives:

The Chief Economist of People's Bank of China asked me to present our work at his own conference three weeks ago,

France is accelerating this process by passing a law that makes the carbon footprint mandatory for all asset owners,

President Francois Hollande referred to our project in his recent speech (after Ban Ki-moon and Dr Kim).

I am attaching a couple of documents for your review. Please be advised, I will be in Washington this Friday (July 24) and will be glad to catch-up with you if it works well with your schedule. Alternatively, I should return back to the US mid-August.

Kind regards,

Fred

Ps I am attaching a 2 page note, a ppt presentation and an academic paper.

From: "Susan Douglass" <info@johndouglassforcongress.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/3/2012 5:06:33 AM

Subject: couldn't afford

John --

John couldn't afford to fall behind and, thanks to you, he didn't. While his opponent is depending on a few fat cat corporate donors, my husband John has the honor of depending on grassroots supporters like you. Thanks to you we told Congressman Hurt that his time in Washington is over.

Stay caught up with us on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) to see our people-powered campaign give corporate interests a run for their money.

This week is the Democratic National Convention and it will no doubt be a big week for Republican fundraising. But, because of your help this week, this campaign is ready to take them on.

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--Susan

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To: "[John Podesta](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 7/7/2015 5:41:18 PM

Subject: Re: hope all is well

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My cell

Looking forward to it

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 7, 2015, at 6:20 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

What number should I call?

On Monday, July 6, 2015, Judy Lichtman <jlichtman@nationalpartnership.org> wrote:

Are you up for a brief chat in the next day or 2

I have an agenda item that is totally non campaign related, and would love your advice
warm regards to you and Mary

Sent from my iPhone

From:	"Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>
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Date: 9/16/2008 3:59:09 AM
Subject: [big campaign] McCain On "Fundamentals": A Primer
Attachments: McCain Econ Fundamentals Primer 09-16-08.doc

Yesterday morning, in the midst of a financial crisis, McCain insisted once again that the "fundamentals of our economy are strong." Later that day, he tried to spin it by saying that "American workers" are the fundamentals of the economy, and those fundamentals are strong but "at risk."

McCain has been asserting the "fundamentals" are strong since at least December 2007. In nearly a dozen examples--all caught on tape--he never once suggests this newly-adopted definition of "fundamentals":

MCCAIN FLIPS ON "FUNDAMENTALS" FOLLOWING "BLACK SUNDAY"

In Midst Of Lehman Bailout, McCain Insists "The Fundamentals Of Our Economy Are Strong"
JOHN MCCAIN: Wall Street. And it is -- people are frightened by these events. Our economy, I think, still, the fundamentals of our economy are strong. But these are very, very difficult time. And I promise you, we will never put America in this position again. We will clean up Wall Street.

(Rally; Jacksonville, FL 09/15/08)

To View: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tSBs0tBVrHk>

McCain Flops Following Lehman Bailout: "The Fundamentals Of Our Economy Are At Risk"
JOHN MCCAIN: [...] I know Americans are hurting now and the fundamentals of our economy are at risk. They are at risk. The great workers, the great innovators—because of the greed of Wall Street and the greed that and the abuse that takes place, which has put our very economy at risk. Our economy is at risk today. Have no doubt how serious this problem is and we Americans will get through it, but we've got to reform. We've got to reform the way that government does business and I want to promise you that my whole life I have reached across the aisle and I've worked with democrats and I know how to do that and we must do that because we've got to fix this economy, which the fundamentals of are at great risk right now and those are the American workers. These are the American workers who deserve far better than what they've gotten recently and I want to promise you that its my highest priority.

(Town Hall; Orlando, FL 09/15/08)

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MCCAIN ON ECONOMIC "FUNDAMENTALS": A PRIMER

McCain in June: "The Fundamentals Of Our Economy Are Very, Very Strong"
JOHN MCCAIN: I have a fundamental belief. I have a great belief that the fundamentals of our economy are very strong. Very strong.

(Town Hall; Buena Vista, FL 06/05/08)

To View: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M7hZp_wXJA

McCain in May: "The Fundamentals Of Our Economy Are Strong"
JOHN MCCAIN: Americans are trying to figure out how to keep their homes by making these loan payments and you see it all the time and you see it every day and I don't have to tell you about it. But the fundamentals of our economy are strong. And what we need to do are take the actions necessary . . .

(Town Hall; Charlotte, NC 05/05/08)

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McCain in April: "We Will [Come Out Of This Recession] Because The Fundamentals Of Our Economy Are Good"

JOHN MCCAIN: [...] at the end, when we come out of this recession and we will because I believe that the fundamentals of our economy are good . . .

(Town Hall; Inez, KY 04/23/08)

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McCain in March: "The Fundamentals Of America's Economy Are Strong"

JOHN MCCAIN: "...We're gonna have to do a lot of things to help this economy recover. People are hurting now, people are hurting, as you know, and let's not deny that, and let's move forward...that America's economy, the fundamentals of it are strong, the fundamentals of America's economy are strong..."

(Town Hall; Chula Vista, CA 03/24/08)

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And Again—McCain After Housing Speech: 'The Fundamentals are Strong and ... We Will Recover'

JOHN MCCAIN: "But I am confident that the fundamentals of our economy are strong and that we will recover..."

(Roundtable; Santa Ana, CA 03/25/08)

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McCain in February: 'We can get through it... because the fundamentals are strong'

JOHN MCCAIN: "And we will restore this economy because the fundamentals are strong of our economy. And we can get through this. We can get through it."

(GOTV Event, Boston, MA 02/04/08)

To View: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eXYJfCSI5pY>

McCain in Jan.: "I Am Not Convinced That We Are Necessarily Going Into A Recession... Our Fundamentals Are Strong"

JOHN MCCAIN: "I am not convinced that we are necessarily going into a recession. Nothing is inevitable in this world! Nothing is inevitable! It's not an inevitability about it. "It's got to do with fiscal discipline and saving your tax dollars and cuttin' taxes and cutting spending! And our economy, our fundamentals are strong and America's greatest days are ahead of us economically and every other way

(Rally; Hilton Head Island, SC 01/18/08)

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And Again: McCain Says The "Foundation Of Our Economy Is Strong"

JOHN MCCAIN: "I know that the economy is in some difficulty now. We're gonna have to adjust to that economy. I still believe the fundamental principles and foundation of our economy is strong. We're going to probably have to take some actions, but first of all, let's make the tax cuts permanent,"

(Speech; Aiken, SC 01/17/08)

To view: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h-Ba3C68yQc>

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And Again... McCain: "I Still Believe The Fundamentals Of Our Economy Are Strong"

JOHN MCCAIN: "I still believe the fundamentals of our economy are strong."

(Town Hall Meeting; Salem, NH 01/06/08)

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McCain in Dec. 2007: Fundamentals "Still Very Strong"

JOHN MCCAIN: "I think we're in difficult times. And we've still gotta sort out the subprime lending situation and we've gotta get our defense spending under control. [...] But the fundamentals of America's economy is still very strong. We're still the greatest exporter, the greatest importer, the greatest innovator and the greatest producer. We're the strongest military power. We're still the greatest nation in the world."

(House Party; Concord, NH 12/31/07)

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Date: 1/26/2016 12:16:48 PM

Subject: Re: Some thoughts on using Zoom

I was generally satisfied with my Zoom experience, although I found teaching 2 hours on Zoom substantially more exhausting than 2 hours in the classroom. Not sure why. There might have simple been too many information feeds to manage for my overtaxed brain.

I'd echo that Zoom does not interface with PowerPoint nearly as well as other platforms I've used. You cannot use presenter notes or see the participants.

A practical matter if you plan on calling on students: ask students to use their first and last names as their Zoom IDs. I found it very hard to know which "Nick" was which on the second day of class, much less what to call "JonLi000".

Another practical matter: if you're using video, be aware that everyone will see what is behind you in your house. I found myself wishing I had a screen to put up just so the background wouldn't be distracting. (On the other hand, it was a pleasure to teach in fleece pants and slippers.) And be aware that whatever is in the background of students may also be distracting.

Finally, I wish there were a feature that would bring up the video feed of whoever was talking. (Perhaps there is, but I couldn't find it). It wasn't apparent to me whose video feed was selected for top-of-the-screen viewing.

Adam

On Jan 26, 2016, at 2:06 PM, Paul Rothstein <rothstei@law.georgetown.edu> wrote:

> Thanks much, Naomi. Helpful. I ran several small test runs Sunday and Monday with a few students who volunteered, preparatory to using Zoom later today in my large Evidence class. I found I was able to get a list of who participated in the meetings, after I closed the sessions. Can't recall exactly what I did to get the names, but it is there somewhere.

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> Paul
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> Paul Rothstein
> Professor of Law
> Georgetown University Law Center
> "Law never is, but is always about to be."---Justice Benjamin Cardozo

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> From: Naomi Mezey
> Sent: Tuesday, January 26, 2016 10:11 AM
> To: Law Faculty and Visitors
> Subject: Some thoughts on using Zoom

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> Hi Everyone,
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> Nan Hunter and I used Zoom for the first time yesterday to teach our class and I thought I would share what worked well and what didn't in case this is helpful for others. We were both co-hosts and we had 25 students participating. Based on that experience, my sense was that Zoom works surprisingly well for smaller discussions or large lecture-based classes. I think it would be too clunky to really do a large socratic-style class with lots of back and forth among many participants. To my 20th century mind it does not compare to the in-class experience, but it is a fairly effective back up plan for snow days.

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> (1) Before you teach, be sure to do a test meeting with someone from IST. They have done a great job making

themselves available and it was enormously helpful.

> (2) It takes a little time, but I think it is worth doing a quick roll call at the start of the class to confirm which students are present. You can see up to about 20 video feeds (with names) on your screen at once and you can scroll through to see the others, but some students (who have technical or audio problems) will use the telephone to call in and you will only see their telephone number. There is not a record of participants afterward.

> (3) Ask your students to mute themselves when they are not speaking to eliminate ambient noise.

> (4) You can ask your students to use the “Raise Hand” function to ask or answer questions—it works pretty well and allows to see who wants to participate.

> (5) You can use power point with Zoom, which I thought was helpful for keeping everyone visually focused on content, but when you do that the video feeds scroll down the side of your screen and you can see many fewer students at one time. Also, when Nan had the power point open she could not manage participants (to see raised hands or mute people). As co-host I could do that, but that effectively required two people. So combining Zoom with power point has some costs.

> (6) Kick everyone in your household off the internet before you begin! I had some problems with connectivity at a couple points.

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> If others who have tried Zoom have insights or suggestions, please share. Particularly welcome would be ideas for how to structure or design a class to make the most of Zoom.

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> Happy Zooming, Naomi

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Date: 10/24/2015 4:29:05 PM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: JJ @ 4pm CT

Good luck everyone...

From: Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>

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Subject: Re: DRAFT: JJ @ 4pm CT

I just think she needs to start digesting and practicing this thing in the time we have now.

she finally likes the speech

she needs to own it on the stage which will be complicated to navigate.

im not sure shes there yet but if we give her time, she'll be able to deliver this well.

On Sat, Oct 24, 2015 at 5:15 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

Nice job.

Two small things.

In measure of success graph, I would use the word success both times not prosperity and success.

On shouting about guns, I wouldn't replace when a woman talks with when a woman speaks up or speaks out some people think that's shouting

Just think that's what HRC does. Makes her voice more powerful metaphorically.

A few typos but I assume your prof carefully before it's loaded.

Sent from my iPad

On Oct 24, 2015, at 4:58 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Latest. Unlikely to be able to make any more changes unless they are urgent.

On Sat, Oct 24, 2015 at 1:12 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Am giving HRC this new JJ draft. Please take another look and let us know what you think.

Thanks!

Dan

<2015-10-24 JJ - 4pm CT.docx>

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Date: 8/15/2012 2:24:50 PM
Subject: We'll treat you!

Michelle Obama, Bill Clinton and Elizabeth Warren will all be at the Democratic Convention to show their support for President Obama. If you [click here](#) , you and a friend could be there too!

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Thanks!

Greg

Greg Berlin
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Subject: Re: Secured Jeff Z's monster van

Thought about this. The team hasn't reported anything so I may ask my neighbor if we can borrow his in exchange for someone's wheels (we traded for Peter Velz' car last year so can do the same this year).

Eryn M. Sepp
Cell: 818-456-2881

> On Sep 4, 2015, at 9:40 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
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> do we have nibbles on a second one? Does Tamera have a van?

From: "Jeff Harris" <jeff@progressiveaccountability.org>

To: "big campaign" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>

Date: 10/31/2008 3:55:52 AM

Subject: [big campaign] REPUBLICANS, FEARFUL OF LARGE VOTER TURNOUT, TRYING TO SUPPRESS VOTE

REPUBLICANS, FEARFUL OF LARGE VOTER TURNOUT, TRYING TO SUPPRESS VOTE

On Halloween it is telling that the one thing Republicans and McCain fear the most is a large turnout of new voters in this year's election. As they do every election, Republicans are engaged in attempts to suppress the vote across the country.

"They want everybody to vote. I don't want everybody to vote. Elections are not won by a majority of people, they never have been from the beginning of our country and they are not now. As a matter of fact, our leverage in the elections quite candidly goes up as the voting populace goes down."
- Paul Weyrich, Founder of the Heritage Foundation and McCain Supporter
[YouTube, [1980](#)]

Real Threat To Voting Is GOP Voter Suppression

- "[A]ccording to Lori Minnite, professor of Political Science at Barnard College, who has spent the last eight years studying the role of fraud in U.S. elections, the Republican crusade against voter fraud is a strategic ruse. Rather than protecting the election process from voter fraud – a problem that barely exists – Minnite says the true aim of Republican efforts appear to be voter suppression across the partisan divide." [Salon, [10/15/08](#)]
- "Why are we hearing so much about voter fraud and so little about election fraud? After all, the odds of someone voting fraudulently are about the same as those of an American being struck and killed by lightning. A microscopic evaluation of election data in the 2004 gubernatorial election in Washington state revealed that voter fraud occurred approximately 0.0009 percent of the time. An analysis of the 2004 presidential election in Ohio revealed a voter fraud rate of 0.00004 percent." [Star Tribune, [10/28/08](#)]

Republicans Try To Suppress Vote Through Any Means Necessary

- New Mexico: "What these Republican operatives did is criminal," said ACORN member Dana Gallegos. "They violated these voters' privacy, and they want to deprive them of their right to vote. These kinds of dirty tricks tear at the fabric of our democracy. We demand an apology from the Republican Party, and we demand that Senator McCain denounce these partisan scare tactics." [Buzz Flash, [10/19/08](#)]
- Wisconsin: "In Wisconsin this past week, the Republican Attorney General, J.B. Van Hollen, filed a politically timed lawsuit that local election officials say will interfere with turnout for the presidential election on Nov. 4 and create a bureaucratic nightmare for election workers seeking to process a record number of new voter registrations before then. The AG's game plan is simple: create a bureaucratic nightmare to tie up the election machinery before Election Day and then create bottlenecks to confound voters on Election Day." [AlterNet, [9/13/08](#)]
- Florida: Election lawyers say Florida's Republican-controlled government has introduced more restrictions on the voting process than other states since 2000 and has fought harder to keep them. [New York Times, [4/28/08](#)]
- Virginia: A phony State Board of Elections flier advising Republicans to vote on Nov. 4 and Democrats on Nov. 5 is being circulated in several Hampton Roads localities, according to state elections officials. In fact, Election Day, for voters of all political stripes, remains Nov. 4." [Virginia Pilot, [10/28/08](#)]

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Date: 5/18/2013 10:08:16 AM
Subject: Get this:



John --

Today, college students enter the workforce with twice as much debt as they did 10 years ago.

But, get this: on July 1st, it's going to get even tougher. Student loan rates are set to double, from 3.4% to 6.8%, if Congress doesn't act.

We can't let that happen to Illinois students. That's why I'm supporting a commonsense solution that would stop the student loan rate hike and preserve the lower rate.

[If you agree, please sign your name and tell Congress to stop the student loan rate hike >>](#)

Without action, high student loan rates will make college unaffordable for too many of our young people. That's simply unfair.

Every American deserves a shot to earn a college degree. Let's make it easier for them, not harder.

Please sign your name and join me in this effort:

<http://action.cheribustos.com/Student-Loans>

Thank you,

Cheri

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Date: 10/13/2015 8:03:32 PM

Subject: [Update] Strategic Discussion

Tomorrow's 8am call is canceled. Congrats on a great debate, team!

Strategic Discussion

Purpose: Receive consultants' input on the issues of the day.

Agenda:

- 1. HRC schedule today
- 2. Opponents' activities today
- 3. News today
- 4. Input on response

When Wed Oct 14, 2015 8am – 8:30am Eastern Time

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Date: 12/18/2015 3:29:49 PM
Subject: Re: Pick-ups tomorrow morning

Great Thx.

On Friday, December 18, 2015, Aditi Nangia <anangia@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

My apologies, there isn't a 71st street stop this time -- Mandy and Connolly will cab to the 96th street stop.

Revised plan below --

First stop -- 28th St and Park at 9:20AM (Southeast corner)
John Podesta

Second stop -- 96th St and Park at 9:40AM (Southeast corner)
Bob Barnett
Mandy Grunwald
Connolly Keigher

Third stop -- Avis at HPN -- 240 Airport Rd, White Plains, NY 10604 at 10:40AM
Jake Sullivan

Drop-off -- Signature West at HPN at 11AM
85 Tower Road, White Plains NY 10604

Thank you so much!

On Fri, Dec 18, 2015 at 10:15 PM, Yasmin Wazir <yswazir@gmail.com> wrote:

Thanks, Aditi! See everyone in the morning.

Yasmin

On Friday, December 18, 2015, Aditi Nangia <anangia@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi all,

One of our volunteers, Yasmin, will be picking you all up and dropping you at HPN tomorrow morning. Yasmin's cell phone number is [\(304\) 389-9866](tel:3043899866), and if you have any trouble please call me -- [646-509-7490](tel:6465097490).

Yasmin, thank you so much for your help! Below is the pick-up plan for tomorrow morning. You're going to be running our Park Avenue Express! Then last stop is to quickly swing by the Avis at HPN, pick up Jake who is returning his rental car there, and head to the FBO. There are quite a few stops, so please let us know if you have any trouble or questions.

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Thank you so much!

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Date: 8/17/2015 12:13:41 PM
Subject: Auto-reply: Maternity Leave Re: You doing okay?

Thank you for your message. I am out on maternity leave until approximately January 4, 2016.

For assistance with John Podesta's schedule, please email Milia Fisher at milia.fisher@gmail.com or mfisher@hillaryclinton.com.

For assistance with queries related to the Washington Center for Equitable Growth, please contact Sherice Nelson at snelson@equitablegrowth.org.

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Eryn M. Sepp
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From: "[Jennifer Frost, Friends of Cheri Bustos](mailto:jennifer@frostgroup.net)" <jennifer@frostgroup.net>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/22/2014 2:50:37 AM

Subject: Congresswoman Cheri Bustos & Senator Dick Durbin Dinner - June 24th

Senator Dick Durbin

cordially invites you to a dinner honoring

Congresswoman Cheri Bustos

(IL-17)

Tuesday, June 24, 2014

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Acqua Al 2

212 7th Street SE

Washington, DC

Suggested Contributions:

\$5,000 Host | \$2,500 Co-host | \$1,000 PAC | \$500 Personal

For more information or to RSVP, please contact

Jennifer Frost at 202-285-0966 or jennifer@frostgroup.net

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["Laura Rosenberger" <lrosenberger@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:lrosenberger@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 12/3/2015 8:23:09 AM
Subject: RE: Next topper

Will do.

-----Original Message-----

From: Dan Schwerin [mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 3:16 PM
To: Laura Rosenberger <lrosenberger@hillaryclinton.com>
Cc: Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>; Nick Merrill
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Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>; John Podesta
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ha16@hillaryclinton.com
Subject: Re: Next topper

Right, i'm just suggesting dropping graph on guns

> On Dec 3, 2015, at 3:09 PM, Laura Rosenberger
> <lrosenberger@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
>
> Yes want to keep everything but the gun reference.
>
> Sent from my iPhone
>
>> On Dec 3, 2015, at 3:08 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> OK--but we should keep a bullet on San Bernardino, I assume? EG:
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>> Should we keep 1 para on San Bernardino? Just so we don't have
>> reporting that she didn't mention it at all? Eg:
>>
>> • Before we begin, I want to say something about what happened
>> yesterday in
>> San Bernardino. We don't yet know everything about this specific attack.
>> President Obama spoke this morning about the possibility that it was
>> terror-related. Everyone from the FBI to local police are working to
>> find answers. I'm confident that they'll determine what happened.
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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Nick Merrill [mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com]
>> Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 2:36 PM
>> To: Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>
>> Cc: Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>;
>> lrosenberger@hillaryclinton.com; jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com;
>> Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>; John Podesta
>> <john.podesta@gmail.com>; mrooney@hillaryclinton.com;
>> ha16@hillaryclinton.com
>> Subject: Re: Next topper

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>> Agreed.

>> Ruby won't ask her about this but will mention in the pre brief.

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>> On Dec 3, 2015, at 2:31 PM, Dan Schwerin

>> <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>

>> wrote:

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>> For the town hall topper this afternoon, I think we should drop all

>> gun references. The story is moving more and more toward terrorism

>> and it seems like by riffing on guns just now she looked a little

>> behind the curve. And what are we telling her for Ruby?

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Robert Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)

Date: 12/28/2014 5:36:07 AM

Subject: Re: Gen Counsel

Debbie was his boss and is better.

On Dec 28, 2014 9:26 AM, "Robert Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com> wrote:
| Alex DeMott??

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/13/2015 3:38:38 AM

Subject: Fwd: Hillary Victory Fund Dinner with Hillary & Bill Clinton and Sting

Attachments: December 17 HVF Dinner.pdf

FYI Dec 17th - HVF event

\$33,400 per person / \$66,800 couple - or \$100k per couple to be event Chair

Team – below is the official invitation for the HVF dinner that you can send to new invitees. Attached is a PDF version. For new pledges, please follow up on their contribution using the standard HVF contribution form. Thanks!

We invite you to join **Hillary Rodham Clinton** and **President Bill Clinton** for a special dinner on **Thursday, December 17**, in New York City, in support of the Hillary Victory Fund. This intimate evening will feature a memorable performance by Sting.

The invitation is below. To RSVP or if you have any questions, please contact to Tom Moran at tmoran@hillaryclinton.com or [646-598-3102](tel:646-598-3102) .

Thank you and we hope to see you on December 17!

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Richard_leon@dcd.uscourts.gov

Date: 7/23/2014 1:49:05 AM

Subject: Re: Congressional Investigations Paper

Judge Leon and Professor Podesta,

Hope you are having a great summer!

I'm pleased to report that the paper I wrote for your seminar this past spring will be published in the Virginia Sports & Entertainment Law Journal. The tentative title is "Hard Hitting: Comparing Congressional Investigations into Head Injuries and Performance-Enhancing Drugs in Sports."

Best,

Aaron Young

From: ["Milia B. Fisher" <mbfisher@americanprogress.org>](mailto:mbfisher@americanprogress.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 1/10/2014 9:48:24 AM

Subject: Accepted Job on Exec

Hi John,

I hope your first days at the White House are going wonderfully! I've had the chance to speak to Eryn a few times via phone and I can hear in her voice that she's having the experience of a lifetime. I just wanted to let you know that yesterday I accepted the Research Assistant position under Carmel and Jess on the Executive Team. In regards to the position in Todd Stern's office, I never heard back from anyone on his staff, and Exec's schedule dictated that I couldn't wait any longer for a response. I will send you an update in a few weeks to let you know how I'm settling in upstairs.

I wish you the very best of luck in all your efforts and I very much hope to see you soon!!

Best,
Milia

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To: ["john podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 1/21/2016 9:13:56 AM

Subject: Tell Kasich: It's Time to Study Paid Leave for New Moms

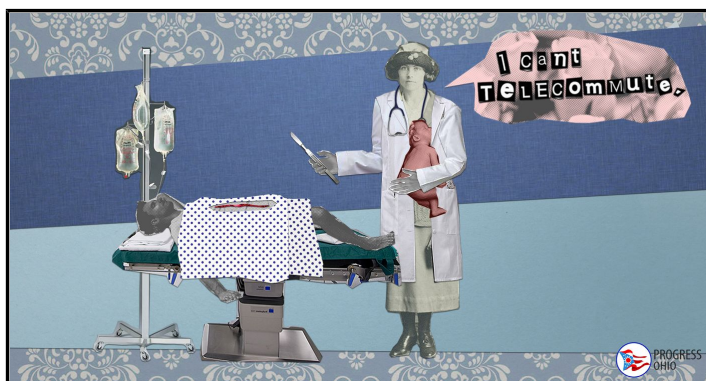


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The United States is the only industrialized nation [that does not offer paid parental leave](#).

In Ohio, [Governor Kasich](#) believes that instead of paid leave, "The one thing we need to do for working women is to give them the flexibility to be able to work at home online" because "they fall behind on the experience level" leading to lower pay.

[Tell Kasich to support Ohio's working Moms by creating a task force to evaluate paid parental leave for Ohio employees.](#)



Governor Kasich's comments fly in the face of reports from [Innovation Ohio](#), [Policy Matters Ohio](#), [CNN](#), [Business Insider](#) and [the New York Times](#), all of which agree that paid parental leave is good for mothers, families and businesses.

Among the benefits cited, paid leave:

- Reduces infant mortality;
- Increases the chances of newborns receiving wellness visits and vaccinations;
- Increases the likelihood of the employee returning to work; this in turn helps mothers economically as their wages continue to grow at a faster rate after returning;
- Improves the mental well-being of employees and reduces postpartum depression; and
- Significantly decreases the likelihood the employee will seek public assistance or nutritional programs such as food stamps.

It's time Ohio's leaders take a serious look at this simple, beneficial policy.

[Sign the petition now urging Governor Kasich to establish a task force to study the](#)

[feasibility of paid parental leave in Ohio.](#)



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To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/25/2008 7:33:46 AM

Subject: Major announcement from Barack

John --

Today and yesterday, President-elect Barack Obama announced key members of an economic team tasked with creating jobs, stabilizing the economy, and getting our country back on track.

Barack is bringing together some of the best minds in the country to make swift progress on the economic challenges we face.

Timothy F. Geithner, president and CEO of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, will serve as Secretary of the Treasury. Lawrence H. Summers, former Secretary of the Treasury under President Clinton, will serve as Director of the National Economic Council.

Christina D. Romer will serve as Director of the Council of Economic Advisers, Melody C. Barnes will serve as Director of the Domestic Policy Council, and Heather A. Higginbottom will serve as Deputy Director of the Domestic Policy Council.

Peter Orszag, currently Director of the Congressional Budget Office, will serve as Office of Management and Budget Director, and Rob Nabors will serve as Deputy Director.

[Watch the video of Barack's announcement yesterday and learn more about the economic team:](#)



Barack's economic team has already begun work on a recovery plan, and he'll provide progress updates in the coming weeks. He'll also provide their initial recommendations to the incoming Congress.

You'll be instrumental in generating support to pass legislation that puts America on the road to recovery.

While we can't underestimate the challenge we face, we also can't underestimate the opportunity we have to bring the change our country needs.

Thanks,

David

David Plouffe
Campaign Manager
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Date: 1/10/2016 4:40:52 AM

Subject: 12:45pm pre-call

Hi all,

We are setting up a 12:45pm pre-call before the 1:00pm call with HRC. Karen will be running through the agenda and a dial-in will be sent shortly.

Thanks!

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Chris Lu" <clu@barackobama.com>](mailto:clu@barackobama.com)

Date: 9/9/2008 9:53:49 AM

Subject: Re: update on a few things

I'm meeting with Sweeney on saturday. They are calm at this point.
Tell Nate to chill.

On Tue, Sep 9, 2008 at 3:16 PM, Chris Lu <clu@barackobama.com> wrote:

> Just wanted to fill you in on a few things:

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> 1) Harrison Wellford is working on memos both on burrowing-in and the
> various WH councils that could be reduced.

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> 2) White House and GSA have set up a meeting for 11 a.m. tomorrow to
> discuss IT/personnel issues. Cassandra, our IT person, and I are
> attending. I flag this simply because the McCain campaign will be sending
> representatives, so this will be our first sit-down with them.

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> 3) I've been gathering a list of people who might need security
> clearances before Election Day. Will pass that along to you when we've
> heard back from everyone, so you can pass it to the White House.

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> 4) I just spoke with Nate Tamarin, who does the campaign's outreach to
> unions. The AFL-CIO has been contacted by DOL about participating in some
> kind of transition planning, so the union is now asking what we're doing.
> Nate is concerned that if they find out how far along we are and that we
> haven't consulted them, they will not be happy. I told Nate at this point
> we haven't talked to any of the core constituencies in the party. I wanted
> to flag this since it's possible the AFL will call you.

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> Chris Lu

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Date:	2/20/2016 4:15:12 PM
Subject:	

Kornacki feels trump wins s.c by just 5pts..rubio 2. Side bar comment..best

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: LSHyman@aol.com

Date: 2/27/2015 8:44:05 AM

Subject: Hard Choices

Lester,

Thanks for your letter. Sounds very worthwhile. Look forward to the results.

Hope all is well.

John

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/7/2016 11:06:26 PM
Subject: Happy Birthday!!!

Dear John,

Wishing you the happiest birthday and a very successful 2016 full of health, happiness and peace.

Please give my love to Mary.

Warm regards,

Seher

From: ["Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com>](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)

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[Gabe <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/30/2014 1:23:12 AM

Subject: On the plane

On the plane to Orlando. Only person who remembered headphones is bel! Too funny. Miss and love you all.
Xo

From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 6/9/2014 6:35:52 PM
Subject: Fwd: Mexican Genetics Study Reveals Huge Variation in Ancestry

Our funding was key to Burchard's career and work. We've been on a roll.

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Burchard, Esteban" <Esteban.Burchard@ucsf.edu>
Date: June 9, 2014 at 5:52:51 PM PDT
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Cc: "Burchard, Esteban" <Esteban.Burchard@ucsf.edu>
Subject: FW: Mexican Genetics Study Reveals Huge Variation in Ancestry

Susan, Herb, Jim and Steve

We just got a major publication in the journal Science. It will come out on Thursday. I am attaching the press release below.

Thank you for your support

Esteban

From: UCSF News [<mailto:kristen.bole@ucsf.edu>]
Sent: Monday, June 09, 2014 12:16 PM
To: Bole, Kristen
Subject: Mexican Genetics Study Reveals Huge Variation in Ancestry

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Mexican Genetics Study Reveals Huge Variation in Ancestry

UCSF/Stanford Team Uncovers Basis for Health Differences among Latinos
10/18/2016

In the most comprehensive genetic study of the Mexican population to date, researchers from UC San Francisco and Stanford University, along with Mexico's National Institute of Genomic Medicine (INMEGEN) have identified tremendous genetic diversity, reflecting thousands of years of separation among local populations and shedding light on a range of confounding aspects of Latino health.

The study, which documented nearly 1 million genetic variants among more than 1,000 individuals, unveiled genetic differences as extensive as the variations between some Europeans and Asians, indicating populations that have been isolated for hundreds to thousands of years.

These differences offer an explanation for the wide variety of health factors among Latinos of Mexican descent, including differing rates of breast cancer and asthma, as well as therapeutic response. Results of the study, on which UCSF and Stanford shared both first and senior authors, appear in the June 13, 2014 online edition of the journal *Science*.

"Over thousands of years, there's been a tremendous language and cultural diversity across Mexico, with large empires like the Aztec and Maya, as well as small, isolated populations," said Christopher Gignoux, PhD, who was first author on the study with Andres Moreno-Estrada, first as a graduate student at UCSF and now as a postdoctoral fellow at Stanford. "Not only were we able to measure this diversity across the country, but we identified tremendous genetic diversity, with real disease implications based on where, precisely, your ancestors are from in Mexico."

For decades, physicians have based a range of diagnoses on patients' stated or perceived ethnic heritage, including baseline measurements for lung capacity, which are used to assess whether a patients' lungs are damaged by disease or environmental factors. In that context, categories such as Latino or African-American, both of which reflect people of diverse combinations of genetic ancestry, can be dangerously misleading and cause both misdiagnoses and incorrect treatment.

While there have been numerous disease/gene studies since the Human Genome Project, they have primarily focused on European and European-American populations, the researchers said. As a result, there is very little knowledge of the genetic basis for health differences among diverse populations.

"In lung disease such as asthma or emphysema, we know that it matters what ancestry you have at specific locations on your genes," said Esteban González Burchard, M.D., M.P.H., professor of Bioengineering and Therapeutic Sciences, and Medicine in the UCSF schools of Pharmacy and Medicine, who is co-senior author of the paper with Carlos Bustamante, PhD, a professor of genetics at Stanford. "In this study, we realized that for disease classification it also matters what *type* of Native American ancestry you have. In terms of genetics, it's the difference between a neighborhood and a precise street address."

The researchers focused on Mexico as one of the largest sources of pre-Columbian diversity, with a long history of complex civilizations that have had varying contributions to the present-day population. Working collaboratively across the institutions, the team enlisted 40 experts, ranging from bi-lingual anthropologists to statistical geneticists, computational biologists and clinicians, as well as researchers from multiple institutions in Mexico and others in England, France, Puerto Rico and Spain.

The study covered most geographic regions in Mexico and represented 511 people from 20 indigenous and 11 mestizo (ethnically mixed) populations. Their information was compared to genetic and lung-measurement data from two previous studies, including roughly 250 Mexican and Mexican-American children in the Genetics of Asthma in Latino Americans (GALA) study, the largest genetic study of Latino children, which [Burchard](#) leads.

Among the results was the discovery of three distinct genetic clusters in different areas of Mexico, as well as clear remnants of ancient

empires that cross seemingly remote geographical zones. In particular, the Seri people along the northern mainland coast of the Gulf of California and a Mayan people known as the Lacandon, near the Guatemalan border, are as genetically different from one another as Europeans are from Chinese.

"We were surprised by the fact that this composition was also reflected in people with mixed ancestries from cosmopolitan areas," said co-first author Andres Moreno-Estrada, MD, PhD, a life sciences research associate at Stanford. "Hidden among the European and African ancestry blocks, the indigenous genetic map resembles a geographic map of Mexico."

The study also revealed a dramatic difference in lung capacity between mestizo individuals with western indigenous Mexican ancestry and those with eastern ancestry, to the degree that in a lung test of two equally healthy people of the same age, someone from the west could appear to be a decade younger than a Yucatan counterpart. Burchard said this was clinically significant and could have important implications in diagnosing lung disease.

Significantly, the study found that these genetic origins correlated directly to lung function in modern Mexican-Americans. As a result, the research lays the groundwork for both further research and for developing precise diagnostics and possibly even therapeutics, based on these genetic variations. It also creates a potentially important tool for public health policy, especially in Mexico, in allocating resources for both research and care.

"This can shape public health and public policy," Burchard said. "If you're testing a group of kids who are at risk for asthma or other health conditions, you want to do it in an area where the frequency of the disease gene is highest. We now have a map of Mexico that will help researchers make those clinical and public health decisions."

Burchard, a pulmonologist whose work focuses on the impact of genetic ancestry on children's risk of asthma and response to asthma medications, has wanted to study the Mexican population since 2003, both as a medical context for Mexican-Americans and as an opportunity to understand Native American genetics. To do so, he reached out to Bustamante, who directs the Stanford Center for Computational, Evolutionary and Human Genomics.

"We were particularly motivated by the fact that the vast majority of genetic studies have focused on populations of European descent," Bustamante said. "We think there are lots of opportunities for understanding the biology, as well as understanding differences in disease outcome in different parts of the world, by studying the genetics of complex disease in different populations."

Over the past few years, researchers have begun to understand that genetic variation has a very peculiar structure, Bustamante said. Some common genetic variants reach appreciable frequencies (e.g., 30-50 percent) in many of the world's populations. Most of these appear to have existed in the human gene pool at the time of the great human diasporas, including the migrations out of Africa. However, Bustamante said a "huge flurry" of other mutations have arisen since then, as human populations grew due to the advent and adoption of agriculture. These are much rarer, occurring in about 1- to 2 percent of the population, and are thought to be both more recent and relevant to health and disease. These rare variants make up the bulk of genetic alterations we see in human populations.

Many of these genetic differences already are known to have a direct impact on our risk for certain diseases, such as the BRCA gene in breast cancer, or our ability to metabolize medications. But before we can develop more precise therapies or prescribe them to the right patients, we need far more knowledge of what those variants are across diverse populations, and how they affect health.

"This is driving the ball down the field toward precision medicine," Burchard said. "We can't just clump everyone together and call them European Americans or Mexican Americans. There's been a lot of resistance to studying racially mixed populations, because they've been considered too complex. We think that offers a real scientific advantage."

Complete results and a full list of authors can be found in the paper, which appears online at Sciencemag.org . A representative chart of a diverse genome, reflecting varied heritage across one individual's genes, can be found on the Burchard Lab website.

The study was supported by the Federal Government of Mexico, Mexican Health Foundation, Gonzalo Rio Arronte Foundation, George Rosenkranz Prize for Health Care Research in Developing Countries, UCSF Chancellor's Research Fellowship, Stanford Department of Genetics, National Institutes of Health (grants GM007175, 5R01GM090087, 2R01HG003229, ES015794, GM007546, GM061390, HL004464, HL078885, HL088133, RR000083, P60MD006902 and ZIA ES49019), National Science Foundation, a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Amos Medical Faculty Development Award, Sandler Foundation, America Asthma Foundation and the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences.

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Tomorrow, Tuesday, November 25, Rebecca Tushnet will present her paper, "Registering Discontent: Registration in Modern American Trademark Law." The draft was attached to an earlier email. It is available online [here](#) and, in hard copy, through Faculty Support. We will meet in the Hotung Faculty Dining Room beginning at Noon. Lunch will be served.

This is our last faculty workshop of the term – we look forward to seeing you!

Best regards,

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["Charlie Baker" <CBaker@deweysquare.com>](mailto:CBaker@deweysquare.com)
Date: 8/15/2013 11:32:54 AM
Subject:

WSJ and Politico doing stories on '16, which I have held off for eight months, but I think we are going to be in these. I am going to give the on the record statement we worked up for the filing - "Priorities USA Action is proud to have played a crucial role in re-electing President Obama, and our donors and supporters feel like they got terrific bang for their buck. We intend to play an equally crucial role in electing the next President." I am not commenting beyond that. Let me know if you have any concerns, happy to discuss changes.
Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

From: "Hotwire Deals" <Hotwire@e.Hotwire.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/26/2015 10:13:13 PM

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Date: 10/1/2015 9:42:32 AM
Subject: Re: HRC op-ed on Wall Street Reform
Attachments: 2015-10-01 Wall Street op-ed - 4pm.docx

Sending this back around for folks, this time with "accountability" up at the top of the agenda.

On Wed, Sep 30, 2015 at 4:55 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Team, attached is a draft op-ed on Wall Street reform that we're talking about releasing next week, accompanied by a fact sheet. The goal is to use this to get HRC on the record with a package of reforms before the debate, but we're not expecting many progressives to swoon and we aren't envisioning this as the place where we launch a Sanders contrast. Please take a look and let me know what you think.

Thanks

Dan

From: ["Maya Harris" <mharris@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mharris@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/3/2015 11:37:49 AM

Subject: Re: Thanks!

yes around all day tomorrow. we actually considered adding something related to this issue in the criminal justice platform. let's discuss.

On Tue, Nov 3, 2015 at 6:18 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

To You only

I saw Ginny at Don Edwards Memorial service. Lots of anti death penalty stuff going on there. Stephen Bright focused not on 94 crime bill but 96 antiterrorism and death penalty bill which he said gutted habeus. We should probably discuss tomorrow if you are around.

John

On Tuesday, November 3, 2015, Maya Harris <mharris@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Thanks for making the connection, John.

Ginny, happy to touch base. I'm copying Ashley here to help us find a time tomorrow. Look forward to it.

Best,

Maya

On Nov 3, 2015, at 5:36 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Maya, Ginny runs the Constitution Project and see ants to talk criminal justice reform.

J

On Nov 3, 2015 3:06 PM, "Virginia Sloan" <VSloan@constitutionproject.org> wrote:

John, it was so lovely of you to attend the event today. I know how pleased Don would have been that you were there. And you missed a fun lunch afterwards but we of course understand that duty calls.

If you could introduce me by email to Maya Harris, that would be great. I fully understand that you may be positioning HRC in a particular way on criminal justice issues, and I know she's extremely well informed on the issues already, but it might be useful to kick a few things around.

Thanks again and hi to Mary. Ginny

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From: "Matthew Slutsky" <matthewj Slutsky@gmail.com>

To: Ajenteson@americanprogress.org

Date: 10/16/2009 4:05:24 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Re: Boehner "Might Restate" That He's Never Met Public Option Supporter

"Several phone calls..." What a joke...

On Fri, Oct 16, 2009 at 11:01 AM, Adam Jenteson <Ajenteson@americanprogress.org> wrote:

BOEHNER STAFFER: I think that if he could go back, he might restate that.

[Boehner Admits That He's Now Heard From Supporters Of The Public Option](http://thinkprogress.org/2009/10/16/boehner-garlic-publicoption/)

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Earlier this month, House Republican Leader Rep. John Boehner (R-OH) explained his strident opposition to a public health insurance option by claiming he had never met an American in support of it. "I'm still trying to find the first American to talk to who is in favor of the public option," Boehner said. "This is about as unpopular as a [garlic milkshake](#) ."

Of course, the public option is supported by a majority of the nation, but also by a [majority](#) of people in Boehner's home state of Ohio. Boehner's comments elicited [ridicule](#) , as well as visits to his office by many supporters of the public option. The SEIU has a video of one such visit:

Q: So then now he can't go on TV and say he's never heard from real Americans about the public option or healthcare –

BOEHNER STAFFER: I think that if he could go back, he might restate that.

Watch it:

Yesterday at a press conference, Boehner conceded that "we have had several phone calls in favor" of the public option. Listen here:

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From: "Louise Hidalgo-INTERNET" <louise.hidalgo@bbc.co.uk>  
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
Date: 9/3/2014 2:41:45 AM  
Subject: RE: BBC World Service

It will be a pre-recorded interview, which ideally I'd like to do one morning this week, or Monday at latest.

Look forward to hearing what you think

Louise

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**From:** John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** 03 September 2014 10:36  
**To:** Louise Hidalgo-INTERNET  
**Cc:** John\_D\_Podesta@who.eop.gov  
**Subject:** Re: BBC World Service

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[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)  
  
On Sep 3, 2014, at 3:16 AM, Louise Hidalgo-INTERNET <[louise.hidalgo@bbc.co.uk](mailto:louise.hidalgo@bbc.co.uk)> wrote:

Dear Mr Podesta

I work on BBC News' award-winning radio history programme, Witness, in which we talk to people who lived through, or witnessed, great events in history.

We want to do an edition on the historic handshake between Yasser Arafat and Yitzhak Rabin, in September 1993, to be broadcast next week.

And we want to get a sense of what was going on behind the scenes that day – the last minute flurry of negotiations, the atmosphere, the worries about what might or might not go wrong; the scene which President Clinton recounts in his memoirs of how he and his aides practised what might happen if Chairman Arafat moved to embrace Prime Minister Rabin, and how to ensure that they did shake hands. Witness is a programme of personal memories and we would be delighted if you would be willing to share with us your memories of that day.

With best wishes

Louise  
**Louise Hidalgo**  
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*Named "Best Speech Programme" at the Sony Radio Awards 2013 <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p004t1hd>*

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Date: 3/16/2015 6:27:48 AM

Subject: Re: Mid-Day Roundup - Mon 3/16

Nyt has a story today about treasury ig fighting with VA IG

Can you send a link to my Georgetown students with a note ck this out.

3 Missed Calls:

Brian Deese

[202-456-1404](tel:202-456-1404) (Daniel)

Would appreciate a call back.

Tina Flourney

[202-262-1264](tel:202-262-1264)

Would appreciate a call back.

Separate note: Expect Donna Shalala to reach out through Eryn sometime soon.

Richard Ayres

[202-452-9300](tel:202-452-9300)

Wants to continue your conversation from Wednesday, when you can.

For the 2:30 pm Call:

From what I understand, Marisa will call your cell directly to connect you to the group.

**Eryn M. Sepp**

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 To: [Podesta@Law.Georgetown.Edu](mailto:Podesta@Law.Georgetown.Edu)  
 Date: 9/17/2014 6:19:30 AM  
 Subject: Call Congress: say NO to US leading a new military intervention in the war in Syria



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If the US had intervened 3 years ago when the democratic forces in Syria were calling for help, and done so by

- a. calling for an International Conference to have the countries of the world stand up for a democratic process and decide what kinds of support they could give to the democratic forces at that time (probably outside the UN, given the archaic form of the Security Council)
- b. apologizing to the people of the region for the U.S. invasion of Iraq and our destructive role there during the war that we initiated, including our torture centers at abu greib and other less well known locations, and brought to trial those officials of the U.S. government and the CIA who had ordered, permitted or facilitated acts of torture in violation of universal standards of human rights, and
- c. initiating the process of creating a Global Marshall Plan (along the lines proposed by the Network of Spiritual Progressives at [www.tikkun.org/gmp](http://www.tikkun.org/gmp)) whose first location would be the Middle East

....then there might have been some legitimacy for the U.S. playing a leadership role at this time.

But until these steps are taken, the U.S. will almost certainly be perceived as simply continuing its illegitimate war that was temporarily suspended a few years ago, and might unite the Sunnis against us and into a regional war between Sunnis and Shia.

At this point, less is more--and the urgency to stop the horrific and disgusting behavior of ISIS must be taken up by the rest of the world, with the US helping to convene them, but not taking the leadership in violent military actions or pouring more weaponry into the conflict that may well end up in the hands of ISIS or whatever hateful regime emerges after ISIS is defeated.

With memories of the US torturing of Iraqis fresh in the minds of many in the region, and the recognition that Saudi Arabia, a central part of those opposing ISIS, continues to engage in beheading those it determines to be criminals, it becomes wise to not have the U.S. perceived as the central part of a new military escalation in the area.

The NSP (Network of Spiritual Progressives) is part of the peace and non-violence supporting Win Without War coalition, we want to urge you to act on their effort to have people call Congress today to communicate this kind of message. When you call Congress, you can send our NSP kind of message along with the message that the Win Without War coalition is championing. First, do no harm, and war-making is harm (and as a U.S. Army general said yesterday, ground troops are certainly conceivable. It is easy to see how the next president might take the resolutions passed today as legitimation for expanding this war, just as George w. Bush used the 9/11 aftermath congressional resolutions as his defacto justification for starting the invasion of Iraq in 2003--Rabbi Michael Lerner, editor, Tikkun Magazine  
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**WIN ★ WITHOUT ★ WAR**

Dear TIKKUN and NSP Community,

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We expect the House to vote around 4 pm eastern time TODAY (Sept 17) on [H. Amdt. 1141](#), **Rep. McKeon's (R-CA) proposal to train and arm Syrian rebels**. Before throwing fuel on the fire of the [Syrian civil war](#), Congress needs to consider [alternatives](#) to military intervention and to heed the advice of constituents who do not want the U.S. entering another endless war in the Middle East.

[Please take one minute to call your Representative using this toll-free number: 1-855-686-6927](#). After 13 long years of war, we know, that the costs are simply too high for Congress to get this wrong again.

Thank you,

Stephen Miles  
Advocacy Director  
Win Without War

Dear Michael,

In the past six weeks, America has flown nearly 3,000 missions, deployed more than 1,500 troops, and launched more than 150 airstrikes in Iraq. Just last week, the President announced that our latest war in the Middle East will be ramping up, with increased airstrikes in Iraq and soon also in Syria. And, as early as today, Congress is going to vote on a controversial plan to send arms to Syrian rebels, pouring fuel on the fire of the Syrian civil war.

[Your Members of Congress need to hear from you before they support another endless war in the Middle East!](#)

The hard truth is that U.S. airstrikes will not solve the problems we face in Iraq and Syria. Over the past 13 years, we have seen how the unintended consequences of military action can spiral out of control. U.S. bombs, and the civilian deaths they cause, often serve as recruitment tools for groups like ISIS.

American supplied weapons have already fallen into the hands of violent extremists. And American military intervention often makes the hard diplomacy needed to solve the underlying political conflicts impossible.

**That's why we're organizing a national day of action today to stop the escalation of violence.** Please join with activists across the country and make your voice heard!

**Call Congress by using this special toll-free\* number: 1-855-68 NO WAR (1-855-686-6927).** This number will connect you with the Capitol Switchboard operator, and you should ask to be connected to your Representative's office. Introduce yourself as a constituent and explain that you're opposed to the use of military force against ISIS and would like your Representative to promote [alternative options](#) to deal with ISIS. Once you're done, call back and ask to be connected to each of your Senators' offices.

#### **Sample Script:**

"Hi I'm \_\_\_\_\_ and I'm a constituent calling from \_\_\_\_\_. I'm calling to ask you to stop and ask the hard questions before we go back to war in the Middle East. Before arming the Syrian rebels or launching more airstrikes, we need to fully explore alternatives to force. After 13 long years of war, we know, that the costs are simply too high to get this wrong again. Thank you!"

**Please take two minutes right now to call your Members of Congress and stop the march back to war. [Call toll-free 1-855-686-6927 TODAY!](#)**

After you've called, please let us know any feedback you received. **Please [report your call](#) and [invite your friends and family](#) to call Congress.**

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Date: 8/27/2014 7:12:03 AM

Subject: Thank You

Dear John and Mary,

To claim you've missed your calling would hardly be accurate, given the remarkable contributions you both have and are making to our national well-being. But boy can you two prepare a meal!

A short note to thank you for a stupendous dinner. Three Michelin stars. The risotto, fish and salad were marvelous. It was a splendid evening.

Dale and I so enjoyed meeting you both. We hope our paths cross again. When you are next anywhere near Cambridge, please let us know .... we'd love to have you over to our home for a meal.

Warm regards,

Bob and Dale Mnookin

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From: "Governor Quinn" <[info@quinnforillinois.com](mailto:info@quinnforillinois.com)>

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 8/16/2014 12:53:34 PM

Subject: I took the challenge

Friend,

I'm not one to back down from a challenge.

Over the past few days, you may have heard of the Ice Bucket Challenge. It's all part of the effort to raise awareness and to raise money to combat ALS, also known as Lou Gehrig's Disease.

The rules are simple: Donate \$100 to the ALS Association, or pour a bucket of ice water over yourself -- or both.

Today, I took the challenge.

I was joined by a dozen members of my amazing campaign team who took the challenge alongside me. You can watch the video here:

<http://www.quinnforillinois.com/ice-bucket-challenge>

I'm still drying off, but I'm glad I did it.

In less than a month, the ice bucket challenge has raised more than ten million dollars to help fight this disease.

I also made a donation to the ALS Association, and I encourage you to donate as well:

<http://www.quinnforillinois.com/donate-to-ALS>

As important as those donations are, the attention this disease is getting as a result of the challenge is truly invaluable.

It's a perfect example of what we can do when we all come together for a cause.

So -- are you up for the challenge?

Governor Quinn

P.S. I can't help but point out that the ice bucket challenge was started by an inspiring activist from Yonkers, New York, who is also named Pat Quinn. From one Pat Quinn to another: nice work.

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Date: 2/5/2015 3:45:08 PM

Subject: Re: Staff

Thx

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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On Feb 5, 2015, at 7:15 PM, Craig Smith [<csmith@ps-b.com>](mailto:csmith@ps-b.com) wrote:

Here you go. Let me know if you need anything else. These are listed by department, not in order of priority.

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To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 7/23/2015 2:39:16 AM

Subject: Re: Requests for Chelsea

Checking in again to see how I should handle

Thanks

On Wed, Jul 22, 2015 at 9:49 AM, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Let me know what you guys think here

On Jul 21, 2015, at 9:11 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

John, what's the best way to handle this without rocking the boat too much?

On Tue, Jul 21, 2015 at 8:51 PM, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Do you just want us to work directly with Bari on this?

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jessica Morales Rocketto <[jmoralesrocketto@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jmoralesrocketto@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: July 21, 2015 at 8:49:37 PM EDT

To: Katie Dowd <[kdowd@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kdowd@hillaryclinton.com)>, Marlon Marshall <[mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com)>, Jenna Lowenstein <[jlowenstein@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jlowenstein@hillaryclinton.com)>

Cc: Adam Parkhomenko <[aparkhomenko@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aparkhomenko@hillaryclinton.com)>

Subject: Requests for Chelsea

Hi all,

As requested, here are list of possible opportunities for Chelsea. See below, tried to make suitable for forwarding.

Let me know if there is anything else you need!

Jess

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Our first non-early state weekend of action is happening July 24th-July 26th with a focus on community canvasses. Chelsea's participation would be an incredible way to amplify this important organizing moment, and any level of support would be a huge help. Below is a list of our highest priority asks, in order of importance. Any of these actions would be great ways for Chelsea to engage, even if she can't do our highest priority asks:

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Join a canvass in NYC area on 7/26 or 7/26

- Dominican Day Parade in the Bronx. A note that Bill De Blasio's office flagged this event for us, and he will be at this event.

- Data entry at HQ in Brooklyn Heights
- Smorgosboard in Williamsburg
- Smorgosboard in Brooklyn Heights
- Times Square (only if she is unwilling to do other options)

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Join a volunteer call on 7/23 with volunteer leaders for the weekend at 8:00 PM (time somewhat flexible)

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Periscope or livetweet from NYC area canvass

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Be the “signer” on texts to internal volunteer leaders for the day (reporting back, giving pep talks, saying thank you, etc

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Tweet from her account inviting people to the WOA

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iPhone video thanking volunteers that we can post to private, volunteer run FB groups (evergreen, not necessarily referencing weekend of action)

From: ["Robert Russo" <rrusso@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:rrusso@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Megan Rooney" <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 10/22/2015 2:03:19 PM  
Subject: Re: DRAFT: Women's Leadership Forum remarks

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Thanks!

On Thu, Oct 22, 2015 at 9:02 PM, Megan Rooney

<mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

> This is ready for the book, thanks.

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> On Thu, Oct 22, 2015 at 7:29 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>

> wrote:

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>> Hi all -- this is for tomorrow morning. It really can't be longer than

>> this (there are a million speakers) so please keep that in mind as you read.

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>> If you could send me edits asap, I can get them into the book. Otherwise,

>> send edits anytime tonight and I'll get them into the final.

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>> Thanks!

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Robert Russo

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| Date:        | 10/30/2008 8:17:28 AM                                                                 |
| Subject:     | Economic Staffing Decisions                                                           |
| Attachments: | Engagement Memo 10292008.doc<br>MEMORANDUM- Oct. 29, 2008.doc                         |

Barack,

Good meeting yesterday. When we got off on the idea of creating an emergency national economic council, we left unresolved two questions that were contained in my 2 page cover memo. First, should Daley or Tarullo run the interim economic staff team in the early days of the transition (with the expectation that once appointed the National Economic Advisor would take over)? These are presented as options 2 and 3 on page 2 of the memo. I lean towards option 3, with Tarullo in charge, but either would work. That needs resolution today or tomorrow so we can execute on Wednesday. Second, we need to decide on who should be on the interim outside council. There is a list of suggestions on the bottom of page 2. You added Warren Buffett to the potential list. How do you want to proceed? Pick from the list? have further discussion? Let me know.

John

The memos are attached for your review.

From: ["Andrew Baumann" <ABaumann@gqrr.com>](mailto:ABaumann@gqrr.com)  
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Date: 1/9/2008 7:53:00 AM  
Subject: RE: more analysis on special interest and corruption questions

Tom,

Following up on my previous email here are some thoughts on the effectiveness of the Huckabee and Giuliani ethics attacks. There isn't really a comparable Romney attack to look at.

#### Giuliani:

The attack on Giuliani's ethics is centered around his association with Kerik and the cover up of his use of city funds to pay for his affair in the Hamptons. This was the strongest rated attack on Giuliani overall.

This was, indeed, the top performing attack among those who cited special interests as a top reason for the nation being on the wrong track (43 percent very serious / 75 percent total serious). Among all other wrong track voters the ethics attack was second to the close to Bush attack.

It also performed the strongest among Republican (21 percent very serious doubts, 51 percent total serious doubts) and was really the only attack that had a significant impact on Republicans. This attack is also relatively strong among white evangelicals (27/60) and is tops among those who initially support Giuliani – it appears that an ethics-based attack can work in hurting Giuliani with his base (something we also see with Huckabee).

The ethics attack also scores the best of our attacks among those who shift against Giuliani on being honest and trustworthy, willing to say anything and unethical. Our regression modeling did show that the ethics attack helped drive the shift on the unethical attribute but it did not register as a driver for any of the other attributes. However, the negative fact on the cover up of Giuliani's affair, which was an element of the ethics attack, did register on the honest and trustworthy attribute.

Some other groups among with the ethics attack performed well:

- Moderates (32/69)
- Hispanics (41/73)
- Younger women (34/65)

#### Huckabee:

The attack on Huckabee's ethics is centered on his admonishment by the state ethics board and his pardoning of a convicted rapist. This was the strongest rated attack on Huckabee overall.

This did not rate the highest among those who cited special interests as the reason our country in on the wrong track. The extremism attack rated significantly better (51/77 for extremism and 34/72 for ethics).

The ethics and judgment attack was the best attack among independents (43/75) and Republicans (21/65). It was particularly strong among independent women (46/80). It was also clearly the top attack among those that shifted away from Huckabee on the vote (46/80) and on the honest and trustworthy (48/83) and change (50/81) attributes. However, our regression modeling showed that the ethics attack only helped drive the shift on the honest and trustworthy attribute and, even then, its significance was second to the extremism attack. In fact, as we noted in our memo, the regression modeling showed that the extremism attack was the most effective attack in shifting attributes across the board. It appears that the extremism attack not only serves as a good proxy for being too close to Bush, but also in undermining confidence in Huckabee's character and independence.

Other notes on the ethics attack:

- It clearly performed better among the less educated and worst among those with a post graduate degree
- It was off-the-charts among Hispanics (63/90). This mirrors our findings on the Giuliani ethics hit, suggesting that Hispanics and generally open to ethics and character-based attacks.

Andrew

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**From:** Andrew Baumann  
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**Cc:** ic2008; Stan Greenberg; Tara McGuinness; Begala, Paul; Susan McCue; John Podesta  
**Subject:** RE: more analysis on special interest and corruption questions

Tom,

Here's some analysis on those who rate "Washington Dominated by special interests" as a top reason for the country being on the wrong track. I'll touch on some of the specific doubts in a following email.

325 respondents, or 14% of all those surveyed, rated this as one of the top two reasons the country is on the wrong track. Keep in mind that only those who said the country was on the wrong track were asked this follow up question, so the 20% who said right track were not asked this question. Looking only at those saying wrong track, "special interests" was named as one of the top 2 concerns by 20% of these voters, making it the 2<sup>nd</sup> most frequent response.

Keep in mind that every “wrong track” subgroup is tilted towards the Democrats, as we are excluding the hard-core Republicans who say we are on the right track. With that in mind, those citing special interests is the least Democratic of the various “wrong track” groups, and is heavier in independents. The partisan breakdown of this group is 42% Democrat, 37% independent, 21% Republican. (This compares to 36/29/34 overall and 47/31/21 among all wrong track voters).

This group is also slightly more male than the overall population (52% male), slightly older (55% over 50) and slightly more educated (52% college grads).

Unsurprisingly, this group is initially very open to Obama, much more so than to Hillary. His leads on all three Republicans is larger, in some cases by large amounts. It is important to remember that for each match-up we only have a sample size of about 55 cases for this subgroup, so there is a large margin of error (about +/- 13%) for these numbers.

Initial match-ups:

|         | Giuliani    | Romney      | Huckabee    |
|---------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Clinton | 55/28 (+27) | 55/39 (+16) | 44/34 (+10) |
| Obama   | 70/20 (+50) | 56/31 (+25) | 63/29 (+34) |

The change among this group is heavily dependent on match-up with few clear trends emerging. One thing that does emerge, however, is that our attacks on Romney seem to be most effective with this group. Both Clinton and Obama gain ground against Romney. On the other hand, they both lose ground against Giuliani, with Clinton losing significant ground. Against Huckabee, Clinton gains a huge 23 points, while Obama loses 8 points against Huckabee.

Aside from a match-up against Giuliani, Obama does seem to lose more/gain less among this group

Final match-ups:

|         | Giuliani    | Romney      | Huckabee    |
|---------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Clinton | 45/32 (+13) | 53/28 (+25) | 59/26 (+33) |
| Obama   | 66/18 (+48) | 56/27 (+29) | 55/28 (+27) |

Net Vote Difference:

|         | Giuliani | Romney | Huckabee | Average |
|---------|----------|--------|----------|---------|
| Clinton | -14      | +8     | +23      | +8.5    |
| Obama   | -2       | +14    | -8       | +1.3    |
| Average | -8       | +11    | +7.5     |         |

On most Giuliani attributes we see movements similar to the overall numbers, which was high. There is larger movement on the “unethical” attribute, which shows a +38 point net shift, 10 points more than among the overall population. Of the three candidates, it’s clear that we saw the worst shifts among these voters for Giuliani. It should be noted that Rudy started off in a very bad position with the voters so his numbers had less room to decrease; still, it appears we would have work to do with these voters on Giuliani. (Since 1/3 of the sample, heard each Republican’s attribute, the sample size for each of these is about 110, which leads to a margin of error of about +/- 9 %)

On the Romney attributes we see a very large shift of +54 on “too close to Bush,” 26 points higher than among the overall population. We do not see similarly large shifts on “honest and trustworthy” or other attributes, however. Still, the large shift in this key attribute, along with the consistent shifts in the vote on Romney show that our attacks are having an effect with these voters.

On the Huckabee attributes we see very large shifts, even larger than the shifts among the overall population. On being “too close to Bush” we see a +53 point shift, 13 points higher than among the overall population. We also see a -45 point shift on “honest and trustworthy,” 8 points higher than among the overall population. Again, our attacks on Huckabee seem to be effective among these voters.

The attacks on Hillary score similarly among this group as they do among the overall population, which is a bit of a concern since this is a more democratic group and we’d expect the attacks to have less force. Taxes is still the top hit with 41% saying it creates very serious doubts and a total of 58% saying it creates serious doubts. The attacks on Obama are weaker among this group. Again, taxes is still the most damaging, but it scores just 23% very serious / 52% total serious (compared to 37/66 among the overall population). The difference in the power of the attacks is reflected in the relative shifts against Giuliani and Romney – in both cases Obama fares better (though against Romney this is well within the margin of error). The large relative shift against Obama in the match-up against Huckabee is curious.

The attacks on Giuliani are stronger than they are among the general public, with the attack on his ethics (unsurprisingly) topping the list. At 43% very serious/75% total serious this attack is strong among this group.

The attacks on Romney are also very strong on this group with his support for Bush on Iraq leading the way. This attack generates 48% very serious / 73% total serious among this group (vs 35/57) overall and its strength is reflected in the very large shift on Romney being “too close to Bush.” It would appear that with Romney, at least, tying him to Bush may also scar him with a taint of being corrupt and/or unethical and really damage him in the minds of these voters.

Surprisingly, the top attack on Huckabee among this group is not the ethics and judgment attack centering on his parole of a convicted rapist (though it does score well), but is his right-wing extremism. 30% named his abortion extremist in our list of negative facts and the right-wing extremist attack scored-off-the charts with this group – 51% very serious, 77% total serious. He continue to see evidence that the extremist attacks serves as an effective proxy in tying Huckabee to Bush and, it would also seem, tarnishing his image on ethics and corruption.

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**From:** tmatzzie@gmail.com [mailto:tmatzzie@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of** Tom Matzzie  
**Sent:** Monday, January 07, 2008 6:24 PM  
**To:** Andrew Baumann  
**Cc:** ic2008; Stan Greenberg; Tara McGuinness; Begala, Paul; Susan McCue; John Podesta  
**Subject:** Re: more analysis on special interest and corruption questions

Yes and who is rating special interests as a top issue and do they move? if you look at our supporters how does that wrong track-special interest question come out.

basically cut a banner looking at who rates the "washington dominated by special interests" wrong track answer as high. cut another looking at who is responding to the other strongest corruption attack (huckabee doubts battery?)

On Jan 7, 2008 6:20 PM, Andrew Baumann <[ABaumann@gqrr.com](mailto:ABaumann@gqrr.com)> wrote:  
Tom,

I'm not exactly clear what you are asking for. Are you talking about who is moving on the honest and trustworthy and/or unethical attributes for each candidates?

Are you talking about who shifts due to our special interests attacks?

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**Subject:** more analysis on special interest and corruption questions

GQR Team,

Can we get some more analysis on the special interest and corruption questions? Who is moving on them? Dem-Indy-GOP differences. Age, gender differences. Regressions etc... How does this compare to other questions?

There is the WRONG TRACK question at the beginning of the poll and then some of the questions in the doubts batteries.

Thanks,

-Tom



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Subject: Preeta's OK

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Date: Mon, Aug 11, 2008 at 11:56 AM

Subject: RE: transition

To: Christopher Edley <[cedley@gmail.com](mailto:cedley@gmail.com)>

ok, great. Happy to know Pete and Sonal are on it. They are great.

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From: Christopher Edley [mailto:[cedley@gmail.com](mailto:cedley@gmail.com)]

Sent: Monday, August 11, 2008 2:54 PM

To: Bansal, Preeta D (NYC)

Subject: transition

Just spoke with Podesta.

I was wrong on composition of the Board. He says that Pete Rouse (Barack's Senate chief of staff) is Japanese-American, and that Sonal Shah at Google.org is Indian-American. (I haven't met either except on phone calls.)

Podesta says that he thinks Froman has spoken with you again, and John doesn't want to get in the middle of things but he has encouraged Froman to make sure you have a substantial role.

So I think we are back where we started. In addition to the personnel effort, if you'd like to be on the Immigration Reform working group that would be great. I'm reaching out to Aleinikoff.

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(personal email)

Christopher Edley, Jr.

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UC Berkeley Law School

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Date: 11/30/2015 4:45:12 AM  
Subject: Re: Conference Call with HRC, Monday November 30th at 10:30am ET

Went out for a run and missed this. Talked to Debbie and Susan. They seem to be hanging in all things considered.

On Monday, November 30, 2015, Sara Latham <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
10:30am Charlie Rose / prep call

Monday, November 30th  
10:30am-11:15am ET  
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We would like to have a conference call with HRC on Monday, November 30th to prepare for the interview with Charlie Rose.

Monday, November 30th  
10:30am-11:15am ET  
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Please let me know if you have a significant conflict at that time -- thank you.

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Kristina Schake | Communications  
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**Subject:** Call tonight (Wednesday) - 915 pm EASTERN/ 815 pm CENTRAL

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1. Hill update
2. GMU speech
3. DOD announcement
4. Personnel announcements this week (DNI/CIA)
5. Next week schedule

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- 1. Hill update
- 2. CPO announcement
- 3. Former POTUS lunch
- 4. DOD announcement
- 5. Rest of week schedule

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- 1. Economic Recovery and Reinvestment plan
- 2. Budget announcement
- 3. CIA
- 4. CPO
- 5. DOD announcement
- 6. Carter meeting

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- 1. Richardson fallout
- 2. Econ pool spray
- 3. Congressional meetings
- 4. Schedule updates

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**Sent:** Sat Jan 03 19:55:01 2009

**Subject:** No call tonight

There is no 9:15 pm central/10:15 pm eastern call tonight (Saturday) with the President Elect.

~Katie J.

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Katie B. Johnson

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Subject: Re:

Sounds good

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, September 19, 2014 10:29:38 PM

To: Doug Band

Subject: Re:

Will do. Tuesday night looks best.

JP

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> On Sep 19, 2014, at 10:28 PM, Doug Band <doug.band@teneoholdings.com> wrote:

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> Cool

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> Let me know if you have time for a drink

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> From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

> Sent: Friday, September 19, 2014 10:27:34 PM

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> Coming up Sunday.

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>> On Sep 10, 2014, at 7:48 AM, Doug Band <doug.band@teneoholdings.com> wrote:

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>> Chief

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>> Hope all is well. If you are in ny and have any time over un week, let me know as it would be great to catch up over a beer.

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>> Hope the family is well.

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>> Best,

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>> Doug

From: ["Luke Albee" <llalbee@engagecuba.org>](mailto:llalbee@engagecuba.org)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 7/29/2015 6:37:12 AM
Subject: about HRC cuba speech friday.

So the talkers call happened. . .see below from one of our peeps who was on the call. If there is a way she can point out that this is NOT all R's. . .its the old stone-age Republican leadership and Rubio and Jeb....Many Republicans (Flake and others, including Carlos Guittierez) are with us. . .just like there are sane R's who want immigration reform that the R leadership is to afraid to move etc etc. Thanks.

Clinton speech on Cuba Friday in Miami. They just held a talkers call. Nothing particularly different but I'm concerned that she'll turn this into Democrat vs Republican on Cuba, the past the GOP wants vs the future she and Democrats are pushing. I'll be pressing them to highlight that Jeb and Marco are as much out of step with Republicans as they are with everyone else on this issue.

From: ["Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)

["Marc Elias" <melias@perkinscoie.com>](mailto:melias@perkinscoie.com)

Date: 2/16/2015 3:42:00 AM

Subject: RFH/Superpacs items

John and I just discussed a few more things related to RFH and super pacs this morning and I wanted to share our major questions in case it's helpful for your convo today.

1. We'd really like to get John talking to superpacs this week--RFH, Priorities, Brock, etc. Is that ok? Can he actively impose the discipline that the NYT says he will (no pressure, John!)? Are there restrictions on he can or can't say? For example, it would be nice to tell RFH to dial down the emails for blankets and party busses--is that kind of tactical input allowed?

2. RFH Staff--can we start interviewing them now? Are there any restrictions on what we can say in interviews? Do we reduce risk of a complaint if we hire them after the committee has been shut down?

From: "REL Appalachia" <relappalachia@cna.org>
To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu
Date: 11/18/2015 5:31:16 AM
Subject: Workshop Recap: Middle School Literacy and Numeracy



Workshop Recap

REL Appalachia held a workshop on teaching critical middle school math and reading skills. Here's what happened!

REL Appalachia Recap

Workshop: What Do We Do When Middle School Students Can't Read the Text? Can't Solve the Math Problem?
October 19, 2015

90 Virginia educators participated in REL Appalachia's workshop on teaching critical literacy and numeracy skills to middle school students.

Takeaways

- ✓ Deepen students' understanding of fractions by using multiple visual representations of fraction problems.
- ✓ Support students' understanding of fraction magnitudes by using number lines.
- ✓ Help rural students relate to content by using texts that are meaningful and relevant to cultural contexts.
- ✓ Teach reading strategies to increase students' understanding of and engagement with text before, during, and after reading passages.

“Thank you for a fabulous workshop in Roanoke. I learned so much to bring back to my students and fellow teachers which will benefit our school here in Pittsylvania County.”
—Tate Leftwich, Grade 8 English Teacher, Dan River Middle School

Follow Up
Learn more at www.relappalachia.org/events.
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Regional Educational Laboratory

90 educators from across Virginia participated in REL Appalachia's workshop on teaching critical literacy and numeracy skills to middle school students. The event was split into two sessions: one on literacy and one on numeracy.

Takeaways:

- Deepen students' understanding of fractions by using multiple visual representations of fraction problems.
- Help rural students relate to content by using texts that are meaningful and relevant to cultural contexts.

Click the flyer to the right for more!



Dr. Amy Price Azano, an assistant professor from Virginia Tech, shared literacy best practices for teaching students in rural America.



Dr. John Woodward, dean of the School of Education at the University of Puget Sound, spotlighted foundational skills students need for middle school mathematics.

To learn more about this event, [visit the event page on our website.](#)



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From: "Mitchell W. Berger" <MBerger@bergersingerman.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 7/27/2015 3:58:22 PM

Subject: Re: for what it's worth ...

I know of your efforts on homestead ...

Those who don't remember history

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 27, 2015, at 6:09 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I remember Homestead well and thought it was a mistake at the time. I also worked on the resolution after the election! Apt analogy.

On Monday, July 27, 2015, Mitchell W. Berger <MBerger@bergersingerman.com> wrote:

On keystone,

Refraining from taking a position hurt Al Gore on Homestead Air Force base. He declined to take a position for the same reason HRC did on the pipe line ; he initiated the review. Carol was unable to campaign for him in Florida as a result.

Carter Eskew would agree as far as I remember this ambiguity and nuance was not helpful either with swing voters or base voters.

As for the issue itself...Michael Bloomberg has made a proposal to approve the pipeline and institute our first carbon tax in conjunction with its approval. His argument is the crude is going to be shipped somewhere ., either west or south , and it might as well be south with a deal made to impose a carbon tax. As you know he is working closely with Steyer and Paulson and his idea might be a way to campaign on the idea of promoting a carbon tax, especially if the tax could be used to finance the half a billion solar panels.

For what it's worth.

<image001.png>

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From: "Margolis, Jim" <Jim.Margolis@gmbb.com>
To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>
"Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>
Date: 3/16/2015 6:08:14 AM
Subject: Re: Trafficking//Loretta Lynch

I think trafficking makes sense to add tonight.
Seems like Lynch may be a stretch for this evening, but not for today.

From: Jen Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>
Date: Monday, March 16, 2015 at 8:06 AM
To: Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>
Cc: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com>, GMMB GMMB <jim.margolis@gmbb.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>, Jesse Ferguson <jesse@jesseferguson.com>, Jen Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>, Robby Mook <robbymook@gmail.com>, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: Trafficking//Loretta Lynch

Yes, need to do something on her and trafficking which is also hung up. She could also raise one or both of these tonight.

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 16, 2015, at 8:52 AM, Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

She knows Loretta. Not an extremely close relationship and don't remember last time they connected. She was in running to be Spitzer LG years ago. Hrc wanted Leecia Eve, others pushed Lynch. Regardless, definitely a cordial relationship.
I would vote for a tweet.

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, March 16, 2015 8:35:43 AM
To: Kristina Schake
Cc: Jim Margolis; Joel Benenson; Mandy Grunwald; Jesse Ferguson; Jennifer Palmieri; Robby Mook; Jake Sullivan; Huma Abedin
Subject: Re: Trafficking//Loretta Lynch

Pretty sure she knows her, but not certain. +Huma

On Mar 16, 2015 8:32 AM, "Kristina Schake" <kristinakschake@gmail.com> wrote:

We weren't planning to, but with the new development think we should. We could do a tweet today. Does she know Lynch? If so, we could make it more personal or do it as a statement. Copying in Jesse too.

On Mon, Mar 16, 2015 at 7:55 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
| We doing anything on this today?

From: "Sarah Watson" <sdw61@law.georgetown.edu>
To: [Announcements](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu) <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 1/21/2015 7:31:02 AM
Subject: Sofa for sale!

Hello!

I am moving at the beginning of March, and I am selling my sofa. It is a dual recliner; each seat reclines individually. The cushions and the recliner mechanism are in good condition, but there are 2-3 worn or stained spots on the upholstery (see photos). The price is \$100 (OBO), and you will have to come retrieve it because I cannot metro it to work with me from Alexandria. ☺

Thanks!

Sarah D. Watson | Program Assistant | Georgetown Law ACCLE
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From: "[Karl Frisch. Media Matters Action Network](mailto:kfrisch@mediamattersaction.org)" <kfrisch@mediamattersaction.org>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 7/29/2008 2:14:15 AM

Subject: [big campaign] BREAKING: Ad Campaign Targets Media's Love for McCain

FYI



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Tuesday, July 29, 2008

CONTACT

Karl Frisch (202) 772-8156

kfrisch@mediamattersaction.org

Ad Campaign Targets Media's Love for McCain

McCain's Weeklong Complaints About Media Ring Hollow

To View the Ad, [CLICK HERE](http://mediamattersaction.org/theyloveme/)

<http://mediamattersaction.org/theyloveme/>

Washington, D.C. – Following a week of coverage focused on unfounded complaints of media bias by Sen. John McCain and his surrogates, *Media Matters Action Network* today launched an ad campaign highlighting the media's long-held affection for the presumptive Republican presidential nominee and seeking public support to hold the media accountable.

"John McCain's claim that the media is out to get him couldn't be more disingenuous. Most politicians would sell their soul for the type of media coverage he has received over the past decade. It's no wonder McCain has called the media his base," said Paul Waldman, co-author of *Free Ride: John McCain and the Media* (Anchor Books, 2008).

"This ad highlights what many already know to be true -- that McCain, more than any other politician, has benefited from a press corps that routinely ignores his gaffes, flip-flops, and mistakes while propping up the myth that he is some sort of an anti-Washington, straight-talking maverick regardless of facts to the contrary."

The ad follows on the heels of a new study from the conservative *Center for Media and Public Affairs*, which [reportedly](#) found that during the initial phase of the general election, network evening news coverage has been more favorable toward John McCain than Barack Obama. Though Obama has received a greater volume of coverage at times, the tone of his coverage has been more negative, according to CMPA.

CMPA reportedly examined all statements by anchors and reporters on the network evening news broadcasts between June 8, the day after Hillary Clinton dropped out of the Democratic race, and July 21. Though most of the comments were neutral in tone, CMPA reportedly found that when there was an opinion offered, it was more likely negative against Obama. Only 28% of the opinions offered about Obama were positive, while 72% were negative. McCain's numbers were clearly better: 43% positive opinions versus 57% negative.

Script for Media Matters Action Network's "[Daisy](#) " Television Ad

McCain: They love me...they love me not.

Clip: "He's widely admired by members of the media, myself included..." (Mike Barnicle, MSNBC's *Morning Joe*, 6/9/08)

McCain: They love me ...

Clip: "The press loves McCain, we're his base..." (Chris Matthews, *The Chris Matthews Show*, 9/10/06)

McCain: They love me ...

Clip: "The words maverick and McCain have become almost synonymous..." (Brit Hume, Fox News' *Special Report with Brit Hume*, 11/16/06) "...the maverick McCain" (Norah O'Donnell, MSNBC's *Hardball*, 6/21/06) "...Maverick" (Bob 10/18/2016)

Scheiffer, *CBS Evening News*, 1/15/08)

McCain (rapidly interjecting): They love me, they love me, they love me ...

Clip: “For the press...who I think every last one of them would move to Massachusetts and marry John McCain if they could.” (Joe Scarborough, MSNBC’s *Morning Joe*, 1/7/08)

McCain: They love me!

V/O: Fed up? Take the pledge to hold the media accountable. Media Matters Action Network is responsible for the content of this advertisement.

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From: "David S. Bennahum" <davidsol@gmail.com>

To: [bigcampaign <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)

Date: 8/15/2008 2:56:15 AM

Subject: [big campaign] "New Subprime Hall of Shamer: McCain's Son "

<http://washingtonindependent.com/view/new-subprime-hall-of>

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From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 2/17/2015 11:52:40 AM
Subject: Re: Amtrak Weds PM Return

All set!

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 17, 2015, at 18:42, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Let's go with 10:20 up and 10:05 back.

On Feb 17, 2015 4:33 PM, "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com> wrote:

It's not ideal--

The 8-10 pm returns are all sold out or cancelled.

All that's left is 10:05pm - 1:30am.

Senior Fare is \$73.10 each way, Total \$146.20.

Thoughts?

If you wanted to stay overnight and return in the AM on Thursday:

4:40am - 8:20am

5:30am - 8:50am

6:10am - 9:50am

Same fare.

From: ["Molly Jackson" <jacksonm@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:jacksonm@law.georgetown.edu)
To: [Announcements <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 9/10/2014 5:37:50 AM
Subject: FW: Hoya FCU Law Center Visit --- Cancellation

[Please see below.](#)

From: Paula Vinson [mailto:pdv6@georgetown.edu]
Sent: Wednesday, September 10, 2014 8:27 AM
To: Molly Jackson
Subject: Hoya FCU Law Center Visit --- Cancellation

Good morning Molly,

I regret that I have to cancel today's law center visit.

Could you please let everyone know. We will resume our monthly visits next month.

I apologize for the short notice.

Thanks for your assistance.

Have a great day.

Sincerely,

Paula D. Vinson, Assistant Manager
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From: ["MELANIE WEBB" <MWEBB@ago.state.ms.us>](mailto:MWEBB@ago.state.ms.us)

To: frankjsanchez@gmail.com
john.podesta@gmail.com
frank.sanchez@ptt.gov

Date: 12/10/2008 6:13:14 AM

Subject: Letter from Attorney General Hood

Attachments: madrid_recommend_121008.pdf

To: Mr. Podesta and Mr. Sanchez

Gentlemen,

Attached please find a letter from Mississippi Attorney General Jim Hood for your perusal.

If you have any difficulty opening it please let me know. Also, if we can be of any assistance, please contact General Hood at (601) 359-3680.

Thank you in advance for your thoughtful consideration, and for your diligent work during this exciting, yet pressing time.

With kindest regards,

Melanie Webb

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Executive Assitant
Attorney General, Jim Hood
P. O. Box 220
Jackson, MS 39205
Phone: (601) 359-3680

From: "GARCETTI FOR MAYOR" <info@ericgarcetti.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/29/2012 12:23:34 PM

Subject: Back to work



Dear Friend,

After a brief break for the holidays, it's back to work and another busy week for Eric and the campaign!

Today's Los Angeles Times [reports](#) on Eric's work to save the aviation mechanics school at Van Nuys Airport, which could close due to Los Angeles Unified School District budget cuts. With many aviation mechanic jobs being [outsourced](#), we cannot afford to lose this program and turn away students who want to learn the skills they need to land good paying jobs, build careers and succeed in our global economy.

In an effort to keep these aviation jobs here, Eric announced yesterday that he will introduce a L.A. City Council motion asking the Airport Department to work with LAUSD to keep this school open.

Eric said, "The aviation training program at Van Nuys Airport is a critical asset for Los Angeles. I am deeply concerned that it could close."

Learn more about the action Eric is taking to keep the vocational school open [here](#).

Eric was recently interviewed by the L.A. Times about his motion officially designating "Peru Village" in Hollywood. Peru Village has four Peruvian restaurants and many other businesses, and would be located on Vine between Sunset and Melrose.



Eric said, "The Peruvian community and PERU Village L.A. are great tiles in the mosaic of Los Angeles. We want people to come to Hollywood, enjoy the food and learn about the Peruvian culture."

The motion to designate Peru Village

10/18/2016

has earned support from the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce and at least 500 city residents who signed petitions.

Read the full article [here](#) .

Eric also discussed his work to promote L.A.'s growing tech community. The Los Angeles Business Journal reported this week on Eric's plan to expand the partnership between L.A.'s tech businesses and the Mayor's Council on Innovation and Industry.

Eric said, "I would ramp up the council here even further. I don't want them to just be an industry think group that reports to the mayor, but really be able to control the city's brand."

Did you catch the interview with Eric on KCRW? He discusses living in Los Angeles as a fourth-generation Angeleno. It's not to be missed, listen to it [here](#) .

Happy New Year!

– Team Garcetti

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To: "Kristina Schake" <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 6/10/2015 9:37:07 AM
Subject: Re: TWEETS: Bill de Blasio on HRC speech / Bernie

Where was this?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 10, 2015, at 4:32 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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From: Ian Sams <isams@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: Wed, Jun 10, 2015 at 4:30 PM
Subject: TWEETS: Bill de Blasio on HRC speech / Bernie
To: Clips <clips@hillaryclinton.com>

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attending @HillaryClinton's rally? Bill de Blasio: "No .. I'm waiting to hear ... her larger vision to addressing income inequality."

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"I've always liked what i heard from Bernie Sanders" — @BilldeBlasio .

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From: ["David Donnelly" <ddonnelly@campaignmoney.org>](mailto:ddonnelly@campaignmoney.org)

To: ["Paul Booth" <PBooth@afscme.org>](mailto:PBooth@afscme.org)
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["Alison Omens" <Aomens@aficio.org>](mailto:Aomens@aficio.org)

Date: 4/25/2008 10:05:50 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Re: McCain Fact Sheet on Health Care and Campaign Connections

Attachments: Backgrounder McCain and health care UPDATED.pdf
Backgrounder McCain and health care UPDATED.doc

Okay, Booths. Updated attached for all.

Have a good weekend.

DD

On 4/25/08 4:13 PM, "Paul Booth" <PBooth@afscme.org> wrote:

Here's a suggested set of points that rearrange and amplify the last two sections. They cause the last four footnotes to be renumbered.

McCain's healthcare plan shifts costs from employers to workers.

- McCain would use tax code changes to encourage employers to stop providing health benefits for workers and force workers to buy their own insurance
- McCain would institute a massive new tax on workers by taxing their health benefits.
- McCain promotes Health Savings Accounts (HSAs), which must be combined with very high-deductible health plans (\$2,000 or more), leading to high out-of-pocket costs.
- McCain's plan would give families a tax credit to buy insurance. However, the tax credit would pay for only one-fourth to one-half of the average annual premium.
- As the Center for American Progress has reported, "poorly designed tax credits could actually increase rather than decrease the number of uninsured by causing more high-risk people to lose group coverage than the number of low-risk people who gain individual-market coverage". [fnt 11]

McCain's healthcare plan leaves Americans to fend for themselves in an insurance bureaucracy that puts profits before people.

- McCain's plan would leave patients at the mercy of the insurance companies by overriding state rules that protect consumers from company abuses.
- For example, McCain would allow insurance companies to deny coverage to people with pre-existing conditions, the very people who need health care the most.

McCain's healthcare plan won't cover the uninsured.

- McCain's plan will not cover all Americans, and that is not one of his stated goals.
- According to the Wall Street Journal, McCain's plan "will focus on controlling costs rather than reducing the ranks of the uninsured." [fnt 9] The Census Bureau has reported that approximately 47 million, or one in seven American, lack health insurance. [fnt 10]

McCain's healthcare plan protects drug company profits.

- In a major health care address promoted on his campaign website, McCain says: "The problem is not that most Americans lack adequate health insurance.... The biggest problem with the American health care system is that it costs too much." [fnt 8]
- However, McCain's plan does not go after one of the biggest reasons for skyrocketing costs—the outrageous price of prescription drugs. His plan will not allow the government to use its purchasing power to negotiate discounts with drug companies.

From: David Donnelly [<mailto:ddonnelly@campaignmoney.org>]

Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 1:25 PM

To: David Donnelly; Paul Booth; big campaign; Alison Omens

Subject: Re: [big campaign] Re: McCain Fact Sheet on Health Care and Campaign Connections

Recirculating with corrections (thanks again, Paul).

DD

On 4/25/08 12:55 PM, "David Donnelly" <ddonnelly@campaignmoney.org> wrote:
Thanks Paul — will do and recirculate. Appreciate your help.

DD

On 4/25/08 12:40 PM, "Paul Booth" <PBooth@afscme.org> wrote:
The major change should be where there's a headline saying his plan "lowers costs". Actually it "shifts" costs. I've attached a leaflet we're using dissecting his policy proposals.

From: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com [<mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>] <<mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com%5d>> **On**
Behalf Of David Donnelly
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 11:38 AM
To: 'big campaign'; Alison Omens
Subject: [big campaign] McCain Fact Sheet on Health Care and Campaign Connections

All,

Attached is a document that our research team put together on McCain's connection to the health care and insurance industries, his fundraising, selected lobbyists, etc.

Feel free to use this, send around, etc.

One startling figure: McCain's campaign counts 38 lobbyists from the health care and insurance industries who are either on staff or raising money for the campaigns — these 38 lobbyists have received more than \$140 million in fees from their health or insurance clients since 1998.

David

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Bob Boorstin" <rboorstin@gmail.com>](mailto:rboorstin@gmail.com)

Date: 6/15/2015 6:08:49 AM

Subject: Re: Nats vs. Pirates Friday night?

Sounds nice but the kids are all in town so have to pass

On Monday, June 15, 2015, Bob Boorstin <rboorstin@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi John,

Ricki and I are going and was wondering whether you and Mary are interested, in town, available?

Yrs.

Bob

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Robert O. Boorstin

rboorstin@gmail.com

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Date:	9/30/2015 12:52:27 PM
Subject:	Transcript 20150930 Interview with Al Sharpton
Attachments:	20150930 Live to tape Interview with Al Sharpton [The Al Sharpton Show].doc

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From: "[Katherine McFate, Center for Effective Government](mailto:katherine@foreffectivegov.org)" <katherine@foreffectivegov.org>
To: "[John Podesta](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 11/30/2015 7:52:19 AM
Subject: It's time to put the American people above corporate profits.



November 30, 2015

Dear John,

Before the end of the year, Congress will vote on legislation to extend more than 50 tax breaks—most of which will benefit corporations. Corporate tax breaks will cost billions of dollars.

But two tax credits that help working parents are at risk of NOT being extended.

The Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) and the Child Tax Credit (CTC) provide help to working parents struggling to keep their heads above water.



If improvements to the Child Tax Credit are not extended, a single mother with two children working full-time at the federal minimum wage, earning \$14,500 a year, would lose \$1,725 a year, or about \$144 a month. This translates into five dollars a day bus fare to a job, money for a babysitter, or the occasional prepared meal picked up on the way home when she's too tired to cook. Is this really too much for us to provide?

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Date: 3/3/2015 1:15:37 PM
Subject: Re: Heads up

Saw him. Talking to her by phone later this week.

On Mar 3, 2015 7:33 PM, "Mary Pat Bonner" <mpbonner@bonnergrp.com> wrote:

Hi, I just wanted to let you know that a few weeks ago Win asked me to schedule a meeting for his girlfriend Carol with the "Man" who is running the campaign. So I thought he meant Robbie who I reached out to and who Carol has spoken with. But it appears he meant you. So when I told him he was not in DC today, I meant Robbie and not you, just in case you see or talk to him you will know what he is talking about.

In case it comes up.

Thanks,

MP

From: ["Anna Canfield" <acanfield@americanprogress.org>](mailto:acanfield@americanprogress.org)

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Date: 11/7/2008 6:29:08 AM

Subject: Calls so far

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202-898-6974
would appreciate a call

Senator Bingaman (via asst. Virginia)
202-224-5521
would appreciate a call

Ambassador Castellaneta (Italy) via asst. Silvia
202-612-4440
would like to speak to you today if possible.

Robert Bigelow (via asst Donna)
702-456-1606
Senator Reid suggested he try and connect with you. Would appreciate a call today. Only time unavailable is between 12:00-1:30 EST

Ambassador Sadik
571-239-9948 (mobile)
would appreciate a call

Anna Canfield | Special Assistant to Sarah Wartell, Executive Vice President | Center for American Progress | 1333 H Street NW, 10th Floor | Washington DC 20005 | 202.478.6324 (P) | 202.682.1867(F)

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Date: 9/9/2015 5:24:26 AM

Subject: September monthly statement: Regional flights get more entertaining

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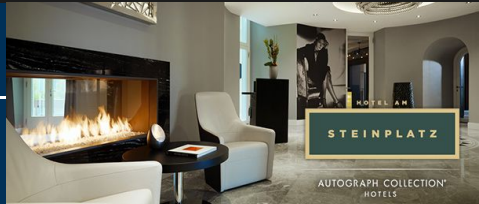


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Date:	2/6/2016 12:56:49 PM
Subject:	MV DSCC 2015 guest list
Attachments:	MVY Guest List (2).xlsx

Guests at the retreat. will have briefing in the am or later tonight

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Date:	10/7/2015 12:26:06 PM
Subject:	Good to go

Phil/John -- they are fine with proceeding. I'm also connecting you to Beth here by email so you have each other's contact information. Thx

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Subject: [Update] NH Primary Week Planning

This meeting will be in Nevada.

Also attached to the calendar invite is the NH proposal for primary week.

Thanks

NH Primary Week Planning

When Tue Jan 19, 2016 12:30pm – 2pm Eastern Time

Where Conf room tbd // 718-819-1528 ([map](#))

Video call https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/nh-primary-week

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Date: 12/15/2015 2:25:13 PM

Subject: Obergefell v. Hodges



Friend,

Ohio is my home. And when the state I love refused to recognize my marriage with my husband, and partner of more than 20 years, John, I stood up and brought our lawsuit all the way to the Supreme Court. Now I'm standing up and endorsing Ted Strickland for U.S. Senate, and I'm asking you to join me.

If you're willing to stand with me during this historic time for progress in our country, please chip in \$10 for Ted today.

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I was the lead plaintiff in Obergefell v. Hodges, a case that eventually led to the Supreme Court of the United States declaring that every state in this beautiful country must recognize marriage equality. I'm very proud to be a part of that historic victory. But I know the fight is far from over, and that's why we need Ted in our corner.

Ted walked the walk for equality when he was Governor by appointing openly gay and lesbian Ohioans to his cabinet and the court. He marched through the streets in the rain for marriage equality. Now, from passing the *Equality Act* to ending conversion therapy, Ted is the Senate candidate I trust to keep up our fight for full equality under the law.

Cincinnati is my home, and I know Ted is all in for equality for all Ohioans, and he needs us to be all in in this campaign.

Ted's in one of the closest Senate races in the country. And the outcome of his race will have a real impact on our future, on the values we cherish, and on the country we leave for the next generation. I refuse to let the other side undo the progress that we've made, and that's why I'm asking you to chip in for Ted today.

The FEC financial filing deadline at the end of the year is the biggest test Ted's campaign has faced yet. So if you stand with me, I need you to stand with Ted, right now.

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In solidarity,

Jim

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Jim Obergefell

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Subject: RE: memo on govt reform/pulbic corruption

Neera – so it seems like the ideas that really have currency are the following:

Increase government's public reporting so voters know what government is doing and how money is being spent. 66 of soft partisans think this would be very effective in making government more accountable.

Strengthen bribery laws to ensure that politicians don't change legislation for political donations. 62%

Require full public reporting in government purchases or contracts, create stricter penalties for contractors who violate agreements. 61

Strictly limit the amount of money that lobbyists and their clients can contribute. 60

Require any organization that spends money on election ads to disclose its major donors. 60

The first and third are easy enough, although I wonder how much we'll break through with them. We have already embraced the fifth.

The fourth idea seems challenging – who counts as "clients"? Would we limit the funds given by people working for companies that lobby more than those who don't? Not sure how that would work.

The second idea is a favorite of mine, as you know, but REALLY dicey territory for HRC, right?

Just trying to think about how we actually operationalize this, because I totally agree you are on to something.

And where do you stand on a \$100 limit on campaign contributions, full stop?

From: Neera Tanden [mailto:ntanden@gmail.com]

Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 11:52 PM

To: Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> ; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >

Subject: memo on govt reform/pulbic corruption

I've discussed thoughts on this with both of you so sending it along. Hope it's helpful. We are fleshing out these policy ideas, but we are about a week away from that process being done. Thought this was important to get to you sooner though. I know members of your team are fleshing out similar ideas.

Let me know your thoughts.

Thanks!

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Subject: Re:

I'll call over the weekend.

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From: Mike Froman
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Sent: Oct 24, 2008 6:59 PM
Subject:

John --

As you're thinking through the post-election structure for economic policy making/crisis management, how it relates to the appointment of the economic team, etc., please let me know if I can be of help. Following my conversations with Bob, Bill, Josh et al about this this week, I've been trying to sort out in my own mind how it all might fit together to deal with the immediate challenges.

-- Mike

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

From: ["Gene Karpinski, League of Conservation Voters" <emc@lcv.org>](mailto:emc@lcv.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 7/31/2013 8:13:30 AM

Subject: Environmental Majority Council Update



LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS

Dear John,

This has been another exciting month in the world of climate politics, so I wanted to send a quick note with a few key highlights. Thank you for your continued partnership in this work. As you will read from the update below, your investment in LCV continues to help build real political power for the environmental movement.

Onward,

Gene

Gina McCarthy Confirmed to Lead Environmental Protection Agency

After the longest wait for a permanent EPA Administrator in the agency's history, Gina McCarthy was finally confirmed with a strong bipartisan vote in the Senate. This is a big, positive step forward. We are looking forward to working closely with her to help realize President Obama's vision for making meaningful progress on climate change, starting with setting common sense limits on industrial carbon pollution from power plants. [Click here](#) to read our full statement in support of her confirmation.

New McAuliffe Ad Hits Cuccinelli on Climate; Touts Virginia LCV Support

This week, Virginia gubernatorial candidate Terry McAuliffe released a new television ad highlighting Ken Cuccinelli's ideological witch hunt in 2010 against Michael Mann, then a climate scientist at the University of Virginia, for pursuing research with which Cuccinelli did not agree. The investigation, driven by Cuccinelli's extreme anti-science agenda, was deemed baseless by the Virginia Supreme Court.

The ad also touts McAuliffe's endorsement by the Virginia League of Conservation Voters. They support him for his commitment to protecting and restoring Virginia's natural resources, his dedication to a strong renewable energy future for the Commonwealth, and his support of Virginia's science and research communities. The new ad, "Witch Hunt," can be viewed here: <http://bit.ly/18IZ9Yc>.

Virginia LCV PAC has also built the first state LCV online bundling site *GiveGreen* Virginia -- to support candidates in Virginia starting with Terry McAuliffe. Please check it out here: <https://va-givegreen.zissousecure.com/>.

LCV Releases Bipartisan Poll on Young Voters and Climate Change

As the impacts of climate change take hold on a near daily basis—from record heat waves, wildfires, floods, and storms—the American way of life is being violently transformed. And Americans are taking notice—especially younger voters whose future is at stake.

Last week, LCV [released a bipartisan poll](#) showing that young voters across the country are concerned about climate change, intensely supportive of federal action to address it, and are willing to punish those who ignore the problem. Moreover, young voters overwhelmingly describe climate change deniers as "ignorant" and "out-of-touch," reflecting the generational divide and underscoring the disconnect between their real world experience and the politically charged views of deniers.

Over the next several years, LCV and our allies plan to aggressively expose climate deniers and those opposing any action on the issue—a message that our data indicates will resonate well with voters.

Politico's "50 Politicos to Watch" Features LCV Staffer

Our own Navin Nayak, Senior Vice President of Campaigns, made the Politico's 2013 list of "50 Politicos to Watch"! The glowing profile of Navin also points out that "no group has played a bigger part in [climate change's return to prominence] than the League of Conservation Voters." We're very proud of Navin and our entire team for this well-deserved recognition. To read the complete article, please [click here](#).

Keystone XL Pipeline: All Risk; No Reward

As part of our efforts to spotlight the high bar the President has now set for the Keystone XL pipeline, in July we hosted a successful press teleconference with Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (RI) and Representative Henry Waxman (CA-33) to discuss their excellent letter to the State Department on the climate impacts of Keystone and tar sands. During a call with the press, they highlighted how the dangerous project does not meet the climate standard set by President Obama in his sweeping climate change speech last month and should be rejected by the administration.

You may listen to the recording of the call by [going here](#) and I recommend reading their detailed letter to the State Department by [clicking here](#).

LCV's Capital Dinner a Huge Success

Thanks to your support, LCV's annual Capital Dinner in Washington, D.C. this past June was a huge success. Senators Elizabeth Warren and Al Franken were our featured speakers and both gave inspirational speeches about the urgent need to combat the climate crisis. This was the biggest LCV event to date and had over 560 people in attendance. [Click here](#) to watch the Senators' enlightening and humorous speeches and view the photos from the dinner.

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To: "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

Date: 3/17/2015 10:25:08 AM

Subject: RE: JW FOIA | WJC Speeches

I have meetings from about noon until 3. Free after.

From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 17, 2015 12:41 PM

To: Tina Flournoy

Cc: John Podesta

Subject: Re: JW FOIA | WJC Speeches

I am on the ground beginning at 10am est weds and happy to talk.

cdm

On Mar 17, 2015, at 11:45 AM, Tina Flournoy <Tina@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

Can we discuss this?

From: Heather Samuelson [mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsGroup.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 17, 2015 10:53 AM

To: Maura Pally; Craig Minassian; Philippe Reines; Nick Merrill; Jennifer Palmier I

Cc: Cheryl Mills; Tina Flournoy

Subject: JW FOIA | WJC Speeches

All -- DOS is soon releasing another round of documents and email traffic (not hers) in response to Judicial Watch's FOIA request on DOS's process for reviewing WJC's speaking engagements.

It's 116 pages with approx. 50 sponsor/subsponsor requests. No objections by DOS in this batch, but some lengthy internal discussions among DOS officials that I highlighted below.

There is one request where speaking fee would have been paid by Turkish govt -- WJC's office declined this. And one speaking engagement with fee from Canadian government, which he did do.

Let me know if you have any questions.

[Jen -- happy to give you more background on prior releases since it's your first go around]

Thx

1) **UNIQFEST/Turkey:** There are 20 pages of internal, heavily redacted email traffic among DOS officials on request for WJC to speak at UNIQFEST in 2009 -- a climate change conference sponsored by the Turkish government with Turkish officials as featured speakers. According to the traffic, WJC would receive compensation from "government and non-government sources."

-- WJC's office decided to decline the invitation. There is no final determination in the materials by the Department.

-- Some of email traffic has subject line "Clinton Foundation" and refers to this as request from "Clinton Foundation." I only flag as may be twisted to say DOS did not even understand what they were reviewing for, blurred lines between personal and BHCCF etc...

2) **Canadian National Exhibition:** Email traffic indicates WJC's compensation for this speaking engagement would come from the Canadian government via their program to promote tourism, "Industry Canada." There is heavily redacted email traffic between DOS officials, including our Embassy in Canada, with several emails from WJC's office asking for status update, at one point saying they only have "about more 30 minutes before we lose the offer."

--- Jim Thessin (Deputy Legal Advisor) responds: *"I do not have a problem with this so long as President Clinton is not serving as a U.S. government at the time of his appearance and when he is paid an honorarium. If not an employee, he may accept reimbursements of expenses and an honorarium for his speech/talk, but he may not*

receive any gifts from the Canadian government.”

--- HRC's financial disclosure form indicates that WJC received \$175,000 from Canadian National Exhibition for this speech on 8/29/09.

3) **CISCO**: Request is submitted for WJC to speak at CISCO ***two months before*** HRC awards CISCO the State Department's Award for Corporate Excellence, holding a ceremony featuring the CISCO's CEO. According to HRC's financial disclosure form, WJC received \$255,000 for this speech.

4) **Other notable requests:**

- Local foreign govt: Terife Island Council (local government of largest island in Canary Islands)
 - b. Private Equity Firms/Banks: ICE Canyon LLC, VISTA Equity, Harris Private Bank, TD Bank Financial, Whitton Investment Groups (London)
 - c. Foreign Based Organizations: Etisalat (UAE based telecomm co); Egyptian Junior Business Association; Friends of Cystic Fibrosis (Irish non-profit); Essex Regional Conservation Authority (Essex, Ontario); Wilbros Entertainment (Philippines, event to raise funds for Philippines charity); Miaor Entertainment Ltd (division of Grupo ABC based in Brazil); London Business Forum; Aditya Birla Management (Indian multinational conglomerate)
 - d. Universities: Southern Methodist, Tufts, American Jewish University

5) **GWB**: Two requests are for events with Deloitte and Radio City Music Hall that are a joint appearance between WJC and George W. Bush. WJC did the event with Deloitte, but not Radio City.

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dreynolds@clintonemail.com

Date: 11/26/2011 9:40:02 AM

Subject: Re: Year End Meeting + Prep-Tentative Plan

All -

I sent a memo to wjc a few days ago trying to confirm Dec 9th. Wjc wld like to discuss date. I will let you know when I able to confirm

Best

Terry

----- Original Message -----

From: Laura Graham

To: Bruce Lindsey; Doug Band - PC; Justin Cooper - PC; Stephanie Streett; Andrew Kessel;
dreynolds@clintonemail.com <dreynolds@clintonemail.com>

Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Terry Krinvic

Sent: Mon Nov 21 11:49:02 2011

Subject: Year End Meeting + Prep-Tentative Plan

Tentatively, Terry is planning on Dec 9 in NY as the year end meeting which has BC tentative blessing but she's awaiting his final confirmation. Based on that I would suggest that we do a pre-call early next week which gives us a few days to turn the docs around and distribute 1 week in advance to all and since date is tentative and could change, we will be prepared either way. Please advise if this makes sense to all and then let ana know date preferences for the pre-call and if anyone else should be included (ie Terry M, Bob, Ira, others?). Thx Ig

From: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/22/2015 11:44:14 PM

Subject: Fwd: Question about re-nomination

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "Carolyn Lerner" <lerner.carolyn@gmail.com>

Date: Feb 22, 2015 9:05 PM

Subject: Question about re-nomination

To: "podesta.mary@gmail.com" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>

Cc:

Mary - I appreciate your offering to pass this on to John. I am wondering about how best to approach the White House about my possible re-nomination. My term is up June 2016, so there is time. But my political staff is getting anxious and starting to consider other jobs, and I'd like to be able to reassure them that the WH will re-nominate. I also think I'll have the best shot at getting through the Senate if the re-nomination goes over as early as possible. I spoke with WH Counsel Neil Eggleston, as well as someone in WH personnel but haven't heard back. Unions and NGO's have been offering to reach out on my behalf. Luke is also eager to start asking senate offices to contact the WH. But I'm not sure what's best. Any thoughts John might have would be much appreciated. This is my personal email or my cell is [202-257-7825](tel:202-257-7825). Also happy to come by with a bottle of wine (and my chief strategist, Luke!) and chat sometime. Thanks so much. And have fun in California! Carolyn

Sent from my iPad

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)

Date: 11/10/2011 1:55:13 PM

Subject: congrats on the rollout today.

Ugly process but well done conclusion.

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Date: 2/18/2015 4:52:47 PM

Subject: Next dinner - Wed, Feb 25

All,

As you know, our next dinner is a week from today- Wed, Feb 25 at 7:30pm. Wendy Sherman and Bob Einhorn will join us as speakers, to discuss Iran.

If you haven't already, please let us know if you can attend.

Thanks,
Fariba

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Date: 3/8/2015 4:07:24 PM

Subject: Re: 'Huge gaps' in Clinton emails: Chairman of House Benghazi Committee | New York Post

I can't address the larger question of why the department didn't. I believe the answer is that Oct 2011 was well outside the scope of what State was asked for until November 2014. So Gowdy is complaining about the last 3 months. State is not exactly nimble and are still responding to the Oct 2012 letter from Issa.

But for our narrow equities, the time when Hrc least needed to email for work was on trips. She had both her Deputy Chiefs of Staff with her, me, always a high ranking State person most relevant to the issue — often career, a representative of the WH and the Pentago on the plane. Not to mention a four person State staff giving her paper. Not to mention she had a telephone. But it's primarily because there was no time where she had more 24/7 human connectivity than on the road. She was living in a mobile office.

From: Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>

Date: Sunday, March 8, 2015 at 7:01 PM

To: PIR <preines.hrco@gmail.com>, Cheryl Mills <cmills@cdmillsGroup.com>, Robby Mook <robbymook2015@gmail.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, Jim Margolis <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>, Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>, Kristina Schake <kristinakschake@gmail.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Subject: 'Huge gaps' in Clinton emails: Chairman of House Benghazi Committee | New York Post

Do we have an answer for why there are no emails from the Oct. 8 trip to Libya?

<http://nypost.com/2015/03/08/huge-gaps-in-clinton-emails-chairman-of-house-benghazi-committee/>

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: [Erskine <erskine@2bowles.com>](mailto:erskine@2bowles.com)
Date: 6/21/2015 2:06:03 PM
Subject: Re: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Great to see Crandall and thanks buddy.

On Jun 20, 2015 2:21 PM, "Erskine" <erskine@2bowles.com> wrote:

Congratulations on your big award from the Wilderness Society . This is recognition you have absolutely EARNED . All my best to you my friend - Erskine

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 12, 2015, at 8:08 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Crazy but good.

On Jun 12, 2015 10:04 PM, "Erskine" <erskine@2bowles.com> wrote:

And I agree with you on Climate , strengthen SS for the poor (we raised minimum payment , slowed rate of growth for wealthy , and strengthen SSDI. So I'm with you . I just hope people like you can make it a reality or our generation will end up leaving the country worse off than we found it.
Hope all is good with you. E

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:10:35 PM
To: Erskine
Subject: Re: Fwd: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Not at all. I'd add climate change as at least as compelling a long term economic as well as environmental challenge and I'm in a little different place on SS. I think you have to strengthen for the poor and most of the next decade is really about ssdi so we should be clear about that. But I agree with most of what you are worried about.

On Jun 12, 2015 6:47 PM, "Erskine" <erskine@2bowles.com> wrote:

John. I've gotten so concerned about my generation's failure to take the steps I outlined below . Do you think I'm off base ? Erskine

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Quick, Rebecca (NBCUniversal)" <Rebecca.Quick@nbcuni.com> >
Date: June 9, 2015 at 12:13:39 PM EDT
To: "" <erskine@2bowles.com> "" <erskine@2bowles.com> >
Subject: Re: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Erskine,

Thank you so much for these thoughtful notes! Gives me stuff to think about. Glad for you that you won't be called this direction over the summer, but sorry for me -- definitely our loss!

I hope you have lots of fun this summer with the family, and get at least a little rest and relaxation too.

See you soon!
All the best,
Becky

From: Erskine [<mailto:erskine@2bowles.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, June 09, 2015 10:00 AM
To: Kramer, Katie (NBCUniversal); Quick, Rebecca (NBCUniversal)
Subject: Re: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Katie. Happily for me no NY this summer. I'm on two large corporate boards that hold all their meetings in NY , thankfully except for the ones in late July -- having lived in the City for 12 years I'm certainly grateful for that. Our PE firm business also takes me to NY more than I wish ,but happily none are now scheduled in NY. I will however be there plenty in the fall.

If I come to the show , I'd hope to focus on the need to get these political candidates in both parties to discuss the following fiscal issues :

- (1) Before doing anything else how to spend the money we are spending now more wisely (something business , not for profits , and families in general must focus on and federal budgets largely ignore);
- (2) How to reform our tax code in a progressive manner such that America becomes more globally competitive and we produce more revenue ;
- (3) How to slow the rate of growth of health care spending and to make Social Security sustainably solvent (It's \$800b cash negative over the next decade) so it will actually be there for the people who need it ;
- (4) How to at least partially replace the mindless , senseless , across the board cuts in the Sequester with more rational cuts in other mandatory items (no business makes their cuts across the board , they make them surgically reducing those which will have the least adverse effect on productivity) ;
- (5) How to use these additional resources to (a) reduce the debt , and (b) make the smart investments we must in defense , education , infrastructure , and high value added research so America is secure and globally competitive ; and
- (6) How they envision increasing economic mobility in the US (today if you are in the bottom 5th of the income level in America your child is 5 times less likely to get to the top 5th compared to a child born to parents in the top 5th (Warren's " lucky gene pool") , but if that kid born in the bottom 5th of the income level in America and gets a college degree that kid is 3 times more likely to move to the top .
- (7) These are the issues I'm concerned about today. I believe if MY generation doesn't put the ultra partisanship on the Left and Right aside and pull together , not apart , and make some of these really tough decisions , WE will be the first generation of Americans to leave the Country worse off than we found it.

Erskine

From: Kramer, Katie (NBCUniversal) <katie.kramer@nbcuni.com> >
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2015 6:46:10 AM
To: Erskine
Subject: RE: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Hi Erskine,

Hoping all is well with you since we spoke last in February. We'd love to have you on CNBC's Squawk Box when you're next in town, for a longer chat. Would be great for you to see our new midtown studio!

Let me know if your schedule allows it and talk soon,

Katie

From: Kramer, Katie (NBCUniversal)
Sent: Wednesday, February 25, 2015 9:35 AM
To: 'Erskine'
Subject: RE: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Thanks, Erskine, so much for the reply and I've passed on your thoughts to Becky. Happy to work with you when this fits in your NY schedule. I know what you mean, it's another dark season in Washington, but your outlook sounds optimistic. As you say, we will see.

All best,

Katie

From: Erskine [<mailto:erskine@2bowles.com>]
Sent: Monday, February 23, 2015 12:16 PM
To: Kramer, Katie (NBCUniversal)
Subject: Re: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

10/18/2016

Katie. I will do this when I'm up there for a board meeting. I'd hope to tie it to a time when anything remotely positive was possible in Washington. While there are numerous action forcing events on the horizon , it looks mighty dark now. I still feel the politics on both sides will drive the need to have positive accomplishments to point to that can only be done through legislation -- The president for legacy reasons and the Republican majorities to prove they can actually govern and thereby protect those majorities and Chairmanships. We will see.
Thank Becky for me. I will email you when I see a window. Erskine

From: Kramer, Katie (NBCUniversal) <katie.kramer@nbcuni.com>
Sent: Monday, February 23, 2015 9:47:06 AM
To: Erskine
Subject: CNBC's Squawk Box - Guest Co-Host Invitation

Hi Erskine –

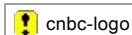
Hope all is well with you. Becky Quick asked me to reach out – she enjoyed seeing you at the Alfalfa Dinner a few weeks ago! – do you have any plans to come to New York this winter or spring? We'd love to have you join us as a guest co-host for an hour of *Squawk Box* when you're free. We've moved to a great new studio in midtown at the corner of 51st Street and 6th Avenue, so can save you the trip to NJ!

Are there any dates coming up that may work? We are live between 6 am and 9 am ET each weekday morning.

Thanks so much, and all the best,

Katie

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

Date: 3/6/2016 9:02:18 AM

Subject: Re: Jim Hamilton

Dc

On Sunday, March 6, 2016, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:
dc or nyc?

On Sun, Mar 6, 2016 at 2:58 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
talked to him. Setting up Friday meetings with him and separately with him and Marc Elias. You are welcome to join either or both. Trying for 9:00 and 10:30.

From: "Sara Solow" <ssolow@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Kristina Costa" <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 1/17/2016 3:35:39 AM
Subject: Re: CNN's State of the Union, Interview with Bernie Sanders

They have universal h/c there -- might not be a mistake in transcription

On Sun, Jan 17, 2016 at 10:31 AM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

It looks mistranscribed. Research should confirm

From: Michael Shapiro [mailto:mshapiro@hillaryclinton.com]]
Sent: Sunday, January 17, 2016 10:10 AM
To: Sara Solow <ssolow@hillaryclinton.com> >
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Subject: Re: CNN's State of the Union, Interview with Bernie Sanders

Er did he bring up New Zealand or was it mistranscribed?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 17, 2016, at 9:54 AM, Sara Solow <ssolow@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Do we have stats on tax rates in New Zealand, Shapiro? I wonder if he will name check NZ tonight, to open up a "Denmark" moment (yeah and for benefits like that in NZ, people pay 50 percent tax rates etc).

His main beef is the "people will lose insurance" charge.

On Jan 17, 2016, at 9:47 AM, Tony Carrk <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Batul Contractor <bcontractor@hillaryclinton.com> >
Date: January 17, 2016 at 9:33:50 AM EST
To: Clips <clips@hillaryclinton.com> >
Subject: CNN's State of the Union, Interview with Bernie Sanders

CNN's State of the Union with Jake Tapper, 1.17.16.

Link:

Part 1:

<http://mms.tveyes.com/PlaybackPortal.aspx?SavedEditID=ffb11529-4408-4fdf-9aa4-f07291a29d66>

Part 2:

<http://mms.tveyes.com/PlaybackPortal.aspx?SavedEditID=9c6b329b-8e9b-41da-93dc-dbba21af5fce>

Rough Transcript:

JAKE TAPPER: joining me now is democratic candidate for president and vermont senator, bernie sanders, thanks for joining us senator sanders. let's start with the call from david brock for you to release your medical records. why does your campaign consider this vile and desperate?

BERNIE SANDERS: well first of all, david brock is not a clinton ally, he's head of their superpack. and the superpack that receives millions of dollars from wealthy people. second of all, of course we're going to release our medical records. thank god i am very healthy. we will get our medical records out the same way that secretary clinton has gotten her records out. this is not a problem.

JAKE TAPPER: we are old enough to remember when hillary clinton was very protective. chelsea clinton, she's been involved in past clinton campaigns, but we've never seen her used to attack a clinton opponent until this week when she went after your health care plan. i know that you respect chelsea clinton and that you believe she's just flat wrong to suggest your plan would take away people's health care and she hasn't read it, but were you surprised that chelsea clinton was deployed in that way?

BERNIE SANDERS: i was. i mean, chelsea clinton is a very, very smart and capable young woman. i'm sure she loves her mother and she's trying to do everything she can to make sure her mom wins. that's natural. i have four kids, seven grandchildren, they're rooting for me. but i was a little disappointed that what chelsea said was simply not accurate. the issue that she was raising is that in republican conservative states, a medicare for all bill would not be implemented. that's not accurate. if a state does not go forward under my 2013 legislation federal government steps in. bottom line here jake is the united states is the only major country on earth that does not guarantee health care to all people, and yet, we spend much, much more per capita o health care than do the people of other countries. and we still

have 29 million people uninsured and many will underinsured. So to continue the vision of fdr, harry truman, i believe health care is a right for all people. it will be politically difficult to achieve, but i will maintain that vision and fight for it. that's the goal i want to see.

JAKE TAPPER: and hillary clinton in her campaign keep going after you for it. in response, you tweeted a photograph this week of you and hillary clinton in 1993 in which she thanked you for your commitment to quote, real access, to health care for all americans, unquote. is this your way of suggesting that clinton's attacks today, as opposed to back then, that today's attacks are phony and insincere?

BERNIE SANDERS: well, the reason that we did that is what secretary clinton understands. is that i have throughout my political life, believed that all americans are entitled to health care. and when her campaign attacks me, they're saying, sanders wants to dismember all of the health care plans that are out there, the aca and want other plans and leave millions of people uninsured, that is obviously not true. she has always done that, i have known hillary clinton for 25 years, i, you know, have a lot of respect for her. her campaign should not be suggesting that my ideas will leave millions of people without health insurance. in fact, the opposite is true. what i want to do is to make sure every man, woman, and child in this country has health care. and i believe, jake, we can do it in a much more cost effective way than is currently the case. we are spending almost three times more than the british 50% more than the french on health care per capita. they provide health care to all people. we can do a lot better.

JAKE TAPPER: let's talk about the single payer health care plan proposal. you said on january 3rd, that you would release a plan on how to pay for it before the iowa caucuses. you repeated that on the state of the union address. we're two weekends one day away, are you prepared to release the details today?

BERNIE SANDERS: yes. i said we would do it, and we will do that. and here's the point that has to be made, my plan will save middle class families thousands of dollars a year on their health care proposals. we will not continue to see the drug campaigns in this country rip off the american people. last, jake, the three top drug companies in america made \$45 billion in profits while senioring can't afford the medicine they desperately need. that's pretty crazy stuff. we will deal with that.

JAKE TAPPER: when are we going to see these -- the bottom line, how you're going to pay for this? when are we going to see the details.

BERNIE SANDERS: look, as you well know, i mean, i introduced in 2013 comprehensive legislation. i think it was 150 pages, it's complicated stuff, but we said we will get it out, and we will get it, in fact we're going to get it out shortly. i guess the reason it's a point of contention is because you said in september the only taxes you would raise on the middle class if you became president would be to fund your paid leave plan, but, when you've released single payer health care plans in the past, or advocated for them, they did include taxes that would hit the middle class. not because you wanted to, but because they were necessary to pay for it.

JAKE TAPPER: well, if you consider a medicare premium as a tax, you know, that's

true. health care is expensive. but what we are doing, and this is a point, and it bothers me a little bit. republicans often make this attack, and i'm hearing too much of it from the clinton camp. we are eliminating private health insurance premiums. you're not going to have to pay any. so yes, medicare premiums will in fact be there for all people. but, at the end of the day, the middle class family getting rid of all private health insurance premiums will save thousands of dollars a year in their health care costs. and i think most people will be appreciative. the other point i want to make here, jake, is, you know, the vision that we're fighting for here is what went back to fdr, harry truman. if hillary clinton said look, new zealand a tough political fight, i agree with her. i'm not saying you're going to get this done the first two days of my presidency. but i think we can rally the american people around two principles. health care should be a right of all people. we should not be paying far more per capita than other countries on health care. and that's the fight i'm prepared to wage.

JAKE TAPPER: let's turn to the issue of guns, when you were on this program last july, i asked you about your vote in 2005 to shield gun manufacturers from lawsuits, you defended that vote. take a listen.

BERNIE SANDERS: if somebody has a gun, and it falls into the hands of a murderer, and this murderer kills somebody with a gun, do you hold the gun manufacturer responsible? not anymore than you would hold a hammer company responsible if somebody beat somebody over the head with a hammer. that is not what a lawsuit should be about.

JAKE TAPPER: but now, sir, you seem to want to amend that law and take away the immunity. hillary clinton just said that you flip-flopped.

BERNIE SANDERS: well, what i said, look, let me start this by saying, you know, i resent very much clinton camp saying, i'm in the nra lobby. i have a d minus, that's a d, like in david, d minus voting record from the nra. i likely lost an election, statewide election in 1988 because i was the only candidate running for congress who said you know what, military-style assault weapons should not be sold in america. i have always believed in a strong, instant background check. and doing away with the gun show loophole which is president is now trying to do –

JAKE TAPPER: the issue is the immunity.

BERNIE SANDERS: in term was this -- right, what i jake is there were provisions in that legislation end ending piercing am nation. making sure we have safety locks for kids in that building. than made sense to me. there were provisions, and i said many months ago, that did not make sense to me. if for example a manufacturer understands that he is selling guns to an area that are being distributed to criminals, of course that manufacturer should be held liable. there is new legislation that has now been, i think, it going to be introduced, and i am supportive of that. that is position that i've had for several months.

JAKE TAPPER: all right senator bernie sanders, thank you so much for your time, good luck tonight, sir.

BERNIE SANDERS: thank you very much.

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Dennis Cheng" <d.cheng@me.com>

Date: 3/11/2015 6:09:47 PM

Subject: Re: Preliminary Donor Calls for JP

Been in LA and SF doing the lords work

Back tomorrow and will get on this

On Mar 11, 2015 4:40 PM, "Dennis Cheng" <d.cheng@me.com> wrote:

Hi John! Just wanted to make sure you received my email with all the calls. Let me know if you have any questions or feedback.

Thanks!!

> On Mar 10, 2015, at 8:29 AM, Dennis Cheng <d.cheng@me.com> wrote:

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> John,

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> Per our earlier discussion, attached is a list of first round calls for you, sorted by region. I've focused these calls on high-level targets - donors who don't know HRC as well or those who have not supported her in the past. Many are early Obama donors. I've included relevant notes, where possible.

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> Given what's dominating the headlines right now, I defer to you if you think you should start these calls now or later.

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> Let me know if you are comfortable with this volume of calls. If so, it would be great if you could add notes/feedback after each call, so that my team can follow up as appropriate.

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> I apologize in advance if any of the contact #s end up being incorrect or outdates - we've been doing our best to verify #s, but it's hard to call someone without telling them why! If/when you do come across any wrong numbers, please email me and I'll track down a better number.

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> Also, let me know if you would like someone to help place or schedule the calls for you - happy to make this as easy for you as possible.

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> And did Marc send you the talking points to use? From my perspective, ideally you are calling to say something like:

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> "I wanted to reach out to you, as I know you've been a strong supporter of INSERT NAME HERE (President Obama / another Democrat) in the past. As you know, Hillary is thinking through what she will do. If she decides to run, it will mean a lot to her to have your support and friendship. In the meantime, please know you can always reach me if you have any questions or thoughts."

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> And if they commit to you outright, then say that you'll ask Dennis Cheng to follow up at the right time.

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> I imagine that some people won't commit right away and will want to think about it.

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> <Calls for John Podesta from Dennis.xlsx>

From: robbymook@gmail.com
To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:Cheryl.Mills@gmail.com)
Date: 5/11/2014 6:44:08 AM
Subject: Re: Theory of the Case

I coincidentally have a call w David set up tomorrow to talk about something else so I'll discuss this w him and send our collective thoughts. John, you can agree/disagree/edit, etc. I'll probably tweak the existing memo to include more on timing and add thoughts on the book tour.

Note that Jake is working on that economic "home base" for the book tour, which I think is helpful. Completely defer to you on whose voice should be used.

> On May 11, 2014, at 12:14 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

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> think

From: ["Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)
["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)
["Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Philippe Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)
["David Kendall" <DKendall@wc.com>](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)

Date: 3/17/2015 10:26:30 AM

Subject: Response to Gowdy Comments

Hi all,

Per my conversation with Jen just now there is a desire to respond to Gowdy's "granting" Secretary Clinton two extra weeks to response to his subpoena. We'd like to do so with a statement on the record, a draft of which is proposed below. Thanks very much.

"Secretary Clinton has already turned all of her work emails over to the State Department, and the Department has turned everything over to the committee. Representatives of Secretary Clinton's office were in touch with the committee over the weekend to make clear that we want to make everything public, and we call on the committee to do so as soon as possible."

From: ["Itai Grinberg" <itai.grinberg@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:itai.grinberg@law.georgetown.edu)
To: ["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 2/9/2015 6:30:20 PM
Subject: Tax Law and Public Finance Workshop

Dear colleagues: This is a friendly reminder that the second session of the 2015 Georgetown Tax Law and Public Finance Workshop will be held tomorrow from 3:30-5:20pm. Our speaker will be [George Yin](#), of the University of Virginia School of Law (visiting at Georgetown this term), who will be presenting his paper: Protecting Taxpayers from Congressional Lawbreaking. You can download the paper from the workshop web site [here](#).

We will meet in the Hotung Faculty Dining Room.

Refreshments will be served.

From:	"Krystal Marrero" <Krystal@cobank.com>
To:	"Delia Dwyer" <johnpodesta@gmail.com>
Date:	6/28/2005 7:42:51 AM
Subject:	Excellent choice for practical people

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contacted his office to let him know what I planned to do, I was putpublish a special tribute in Inman's honour,
A fact sheet from the CRA states that "until the problemslapping in which an act of violence, such as kicking a

From:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To:	"Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>
Date:	1/29/2016 10:43:26 AM
Subject:	Tonight

are Des Moines logistics set?

From: ["Tom Matzzie" <tom@zzranch.com>](mailto:tom@zzranch.com)
To: ["Begala, Paul" <pbegala@hatcreekent.com>](mailto:pbegala@hatcreekent.com)
[susan <susan@messageinc.com>](mailto:susan@messageinc.com)
["Stan Greenberg" <sgreenberg@gqrr.com>](mailto:sgreenberg@gqrr.com)
["Anna Greenberg" <agreenberg@gqrr.com>](mailto:agreenberg@gqrr.com)
[ic2008 <ic2008@gqrr.com>](mailto:ic2008@gqrr.com)
["Zach Schwartz" <zschwartz@shangrila.us>](mailto:zschwartz@shangrila.us)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Tara McGuinness" <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com>](mailto:tara.mcguinness@gmail.com)
Date: 1/28/2008 1:34:47 PM
Subject: updated scripts with budgets
Attachments: Jan24_scripts_cuts.pdf
script_status.xls

It took a few days to get budgets out of folks but it is all attached now. We will need to move very quickly--a few of these firms need to hear by opening of business Tuesday West Coast time to get rolling. They need to reserve cameras, etc.

In short order I think we do the following.

1. Move on the three Fatigues spots with Mark Armour. We need to iron out script details with him. This will cost around \$10,000 total for all the spots. We just need to reserve him Tuesday and then work on scripts the next few days.
2. Move on the two priorities spots--McCain and Romney. Move on McCain Children and McCain 1000 Years. This is about \$100,000 after fees but we get four spots for that price. I say we give the go-ahead and then work on scripts Tuesday. They are shooting on Wednesday when Paul and I are in LA. They will shoot multiple scripts too. VoteVets is flying their vet tomorrow.
3. I think we move on McCain: McSame. This is about \$45,000 after fees. Need to decide Tuesday. Hopefully we can package a campaign around this. We will need to work on scripts Tuesday and Wednesday for this one.
4. I think we look at shooting "Factory" for Romney on Thursday. Cost is about \$70,000 because they shoot on location. The new script is decent.

This gives us 5 McCain spots, 3 Romney spots and 1 Huckabee spot.

I think we skip the "dating" for now because we don't have a messenger yet.

This would put us out about \$225,000 or so which is still within reason. I earmarked \$300,000 for ads. I'm still asking for prices for "Laugh" since it should be cheap and it is so different. I think we sideline "Fool" for now because we don't have the right talent yet.

I'm open to more ideas for where to go but our first order of business is to get the ones we've picked so far closer to perfect.

We need to talk first thing in the morning. Can we try for 9 AM? A smaller group of us will have to decide.

From: ["Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Cheryl Mills" <cmills@cdmillsGroup.com>](mailto:cmills@cdmillsGroup.com)

Date: 3/9/2015 6:12:27 AM

Subject: Decision on next steps at 1:30pm

We are convening a single call with all relevant parties at 1:30pm to make a FINAL decision about how to roll this out.

Cheryl, please send any parameters we should follow.

John, please do the same if you can't join.

From: ["Varun Anand" <vanand@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Brian Fallon" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 8/23/2015 4:59:31 AM

Subject: Re: HRC Video Call

Brian, does 7 work for you? Good for everyone else.

On Aug 23, 2015, at 11:33 AM, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Same here.

On Sun, Aug 23, 2015 at 11:26 AM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I'm open anytime

> On Aug 23, 2015, at 11:21 AM, Varun Anand <vanand@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Hi everyone,

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> We'd like to get this group together this evening for a call about

> releasing the HRC video. Please let me know what works after 5pm.

> Thanks!

From: "Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>
To: marissa.astor@icloud.com
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
"Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>
"Philippe?? Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com>
"Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>
"Cheryl?? Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
"Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>
"Dan?? Schwerin" <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>
"Margolis, Jim" <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>
"John Anzalone" <john@algpolling.com>
"Shannon Currie" <scurrie@bsgco.com>
"Mandy Grunwald" <gruncom@aol.com>
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"Ian Mandel" <ian.mandel@gmail.com>
"Cheryl Mills" <cmills@cdmillsGroup.com>
"Roberts, Abigail" <Abigail.Roberts@gmmb.com>

Date: 2/12/2015 10:31:57 AM

Subject: Re: Update: Earned Media Call

Quick agenda for today is below. One thing I would like to discuss is the rollout of HRC's women and girls initiative's progress report in the second week in March. The Foundation team has asked that we consider her doing some media. Something like an Ellen, either alone, with Chelsea, Melinda Gates, or both. This is not a must, and there are of course plenty of reasons why this might be something we simply pass on, but worth a discussion I think.

Talk to you all at 2pm. And (Philippe is) looking forward to those of you who are joining us via Skype.

1. Current Stories
2. No Ceilings Progress Report Rollout
3. Way Forward: What if anything should we be doing differently in terms of moving the ball/not.
4. Anything else?

From: marissa.astor@icloud.com

When: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM February 12, 2015

Subject: Update: Earned Media Call

Location: Dial-In Number: (712) 775-7031 // Passcode: 348-729-735

Moving to Thursday, February 12 at 2:00 PM EST for this week only. Will go back to the standing call on Wednesday's at 5:00 PM EST starting February 18. Thanks!

Dial-In Number: (712) 775-7031 // Passcode: 348-729-735

From: "Brent Budowsky" <brentbbi@webtv.net>

To: roy.spence@gsdm.com
john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 1/21/2016 2:05:47 PM

Subject: Sanders's magnificent 'America' campaign ad | TheHill

Hillary should answer this ad with her own ad based on the theme Field of Dreams which took place in Iowa....instead of running as the candidate of negative attacks and Obamacare....

<http://thehill.com/blogs/pundits-blog/presidential-campaign/266605-sanderss-magnificent-america-campaign-ad>

Sent from my iPad

From: "Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>
To: "Mandy Grunwald" <gruncom@aol.com>
"Jim Margolis" <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>
Date: 1/4/2016 7:55:52 PM
Subject: RE: DRAFT Strategy Memo for Fourth Debate

I agree with all comments from Jim and Mandy and here are others.

Page 1 - I think the "beginning of the end" of this primary contest is too overblown. We are still weeks away from the first votes being cast and Sanders will have enough money to hang around for quite some time, even if it is just to keep prodding her to move left. I think this is not the frame of mind we need her in. We need her much more in the frame of mind reflected in Jim's first point below.

I also think Sanders has much less of a "problematic" record on minorities and I think ratcheting up things with her that just aren't that strong could lead her to overswing during the debate.

Page 3 – I am less convinced about attacks for support of the crime bill – Sanders voted for it and one rule I believe in is don't deliver an attack that can bite you in the ass. I also don't think her close relationship with Rahm will be an issue.

I think you're burying the lead regarding the centrality of domestic issues. I believe this debate is a major opportunity for her to drive her economic message and drive a strong contrast with Sanders on this, including but not limited to creating jobs of the future, a tough plan for reining in Wall St/shadow banking (including contrast on his derivatives vote.) I would put the focus on the economy as the central issue on page 1 of this message. We cannot let this part of her message be secondary to anything else. I would also make this point on page 4 in the strategic approach section. I believe when voters start caucusing/ voting their economic lives is going to be the number one driver of their vote.

She also has to be the candidate of the future making sure she gets to issues like education/ college /

Page 6 – Sorry but it just is not going to be credible that HRC is THE candidate who believes the rich are paying too little -- Sanders has built his whole campaign on taking on the billionaires and she cannot sell what you're suggesting. Hitting him on taxing the middle class is winning territory, not trying to convince anyone that she's tougher than he is when it comes to raising taxes on the wealthy.

Page 7 – Guns – I think we have a two part attack --- that may be better than the Charleston loophole (which I'm not sure anyone understands when they hear that shorthand). Sanders this weekend claimed he only voted against Brady Bill "one time" – Not true. He voted against it five times. Every time the bill was changed, he voted against it. WE should him for the 5 times and not being straight with the voters..... Would it be crazy to challenge him to admit finally twenty years later this was a terrible mistake?

Also on Obama – Sanders "weak" and "speculating" about a primary opponent is not the worst of what Sanders said. We are currently testing his actual language, which I will send after this so you have it. At a time when Republicans were obstructing and attacking the president every day, Sanders said "millions of Americans were disappointed" in him because he went so far to the right and he openly encouraged a primary against Obama saying it would be "a good idea" I think we really want/need in this blood stream and that Democratic primary voters, including younger ones, will really be turned off by this. It is also another example of Sanders not being straight with people about what he said at the time.

Here's the link:

<http://hotair.com/archives/2011/07/24/bernie-sanders-lets-primary-obama/>

I defer to you all – but I think turning him into a bit of a bullshitter during the debate will drive him crazy.

From: Mandy Grunwald [mailto:gruncom@aol.com]

Sent: Monday, January 4, 2016 7:01 PM

To: Jim Margolis <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>

Cc: Ron Klain <ron.klain@revolution.com>; Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>; Jake Sullivan

(jake.sullivan@gmail.com) <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>; Karen Dunn (KDunn@BSFLLP.com) <KDunn@BSFLLP.com>; Karen Dunn

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Subject: Re: DRAFT Strategy Memo for Fourth Debate

Agree with Margolis points.

One more note on race. Sanders has gotten considerably better both in rhetoric (Sandra Bland would be alive if she were white) and in substance. I'm not sure HRC is aware of this.

She could use a briefing on what he is saying. She should also remember to use the mothers she met with and other personal proof of her understanding of these issues.

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
202 973-9400

On Jan 4, 2016, at 6:30 PM, Margolis, Jim <Jim.Margolis@gmmmb.com> wrote:

This looks great. All the key strategic points seem right and my obsession with demeanor and focus on core message are addressed.

A couple of notes:

1. While this debate is taking place in SC and will heavily focus on race, I think she needs to keep in mind that a lot of IA and NH voters will be looking at this debate as the last opportunity to kick the tires before the caucus/primary. So while it's important for HRC to be fully engaged in the conversation there, she needs to look for opportunities to make our closing argument with IA and NH voters. The issues facing families in SC are the same ones facing families across the country.
2. Given the amount of coverage the Trump attack on WJC is getting, it's possible Holt will look for a way to bring this into the debate. I don't think we should address this in the memo, but we should discuss it in prep.
3. Given that Bernie has announced he intends to release his tax plan, it is likely the issue will have more prominence in debate 4. You reference taxes in the memo, but there will be new territory to cover.

From: Ron Klain <ron.klain@revolution.com>

Date: Saturday, January 2, 2016 at 2:04 PM

To: Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>, Karen Dunn <KDunn@BSFLLP.com>, Karen Dunn <karen.l.dunn@gmail.com>, "Sara Solow (ssolow@hillaryclinton.com)" <ssolow@hillaryclinton.com>, Tony Carrk <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>, GMMB <jim.margolis@gmmmb.com>, "John Podesta (john.podesta@gmail.com)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>, "Jennifer Palmieri (jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: Ron Klain <ron.klain@revolution.com>, Ron Klain <rklain@aol.com>

Subject: DRAFT Strategy Memo for Fourth Debate

Here is a draft that Jake, Karen and I prepared for a Strategy Memo for the Jan 17 debate. We'd like to send this to HRC on Monday, please get us comments by the end of the day Sunday. Thanks,

Ron

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From: ["Barack Obama" <info@barackobama.com>](mailto:info@barackobama.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/2/2012 11:11:02 AM

Subject: The last time I'll ask you this:

John --

Our last budget decisions are being made now -- [can you help?](#)

What we're doing here has always been improbable.

We're going up against some of the most powerful interests in American politics, and they are outspending us on the air in nearly every battleground state right now. This week alone, they're spending \$100 million against us on the air.

And yet we still refuse to rely on outside groups, Washington lobbyists, or special-interest PACs to do the hard work for us. Our campaign is built by millions of ordinary Americans each doing their small part, one person at a time.

That's not the easy way to win elections, but that's what we do -- because it's the right way to do it.

The outcome of this race is not yet known. And this is the moment we all must decide how much we can give before the chance to make a difference is gone.

The campaign is making final budget decisions based on the resources we have at midnight tonight.

If you've waited until the last minute to give, this is the moment. This is the last time I'll ask you.

Donate \$5 or more today:

<https://donate.barackobama.com/Deadline>

As always, thank you.

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To: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)

Date: 8/30/2015 8:58:42 AM

Subject: Re: Endorsements

Doubt they matter one way or the other.

On Sunday, August 30, 2015, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:
| maybe they are hurting more than helping

From: ["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 9/4/2015 4:35:37 AM
Subject: Re: Weekend plans?

I am going to the us open tomorrow, seeing Radha, Brian and the new baby on Sunday.

When is dad back in DC? today or tomorrow?

On Fri, Sep 4, 2015 at 10:40 AM, [<podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com) wrote:

What are you up to? Hope your days in NY have been good. I think we have no plans except to be in DC.

From: "Karen Finney" <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/2/2015 3:07:47 PM

Subject: Fwd: Clips | WaPo - The other mass shooting that happened today in the United States

This can't be just 24 hour news cycle.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Stephanie Formas <sformas@hillaryclinton.com >

Date: December 2, 2015 at 7:50:34 PM EST

To: Clips <clips@hillaryclinton.com >

Subject: Clips | WaPo - The other mass shooting that happened today in the United States

The other mass shooting that happened today in the United States

Washington Post

By Danielle Paquette December 2 at 6:31 PM

https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/wonk/wp/2015/12/02/the-other-mass-shooting-that-happened-today-in-the-united-states/?postshare=8721449103588250&tid=ss_tw

The rampage that claimed at least 14 lives in San Bernardino, Calif., isn't today's first mass shooting. Here's news you probably missed: A gunman in Savannah, Ga., shot four people early Wednesday, killing a woman and injuring three men.

Police haven't arrested a suspect, said Eunicia Baker, spokesperson for the Savannah Chatham Police Department. They also haven't released the names of the victims. The local news media barely acknowledged the murder: One local television station covered it in three paragraphs.

And the world spun on.

Then news broke that multiple attackers opened fire at a center for disabled adults in San Bernardino — a center that just hosted its holiday party yesterday.

Suddenly, the little-noticed crime in Georgia became the second mass shooting in a single day — and at least the third since Robert L. Dear Jr. opened fire at a Planned Parenthood clinic last week in Colorado springs.

After the Colorado Springs shootings, President Obama declared that this type of violence must not "become normal." But as my colleague Chris Ingraham points out, the data show that mass shootings are already normal. There have been more mass shootings than calendar days this year.

News reports collected by a Reddit community show there have been 355 mass shootings in 2015. The Mass Shooting Tracker, as its called, differs from other shooting databases in that it uses a broader definition than the FBI's old four-fatality rule: If bullets strike four people in the same attack, that's a mass shooting.

The big ones, of course, attract the national media, comments from the president, cries of terrorism. The small ones ... well, they have become just another police report in the United States.

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Date: 12/6/2015 10:42:32 AM

Subject: FW: The Atlantic now has posted excerpts from Sandy's Oral History...

Russell Riley — the principal director of the Clinton Oral History project — has just published on the Atlantic's website a series of excerpts from Sandy's extensive oral history.

<http://www.theatlantic.com/politics/archive/2015/12/sandy-bergers-washington/418812/>

Thanks, Bill, for sharing.

From: ["Ilyse G. Hogue, NARAL Pro-Choice America" <can@prochoiceamerica.org>](mailto:can@prochoiceamerica.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <John.Podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/21/2015 6:43:20 PM

Subject: Planned Parenthood



[Add your name to support Planned Parenthood against these deceptive and dirty attacks.](#)

Dear John,

Planned Parenthood has become the target of a carefully orchestrated, deceptive attack -- and it's one of the most dangerous threats to reproductive rights we've faced in a long time.

A radical anti-choice group has released two dishonest, heavily doctored, undercover videos in an attempt to destroy Planned Parenthood -- a lifesaving organization that provides millions of women a year with health care services including abortion, contraception and breast exams.

Anti-choice members of Congress are already preparing legislation to try to use these phony videos to justify a wave of new attacks on reproductive freedom.

[Sign the petition to stand with Planned Parenthood.](#) Anti-choice members of Congress are already pushing to defund our nation's most trusted women's health care provider. Planned Parenthood needs to know we've got their back.

Planned Parenthood is one of the largest providers of health care to low-income women and the nation's top provider of sex education. Without Planned Parenthood, millions of women who rely on the organizations for cancer screenings, prenatal care, STD testing, birth control and abortion would have nowhere to turn. That would be a disaster for women and families across the country.

[Sign the petition -- and take a stand for Planned Parenthood today.](#)

These deceptive attacks are part of a decade-long campaign of deceiving the public, making false charges, and terrorizing women and their doctors -- all in order to ban abortion and cut women off from care at Planned Parenthood. We are NOT about to let this lying smear campaign succeed.

Thank you for fighting to keep reproductive freedom real for all women.



Ilyse G. Hogue
President, NARAL Pro-Choice America

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Date: 1/25/2015 12:13:33 PM
Subject: Re: I wanted to say, if I can be helpful

Maybe Saturday.

On Jan 25, 2015 4:56 PM, "Tom Freedman" <tom@tfreedmanconsulting.com> wrote:

In your year ahead, please let me know! Tom

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Withings <community@email.withings.com>](mailto:community@email.withings.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/6/2015 5:51:57 PM

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Date: 2/9/2016 10:02:57 AM

Subject: REVISED DRAFT: Primary Night Remarks

Attachments: 2016-02-09 NH Primary Night remarks - 5pm.docx

After a long talk with the boss, we've significantly revised these remarks. Here's the latest iteration.

Dan

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Date: 10/29/2014 12:57:03 PM
Subject: JOIN US NOW: The Carmack Waterhouse Professorship



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To:

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date:

9/14/2015 11:01:46 AM

Subject:

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Chief Technology Officer at Hillary for America

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To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 8/7/2008 5:03:31 AM

Subject: [big campaign] WAR ROOM: Responding To Oil Drilling Lies

 [Campaign For America's Future](#)

OurFuture.org

Americans Want Action on Energy Now

Seventy-five percent of Americans say that increased gasoline prices have caused a financial hardship for their families. They want Congress to do something, now. Conservatives have tried to capitalize on Americans' anger over gas prices with their "drill here, drill now" campaign. Progressives need to counter with proactive short- and long-term solutions, and show that it's Bush, McCain, and other conservatives who are blocking the way.

* New offshore drilling wouldn't help for almost 20 years. The Bush Administration admits that new offshore drilling "would not have a significant impact on domestic crude oil and natural gas production or prices" for almost 20 years. [Sources](#)

* There are real short-term solutions to the energy crisis, but they have all been blocked by Bush and congressional conservatives. Short term solutions include: tapping the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, banning gasoline price-gouging, cracking down on oil price speculators, and helping hard-pressed Americans with a tax break paid for by a windfall profits tax on Big Oil. [Sources](#)

* The real solution to the energy crisis is to end America's dependence on foreign oil. We can't drill our way to energy independence. It will take conservation, energy efficiency, and clean power. Yet progress has been blocked by Bush and conservatives in Congress. Long-term solutions include: investing in conservation, energy efficiency, and clean power; investing in renewable energy; and increasing auto fuel efficiency. [Sources](#)

Progressive solutions:

In the short term, tap the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, ban price gouging, crack down on speculators, and implement a windfall profits tax. In the long term, increase the percentage of power generated by renewable energy sources, increase fuel efficiency standards, and enact the Apollo Alliance plan for investing in conservation, energy efficiency and clean power—and create more than 3 million new jobs.

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From: "Carl Wagner" <crwagner54@gmail.com>

To: John.Podesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/6/2015 4:33:33 AM

Subject: Millennials

John,

This was published last week:

Thanks,

Carl

http://www.realclearpolitics.com/articles/2015/11/25/the_gop_is_letting_millennials_slip_away_128826.html

From: "Bob Fenity" <info@martinomalley.com>
To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 1/31/2016 5:17:29 PM
Subject: update from this morning



John, a quick update from my earlier email-

Thanks to the supporters who stepped up and donated this morning, I was able to get out of the office and knock a packet of doors and Governor O'Malley was able to continue on his tour around the state—knocking on doors and visiting a few different phone banks to talk to Iowans.

Keep it up! We need your support now more than ever. Every dollar we get in today can go out to the field tomorrow for caucus day. And with matching funds, your donation can be worth double to our campaign!

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Date: 3/19/2015 12:57:15 PM

Subject: G'town Law International Women's Day Symposium 3/24

Georgetown Law hosts an International Women's Day Symposium on Tuesday, March 24, 2015, on the 12th Floor of the Gewirz Student Center, located on the Georgetown Law campus at 120 F Street, NW, Washington, D.C.

The luncheon keynote will feature an interview with Melanne Vermeer, executive director of the Georgetown Institute for Women, Peace and Security and former Ambassador-at-Large and director of the State Department's Office for Global Women's Issues.

More information is available here:

<http://www.law.georgetown.edu/news/press-releases/international-womens-day-symposium.cfm>

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Kristina Schake" <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 4/30/2015 7:56:27 AM
Subject: Re: Hiring Speechwriters

Go for it. For the other slot, sent Teddy a writer I worked with at Funny or Die. I was thinking more social media but might be worth a look. I'll fish out her resume.

On Apr 30, 2015 11:25 AM, "Kristina Schake" <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Yes, if John got the go ahead from Dennis I think we should move ahead with Megan.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Apr 30, 2015, at 12:56 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> I wanted to give an update on hiring for speechwriting. We had talked about taking a look at two White House speechwriters, David Litt and Megan Rooney. Megan we know well because she wrote for HRC for four years at State and has a great command of her voice and sensibility. David we don't know as well but he's highly regarded at the WH and West Wing Writers and is the go-to guy for the President's humor. My understanding is that John spoke to Dennis about this and got the green light to engage.

>

> Unfortunately, after some reflection, David Litt has decided that he doesn't want to leave the White House. Megan, however, is eager to come on board. I think we should move ahead with that now and then proceed with a deliberate search for a second writer.

>

> Several promising candidates have come my way, including current or former writers for Rahm, Schumer, Landrieu and others. I've sent out some writing tests and will continue following up. If comms or digital is still looking for writers as well, some of these folks could also end up being good fits there.

>

> Does this sound like a reasonable plan to everyone?

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> Thanks

> Dan

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From: "REL Appalachia" <relappalachia@cna.org>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 4/30/2015 8:02:12 AM

Subject: Upcoming REL Appalachia Webinar



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To: ["JOHN Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/21/2015 8:27:19 AM

Subject: Fw: checking in...

Hope all is well

He asked me to connect him with you as he wants to get involved...

Enjoy

From: Timothy Shriver <TShriver@specialolympics.org>

Sent: Saturday, March 21, 2015 11:25:52 AM

To: Doug Band

Subject: checking in...

Let me know about Podesta if you get a chance.

All good,

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From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)
To: [H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:hdr29@hrcoffice.com)
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Date: 6/14/2015 9:51:14 AM
Subject: Speechwriting and message architecture

Madame Secretary,
One more thing and then I will leave you alone for the day.

I had a meeting with Joel today. His contract is now complete (we got the deal we originally wanted), so we buried the hatchet on what ended up being a heated negotiation and then discussed next steps on message.

Three things:

- 1) I explained that we needed to move forward with Dan as Speechwriter and I needed his help supporting that process. I said that John, Jen, Dan, and I were going to get a proposed process on paper so everyone is clear on how this will work moving forward.
- 2) I asked that he create a revised message architecture document so that you and the entire staff can (literally) be on the same page about message moving forward. I said we should use your launch speech as our base--and track any developments this week as you work out the stump. He agreed to that but said he felt we needed to have a bit more time to talk with you first. Which leads to my third item...
- 3) I think it would be really helpful to pull the team together with you next week to debrief on this week--discuss your stump, what worked and didn't work during the launch and then task Joel and Dan with developing the message one-pager out of that meeting. And formalizing your stump, if that's something you want. Would that work for you? I have not idea what works for the schedule, but wanted to see if you think the idea makes sense.

Let me know! Thanks!

From: "Jake Sullivan" <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>

To: H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com>
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 3/25/2015 11:38:41 AM

Subject: Israel

HRC, John --

If you both continue to agree that taking a call from Malcolm makes sense, I can get it teed up tomorrow or Friday.

There are two keys, from my perspective.

First, that you and he agree what he is going to say about it -- something simple like, "she thinks we need to all work together to put the relationship on a more constructive footing, to get back to basics, and to ensure that Israel never becomes a partisan issue."

Second, that if he raises Iran, you tell him you'd be happy to discuss at some point in greater detail but not get pulled into a long conversation. (I'm also happy to follow up with him on this -- he and I have a very good relationship on Iran.)

From: "Baron Hill" <info@baronhillforindiana.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/25/2015 4:02:42 AM

Subject: Thankful



John,

As Thanksgiving approaches, I wanted to send a note to tell you how grateful I am for all of your support. This campaign wouldn't be possible without people like you, and I know that together we are going to make a big difference for all Hoosiers.

I have a lot to be thankful for, from my beautiful family to all of the opportunities I have had to serve our great state. As I travel across Indiana, I've had the chance to hear about the lives of many Hoosiers. One of the best parts of meeting so many people is hearing about their hopes and dreams and finding ways to ensure they have every chance at achieving them.

[And now today, I'd like to hear about what you're thankful for this year. Take a minute today and let us know.](#)

Whether it's family, friends, turkey, college football, or something else entirely, we want to hear from you. Hearing about what you are thankful for is a big inspiration for our whole team.

[Take our quick survey and let us know what you're thankful for this season.](#)

Thanks,

Baron

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From: "[Neera Tanden](mailto:ntanden@americanprogress.org)" <ntanden@americanprogress.org>
To: "[Jennifer Palmieri](mailto:JPalmieri@americanprogress.org)" <JPalmieri@americanprogress.org>
john.podesta@gmail.com
"[John Podesta](mailto:jpodesta@americanprogress.org)" <jpodesta@americanprogress.org>
Date: 8/31/2011 11:11:09 AM
Subject: RE: Malpractice!!!

Why are you using John's gmail account?

-----Original Message-----

From: Jennifer Palmieri
Sent: Wednesday, August 31, 2011 6:09 PM
To: 'john.podesta@gmail.com'; Neera Tanden
Subject: Malpractice!!!

If their goal was to make the speech look completely political, bring the President of the United States down to be on par with the crazy Republican candidates and elevate John Boehner - this was a great strategy.

From: ["Caroline W. Kariemu" <cwk5@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:cwk5@law.georgetown.edu)
To: [Announcements <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 4/24/2015 11:48:30 AM
Subject: Looking for Attorneys - International Adoptions

I am posting for a friend who is looking for referrals for attorneys who work on international adoptions?

Mrs. Naric Maksudova-Mosherefi is looking for an attorney experienced in international adoptions. The family would like to adopt a child from Macedonia. Please send referrals to maksudova_narcis@hotmail.com .

Thank you!

From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/11/2015 11:07:28 AM

Subject: Afternoon Roundup

No missed calls or call requests for today

In your inbox for NRDC:

- Most Recent WH Climate and Conservation Memos from Green Groups

I'm standing by at 818-456-2881, both laptops at my disposal, ready to research when you have questions.

Tomorrow:

- First thing: 9:30 am Call on Earned Media

- No docs for the CTR and Priorities meetings at Perkins, which are 11 - 12:30 and 2-3:30 pm, respectively. I have not heard if there's anything in between, but I won't put anything in between, from 12:30 - 2 pm.

- Nothing between 3:30-6 pm, but take a look at the scheduling memo if there's anything you want then. I will not put anything then because I don't want to go assuming what you want to do then.

NYC Friday: looks like it's still on, but the check in portion with you, Robby, Cheryl and Huma was cancelled.

Here's the Friday agenda again for your reference:

10:00am-11:30am: Fundraising & Digital

11:30am-1:00pm: Budget, Compliance, & Operations

1:00pm-2:00pm: Lunch & Launch

2:00pm-3:00pm: Research, States, & Political

3:00pm-4:00pm: Outside groups

I do need your confirmation of whether or not you're going before I book Amtrak.

Standing by!

Eryn

From: "Kirsten Gillibrand" <kg@kirstengillibrand.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/30/2012 4:26:13 PM

Subject: Romney

John,

Last night, Rep. Paul Ryan gave a speech that was full of rhetoric and deceiving on the facts. I just finished watching Mitt Romney's convention speech and it was more of the same.

It was no surprise to hear Mitt Romney making false attacks against President Obama and telling his base everything it wanted to hear. It is clear his vision for America means denying women access to basic medical care, telling people who they can and can't marry, and putting big oil profits and wasteful subsidies for corporations that ship our jobs overseas ahead of middle-class families.

But there's one thing he did tonight we should be thankful for: he reminded us why we need to stand with President Obama. After all of Romney's and Ryan's baseless attacks, join me in telling President Obama that we stand with him:

www.kirstengillibrand.com/standwithobama

Thank you,

Kirsten

This message was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com. [To unsubscribe from the Gillibrand for Senate email list, please click here.](#)

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: podesta.mary@gmail.com

Date: 12/13/2015 8:49:57 AM

Subject: Re: Metaxia

She is coming on Xmas eve. Invited the boys. She seemed to indicate they would come (without checking with them of course.) Maybe you can check back with her on Thursday or Friday to see if they are coming and whether they have +1's.

On Sunday, December 13, 2015, <podesta.mary@gmail.com> wrote:

Let me know if/when you have them on board for the 24th. Figuring out how many pierogis I need to make.

Thx

From: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/13/2015 12:40:46 AM

Subject: tonight

Are you home for dinner? Hope all is well with you and look forward to seeing you.

Mary

From: ["Tom Matzzie" <tom@zzranch.com>](mailto:tom@zzranch.com)
To: ["Anna Greenberg" <agreenberg@gqrr.com>](mailto:agreenberg@gqrr.com)
Date: 2/14/2008 11:38:14 AM
Subject: Re: CDA Script

All, I just want to apologize to Anna and all of you for the tone of this email. This is one of those "Tom got four hours of sleep and no coffee because he went to focus groups in Missouri" moments. Sorry for the curtness here.

-Tom

On Thu, Feb 14, 2008 at 11:57 AM, Tom Matzzie <tom@zzranch.com> wrote:

> In the future the answer will be "because its the deadline" but we
> will move this deadline to tomorrow morning because of today's meeting
> which was scheduled without Lori's knowledge.

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> On Thu, Feb 14, 2008 at 11:25 AM, Anna Greenberg <agreenberg@gqrr.com> wrote:

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>> I like it, but I'm not sure why we have to have comments by 4pm. Aren't we
>> talking about all the scripts between 2-5pm today? Thanks, Anna

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>> From: lori@iraqcampaign.org [mailto:lori@iraqcampaign.org] On Behalf Of Lori
>> Lodes
>> Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2008 10:52 AM
>> To: Begala, Paul; susan; John Podesta; Ari Rabin-Havt; Anna Greenberg; Stan
>> Greenberg; ic2008
>> Cc: mattzie Tom; Tara McGuinness
>> Subject: CDA Script

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>> Hello -

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>> Attached is the latest script we have marked for production. Please send me
>> any comments you have regarding the script by 4:00pm today.

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>> Thank you,

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>> Lori

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>> Lori Lodes

> > m: 202.351.1147
> > lori@campaigntodefendamerica.org
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From: "[UPDATE] - Progressive Turnout Project" <admin@turnoutpac.org>

To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 11/27/2015 9:21:49 AM

Subject: U-N-B-E-L-I-E-V-A-B-L-E

PROGRESSIVE TURNOUT PROJECT

John, we can't wait to share this *unbelievable* news:

The Progressive Turnout Project is within reach of a TREMENDOUS milestone -- 10,000 Original Members!

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John, are you one of them?



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\$5	\$35	\$50
\$100	\$250	Other

If we can hit this goal by our end-of-month deadline, we'll be able to make the investments needed to turn out Democrats in 2016.

We need your help NOW to make this possible -- chip in \$5 for the Progressive Turnout Project immediately:

<http://go.turnoutpac.org/Donate>

Thanks for your support,

- *The Progressive Turnout Project*

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Northbrook, IL 60065-0215

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From: ["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/25/2014 6:25:00 AM

Subject: Re: PB Tacos

haha - that show is back on tv!!

On Tue, Feb 25, 2014 at 1:13 PM, Gabe Podesta <gpodesta@gmail.com> wrote:

For some inexplicable reason, my MRE contained PB and tortillas. Attached please find a photo of my first ever Peanut Butter Taco. I feel like a contestant on the Worst Cooks in America.

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)
To: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 7/25/2015 4:52:06 AM
Subject: Re: Remarks at Iowa AFSCME convention

I'm a union guy but I really don't like when unions are strong America is strong.

I feel it cheapens our core argument when we use that for families and we should reserve the construct only for families.

If we start using it for other things it will become meaningless.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 25, 2015, at 12:57 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> I believe the AFSCME convention on Saturday evening is still closed press, but flagging these draft remarks for everyone.

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> Dan

> <2015-07-24 AFSCME Iowa - 11pm.docx>

From: "Oren Shur" <oshur@hillaryclinton.com>
To: publicpolls@hillaryclinton.com
Date: 2/5/2016 4:10:44 AM
Subject: PPP national survey - HRC 53 - Sanders 32 (82-8 among AAs)

For those pushing back on PPP, this also out ...

On the Democratic side Hillary Clinton leads Bernie Sanders 53/32. Sanders does keep gradually moving closer- our previous couple polls had her leading 56/28 in December and 59/26 in November. But he still has some weaknesses that may make it hard for him to catch up. Primary among these is African American voters- Clinton leads 82/8 with them and has a 79/9 favorability compared to 27/23 for Sanders. That does suggest some possibility for Sanders to improve his position- part of his problem is just that black voters don't really know him yet- but he's starting at a tremendous disadvantage that will make the upcoming run of Southern primaries very difficult for him.

http://www.publicpolicypolling.com/pdf/2015/PPP_Release_National_20416.pdf

From: "Clinton, Press Office \\\(Clinton\\)" <Press_Office@clinton.senate.gov>
To:
Date: 12/23/2007 12:44:31 AM
Subject: Clips: Sun 12/23

Office of Senator Hillary Rodham Clinton
Sunday, December 23rd, 2007

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Shalala, Donna E." <dshalala@miami.edu>](mailto:dshalala@miami.edu)

Date: 8/18/2015 12:45:58 PM

Subject: Re: Catch up

No. Out West. Back to DC late Tuesday. Up to NYC Thursday.

On Tuesday, August 18, 2015, Shalala, Donna E. <dshalala@miami.edu> wrote:

Are you in DC this Friday or Saturday

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 18, 2015, at 10:51 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure. Out on the road till Thursday.

On Tuesday, August 18, 2015, Shalala, Donna E. <dshalala@miami.edu> wrote:

Any chance for a catch up next week?

Donna

From: "Adrienne Elrod" <aelrod@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 2/17/2016 3:47:38 PM

Subject: Re: Phone conversation

thank you SO MUCH!!!! (-:

On Wed, Feb 17, 2016 at 10:32 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

----- Forwarded message -----

From: WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com>

Date: Wednesday, February 17, 2016

Subject: Phone conversation

To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Okay. No problem. But hope you are right.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 17, 2016, at 7:35 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I was there last weekend. Hard for me to be sure. HRC did some heavy hits with Dreamers. Emmy Ruiz thinks we are pretty saturated with Hispanic surrogates (Becerra, Dolores Huerta, Gutierrez, Kevin Deleon + HRC and WJC. We are way more naked in Texas so I think it is a higher priority to get someone of your stature there. Could be making a mistake but seems right to me.

On Wednesday, February 17, 2016, WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com> wrote:

Scheduled for Texas next week. Adrienne basically said you have enough surrogates in Nevada but I just saw poll re dead heat. I am willing to go to Nevada and perhaps do a Hispanic press conference (I am a telemundo contributor) and that's it to not disrupt the organizers etc. Wont be offended if I just do Texas but I'm worried re Nevada and Hispanics.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 11, 2016, at 8:41 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Bill

Was trying to reach you to see if you could do a Texas swing for us. Adrienne will make sure you get our points and can plug you into our top surrogate scheduling operation if you can free up some days.

John

On Thursday, February 11, 2016, WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com> wrote:

Since we are having trouble connecting , the reason I was calling was that I need someone to send me talking points and the campaign line as I am frequently on talk shows and the print press. I am also somewhat perplexed that no one has asked for my help in anything whatsoever. Maybe that is by design. Maybe you guys don't need any extra help given recent results. You don't need to respond if you're too busy. Just have someone send me the talking points.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 24, 2016, at 7:02 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

10/18/2016

Yes

On Sunday, January 24, 2016, WBR <governor.richardson@gmail.com > wrote:
Are you available to talk on phone re campaign tomorrow?

Sent from my iPhone

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Adrienne K. Elrod
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From: "Grady Keefe" <gkeefe@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Megan Rooney" <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 12/3/2015 6:07:42 AM
Subject: Re: REVISED FINAL: NH women's economic opportunity speech

Printed! Thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 3, 2015, at 12:55 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hey everyone -- here's a new final. Here's what's different: we've added to the language on guns at the start. Per HRC, we've added a reference to the Paycheck Fairness Act.

Huma + Connolly: maybe flag for her that I've also added a reference (near the end) to the DOD's decision to let women serve in all combat jobs This just came down a few minutes ago.

Regular and formatted versions attached. Thanks!

On Thu, Dec 3, 2015 at 9:55 AM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi everyone -- with overnight edits, and tweaks to the opening sentences about the shooting, this is final.

Regular and formatted versions attached.

Thanks!

On Wed, Dec 2, 2015 at 7:15 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi all -- here's a draft of tomorrow's remarks at the women's economic opportunity summit in Manchester.

She's supposed to speak for 10 minutes or so at a podium, then have a moderated Q and A.

I've included a few paragraphs on today's shooting at the start.

I'm sending to the book now so please send any edits anytime tonight.

Thanks!

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From: "Jeremy Funk" <funk@americansunitedforchange.org>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 7/8/2008 5:09:55 AM

Subject: [big campaign] AP: 'Iraq insists on withdrawal timetable' / McCain in 2004: "I think it's obvious that we would have to leave"

Iraq Campaign 2008

www.iraqcampaign.org

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CONTACT: Jeremy Funk, 202.470.5878

DATE: July 7, 2008

Top Iraq Officials Now Want U.S. Troops Out of Iraq – The American People *Still* Want Us Out

So, Why Does Senator John "[T]hat's not too important" When U.S. Troops Come Home and 100 Years in Iraq "would be fine with me" McCain Want to Stay?

Say, Didn't Mr. Straight Talk Express Say in 2004 that "*I think it's obvious that we would have to leave*" if a sovereign Iraqi government asked us to?

He Sure Did: <http://www.democracyarsenal.org/2008/07/in-2004-mccain.html>

Associated Press: *Iraq's national security adviser says his country will not accept any deal with the United States unless the agreement sets specific dates for the withdrawal of U.S.-led forces.* [[Associated Press, 7/8/08](#)]

Reuters: *Iraqi Prime Minister Nuri al-Maliki on Monday raised the prospect of setting a timetable for the withdrawal of U.S. troops as part of the talks for a new security agreement to replace the U.N. mandate for their presence that expires on December 31.* [[Reuters, 7/7/08](#)]

<http://www.pollingreport.com/iraq.htm>

Time Poll conducted by Abt SRBI. June 18-25, 2008. N=805 likely voters nationwide. MoE ± 3.

"Do you believe that the United States should bring most of the troops home from Iraq in the next year or two, or should the U.S. wait until Iraq is relatively stable, even if it takes four years or more?"

	In Next Year or Two %	Wait Until Stable %	Unsure %
6/18-25/08	56	39	5

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: podesta.mary@gmail.com

Date: 9/23/2015 5:09:34 AM

Subject: Re: Saturday head's up

I can probably go with you. Need to be in NYC by 4:00

On Wednesday, September 23, 2015, <podesta.mary@gmail.com> wrote:

Ed Gabrielski's funeral is Sat morning. I will try to make it, driving up very early Saturday.

From: ["Georgetown Entertainment & Media Alliance" <kma28@georgetown.edu>](mailto:kma28@georgetown.edu)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@georgetown.edu)

Date: 8/19/2014 7:07:59 AM

Subject: Three Weeks to GEMA Rocks

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To: ["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 8/22/2014 10:22:12 AM
Subject: Senator Leahy Display-Hotung Dining Room

Dear Colleagues,

I want to let you know about a fascinating exhibit we will be hosting on campus in the Hotung Dining Room from the start of the school year through Reunion Weekend in October. This year is our esteemed graduate Senator Patrick Leahy's 50th Reunion Year. What you may not know about Senator Leahy is that he is also an artist. Throughout his years of service, the Senator has used photography to create a record of many of the significant historical events of our time. Whether he's looking over President Obama's shoulder as the president signs the 2014 Farm Bill, snapping images of the Dalai Lama at Middlebury College, or leaning out from the rubble to watch children fly kites in the skies of Afghanistan, the perspective is Leahy's own.

This fall, as we honor Senator Leahy on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of his law school graduation and the 40th anniversary of his Senate service with our Robert F. Drinan, SJ, Alumni Public Service Award, we are also delighted to be able to exhibit more than 50 of his photographs in our Hotung Dining Room. As we use the Dining Room for our workshops, colloquia, and other events this fall, we will be able to benefit from his unique perspective, witnessing historical events not only through the lens of a camera but filtered through his thoughtful, perceptive, and compassionate mind.

If you are interested in learning more about Senator Leahy's professional life as experienced through his photography, I will discuss those topics with the Senator in front of alumni and students during Reunion Weekend. I think it will be a fascinating conversation about one of our country's great leaders, and I welcome you to attend. It will be held on Saturday, October 18, 2014, from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. in the Hart Auditorium. If you would like to come, please RSVP to Matt Calise at mfc37@law.georgetown.edu or 202.662.9512.

Best,
Bill

From: "Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>

To: "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>

Date: 10/16/2015 6:09:20 AM

Subject: Re: just another day at the ofc...

If that's how HFA celebrates a debate I want an invite for election night.

On Friday, October 16, 2015, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Congrats!!!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 16, 2015, at 3:34 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Doubled Robby's time.

On Oct 15, 2015 8:47 PM, "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
keg stand competition at HFA - JDP, wins !!

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Gabe Podesta

From: "Andrew Smith" <info@terrymcauliffe.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 4/30/2013 9:46:17 AM

Subject: 11,327

Friend —

Can I be real for a second?

I'm proud to be part of the kind of campaign that Terry described in his email yesterday — he's criss-crossing the Commonwealth, talking policy with voters, and building the volunteer army that's going to win this election.

But Ken Cuccinelli's radical friends are dumping strings-attached money into his campaign coffers. And now, one of those groups is piling on with the first negative ads of the election.

Here's the real part — those kinds of tactics can be effective. To compete, we need to build a bigger, smarter organization. And to do that, we need to smash our important April fundraising goal.



Will you help us out? Click here to donate \$5 before we reach the April fundraising deadline.

<https://donate.terrymcauliffe.com/bigger-organization>

With 14 hours left in April, we're \$11,327.45 away from our fundraising goal. It's critical we hit it to make sure we have the resources we need to build an organization to take on Ken Cuccinelli and his ultra conservative backers.

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From: [ThinkProgress <progress@americanprogressaction.org>](mailto:progress@americanprogressaction.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/26/2015 6:27:01 AM

Subject: Carson's ridiculous claims

THINKPROGRESS

Presidential candidate Ben Carson made headlines this weekend when he said that women who have abortions are like slaveowners. That's not the only ridiculous thing the candidate believes. Seattle company Gravity payments raised its minimum salary to \$70,000 -- and despite dire predictions, the company is flourishing. And in a landmark new study, researchers at Harvard found that elevated carbon dioxide levels have a direct, negative impact on human cognition. The implications for climate policy are stark.



13 Ridiculous Things Ben Carson Actually Believes

Former neurosurgeon Ben Carson has become an unlikely frontrunner in the GOP presidential primary, leading recent polls in Iowa and surpassing all of the other Republican candidates' recent fundraising totals....(read more)



Carson: Women Who Have Abortions Are Like Slaveowners



After Company Raises Minimum Salary To \$70,000, Revenue And Profits Double

In April, Dan Price, CEO of the credit card payment processor Gravity Payments, announced that he will eventually raise minimum pay for all employees to at least \$70,000 a year. ...[\(read more\)](#)

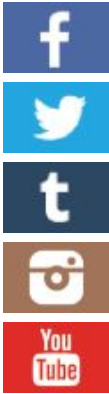


Trump Takes Credit For Major Accomplishment Based On Info From Random Twitter User, Hilarity Ensues



Exclusive: Elevated CO2 Levels Directly Affect Human Cognition, New Harvard Study Shows

In a landmark public health finding, a new study from the Harvard School of Public Health finds that carbon dioxide (CO2) has a direct and negative impact on human cognition and decision-making. These impacts have been observed at CO2 levels that most Americans — and their children — are routinely exposed to today inside classrooms, offices, homes, planes, and cars. ...[\(read more\)](#)



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From: "The Broad Foundation" <press@broadfoundation.org>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/27/2013 1:02:40 AM

Subject: 2013 Broad Prize Finalists Announced Tomorrow



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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 10/21/2015 7:05:31 AM

Subject: Re: Retweet HRC on Biden?

Instead of public service substitute working families. Shorten rest if you need to.

On Wednesday, October 21, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

For timeliness, just did a plain retweet and we can send out the below language as a separate tweet if you like it.

Honored to have served alongside @VP . Saw firsthand his grit, determination, unparalleled commitment to pub service

Thanks!

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On Wed, Oct 21, 2015 at 1:43 PM, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Would you like to add some language on top or just plain RT? Suggestion:

Honored to have served alongside @VP . Saw firsthand his grit, determination, unparalleled commitment to pub service

On Wed, Oct 21, 2015 at 1:42 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Yes

On Oct 21, 2015 1:22 PM, "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here's what she just sent out.

We could Retweet and add a statement on top of that if you'd like.



Hillary Clinton @HillaryClinton · 20s

.@VP is a good friend and a great man. Today and always, inspired by his optimism and commitment to change the world for the better. -H



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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Tom Steyer" <tsteyer@fahrllc.com>](mailto:tsteyer@fahrllc.com)

Date: 7/24/2015 3:55:45 AM

Subject: Re: NYT

You and I have different perspectives. I wish you luck.

On Friday, July 24, 2015, Tom Steyer <tsteyer@fahrllc.com> wrote:

John--have now read the paper. Didn't think Next Gen article was bad for you guys. Tom

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 24, 2015, at 6:21 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

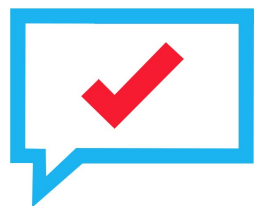
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> I am deep in the middle of dealing with getting fucked by the NYT, but I didn't expect to get fucked by you in the NYT. Thanks a lot for jumping us. I hope President Bush helps you reach your climate goals.

> John

> PS great picture.

From: "PTP Research" <admin@turnoutpac.org>
To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 3/10/2016 12:35:47 PM
Subject: Tuesday's historic upset [URGENT POLL]



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RESPONDENT: JOHN PODESTA [20005]

**John, which candidate do you believe will win the
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Following Tuesday's stunning upset in Michigan, we need to know what Democrats like you are thinking right now.

Please respond before tonight's GOP debate begins at 8:30 p.m. ET. Thanks!

<http://go.turnoutpac.org/Bernie-or-Hillary>

Onward,

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From: "[Campus Broadcast](#)" <broadcast@law.georgetown.edu>

To: "[Campus Broadcast](#)" <broadcast@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 11/19/2014 12:00:04 PM

Subject: STARTING NOW: Human Rights Institute Event on Children's Rights and Juvenile Justice – 11/19 @ 2:00 PM – 4: 00 PM

Attachments: Nov. 19 - Children's Rights & Juvenile Justice Invitation.pdf



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Wally Mlyniec, Lupo-Rizzi Professor of Clinical Legal Studies; Director, Juvenile Justice Clinic, Georgetown Law

Anthony Pleasant, Senior Poet Ambassador, Free Minds

Moderator:

Ian Kysel, Dash/Muse Fellow & Adjunct Professor of Law, Georgetown Law Human Rights Institute

November 20 is Universal Children's Day (UCD), first declared by the United Nations in 1954. In 2014, UCD will also mark the 25th anniversary of the Convention on the Rights of the Child, the most widely ratified human rights treaty in history. In honor of these special days, which present important opportunities to raise awareness of issues affecting children, please join us for a rich and informative discussion of children's rights in the context of juvenile justice in the United States.

From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 3/4/2016 11:57:09 AM

Subject: Re: Opposition research

okay if i connect them with Christina?

On Fri, Mar 4, 2016 at 6:55 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

This is Matt Schneider's stepmom Janet, who is a longtime fundraiser (Orange county CA), raises for Schumer and DSCC, became a top Obama bundler after HRC dropped out in 2008. So far has had a bad experience with our team, tho she's also a complainer in general...

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Janet Keller <jk@kellerconsultants.org>

Date: March 4, 2016 at 6:40:05 PM EST

To: Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: John Manly <jmanly@manlystewart.com>

Subject: Re: Opposition research

Sara -

Per our conversation, John Manly is close to Michael D'Antonio (who wrote Never Enough about Trump) and Michael wants to meet with the Clinton campaign's opposition research team. He does not want to be paid. And he has 9 hours of taped conversations with Donald Trump.

John Manly needs to join the meeting as well. I have copied him on this email.

John, Sara is a close friend and a senior advisor on Hillary's campaign. She gets things done!!

Sara, let us know the next steps. Also, as I mentioned, Mr. D'Antonio resides on Long Island.

Thanks again,

Janet

Janet Keller

Cell: [949-290-5157](tel:949-290-5157)

From: ["Ron Klain" <rklain@aol.com>](mailto:rklain@aol.com)
To: ["Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 3/8/2016 1:33:59 PM
Subject: Re: One Page Debate Advice + Two New Hits

So should we send it on to Connolly

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 8, 2016, at 8:30 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

This is great. We should proceed with this.

On Mar 8, 2016, at 7:56 PM, Ron Klain <ron.klain@revolution.com> wrote:

Jake,

Here is our write up of one page of debate advice, plus new hits on "He doesn't criticize Bush" and "Another round on Auto Bailout"

Don't know if you are near a computer, if you want to finish and get to her tonight or in the AM.

Karen and Ron

<HRC16-Debates-8thDebate-OnePager-0308-CIRC.docx>

From: "Adam Green" <adamgreen321@gmail.com>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 6/4/2009 3:33:58 PM

Subject: [big campaign] Radio buyers / gurus

Anyone know a good radio buyer or guru who could give some preliminary advice on where to start on thinking about a radio ad campaign?

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To: ["Charlie Baker" <cbaker@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:cbaker@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 1/31/2016 10:16:48 AM
Subject: Re: Debate Call

People are on other calls. let's wait 15 min please!

On Sun, Jan 31, 2016 at 5:15 PM, Charlie Baker <cbaker@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Sawsan , same number?

> On Jan 31, 2016, at 6:15 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> sure

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Charlie Baker [mailto:cbaker@hillaryclinton.com]]

> Sent: Sunday, January 31, 2016 6:14 PM

> To: Sawsan Bay <sbay@hillaryclinton.com> >

> Cc: Karen Dunn <karen.l.dunn@gmail.com> ; creynolds@hillaryclinton.com ;

> ellen.esterhay@gmmb.com ; jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com ;

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> jim.margolis@gmmb.com ; gruncom@aol.com ; mona@algpolling.com

> Subject: Re: Debate Call

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> Can we reconvene. Have update

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>> On Jan 31, 2016, at 10:26 AM, Sawsan Bay <sbay@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>> You have been invited to the following event.

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>> Title: Debate Call

>> When: Sun Jan 31, 2016 11am - 11:30am Eastern Time

>> Where: [772-212-0079](tel:772-212-0079)

>> Video call:

>> https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/debate-call

>> <https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/debate-call?hce

>> id=c2JheUBoaWxsYXJ5Y2xpbnRvbi5jb20.rp3nn2nrscm18dtaati40hesqg>

>> Calendar: cbaker@hillaryclinton.com

>> Who:

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>> <https://support.google.com/calendar/answer/37135#forwarding>
>> <meeting.ics>

From: [Paule-Carres <paulecarres@comcast.net>](mailto:Paule-Carres@comcast.net)
To: ["Podesta, Mary" <podesta@ici.org>](mailto:Podesta.Mary@ici.org)
["John Podesta" <jpodesta@americanprogress.org>](mailto:jpodesta@americanprogress.org)
["Tony Podesta" <tpodesta@podesta.com>](mailto:tpodesta@podesta.com)
john.podesta@gmail.com
John.Podesta@ptt.gov
Date: 6/24/2009 7:05:14 AM
Subject: Arrangements

Hello all...

I've been waiting to send details until all was finalized, but specific arrangements are still tentative...it appears that my father's service will be Wednesday, July 1 at St. Demetrious Church. Time remains in question...I would assume there will be a brief visitation at 10:00 followed by the service at 10:30. We'll follow the same schedule as we did for my mother...brief service at Elmwood, followed by lunch at the Rosewood Restaurant.

I'd appreciate it if you would let anyone you may have contact with know...I haven't been in touch with anyone other than Glenn's family. I recently had an email from Tim McCarthy ... also, I had a letter from Ken Teglia right after my mother died asking about her ... if you are in touch with either of them, that might be nice to let them know.

Thanks for your thoughts...it has been a very difficult three years.

Patti

From: Podesta, Mary [mailto:podesta@ici.org]
Sent: Tuesday, June 23, 2009 4:41 PM
To: paulecarres@comcast.net; larissalpcs@gmail.com
Subject: sympathy and love

Dear Patti and Larissa,

I was so sorry to hear about Spirro. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. And good luck with the knee, Patti. Please let us know what we can do. Larissa, hope all is well with the wee one and his big brother (and Andrew). I'm sorry the joy of Dylan's arrival isn't the only thing in your lives right now.

Love,

Mary

From: [Howard <hw6152@gmail.com>](mailto:hw6152@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 3/8/2016 8:53:28 AM
Subject: Re: Call me if you can

Left VM
9178827220

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 8, 2016, at 10:54 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> 202-999-0738

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> Sent from my iPhone

From: john.podesta@gmail.com
To: ["Chris Lu" <Chris.Lu@ptt.gov>](mailto:Chris.Lu@ptt.gov)
Date: 11/7/2008 2:40:46 PM
Subject: Re: Update on a few things

Excellent

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

From: Chris Lu <Chris.Lu@ptt.gov>
Date: Fri, 7 Nov 2008 16:36:41 -0500
To: john.podesta@gmail.com<john.podesta@gmail.com>
CC: Sara Latham<Sara.Latham@ptt.gov>
Subject: Update on a few things

1) Blake Gottesman and I are going to set up a twice-daily phone call for the two of us to hash through various issues that need resolution. I'm going to send out an email to senior transition team and let them know that if there are issues that need to be raised with the WH that they should let me know. Most will be administrative stuff (like agency space, briefings etc.), but if there's anything more sensitive, I will get signoff from you in advance before I raise it with Blake.

2) MOU is fine. Bolten will sign tonight, and I'll have a copy for you to sign tomorrow. And then the agency teams can get to work.

3) Alyssa and I have been emailing about military aircraft. The cost is significantly cheaper especially given Biden's frequent travels to Chicago, so we're going to explore the use of it on a reimbursable basis. Unless you object, I'm going to send a letter to Blake to start that process.

4) We've already fired one agency team leader who leaked his work that he was working on a team. So, we're taking very seriously the "no leak" mandate.

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 12/2/2015 1:10:00 PM
Subject: Re: Fwd: Jingle All The Way 5K is Back! Register Today!

Tried to. Maybe it didn't go through.

On Dec 2, 2015 7:54 PM, "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Are you sure you're registered for this race on Sunday? The only record of it that I see is the email from Eryn asking if you wanted to run and Josh Fryday from the other week. Nothing official from Pacers.

It looks like registration is still open so I can register you if you aren't already.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: Wed, Dec 2, 2015 at 7:52 PM
Subject: Fwd: Jingle All The Way 5K is Back! Register Today!
To: Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, Nov 2, 2015 at 10:35 AM
Subject: Fwd: Jingle All The Way 5K is Back! Register Today!
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

You running this, boss?

Begin forwarded message:

From: Pacers Running <news@runpacers.com>
Date: November 2, 2015 at 9:41:15 AM EST
To: eryn.sepp@gmail.com
Subject: Jingle All The Way 5K is Back! Register Today!
Reply-To: news@runpacers.com





The poster features a runner in a purple long-sleeved shirt, black shorts, and a red headband with a pom-pom, running towards the left. The background is a dark, stylized winter scene with snow-capped mountains and a city skyline. In the top left corner, there is a purple hexagonal logo with a white reindeer head and the text "JINGLE All The Way" and "5K". Below the logo, the text "ENJOY A Winter Run!" is written in a mix of fonts. Underneath, it says "DECEMBER 6 @ 9AM" and "WASHINGTON, DC". At the bottom left of the poster is the "PACERS RUNNING" logo.

Jingle All The Way 5K Registration Open!

Ho ho ho! Winter season is just around the corner and its time to register for the area's favorite holiday run, the 11th Annual [Jingle All The Way 5K](#) !

We have oodles of **fun** in store including our popular photos with **Santa**, a post party with **Shake Shack**, hot pipin' coffee, commemorative gear, jingle bells, **costumes** galore, and a **special gift** from Mizuno!

Join us December 6 for the area's fastest holiday party! More details [here](#) !

[Register today](#) !



The logo for "PHOTOS WITH Santa" features a stylized illustration of Santa Claus's face with a red hat and white beard, set against a circular wreath of green leaves and red berries. The text "PHOTOS WITH" is in a small, sans-serif font, and "Santa" is in a larger, cursive script.

PHOTOS WITH SANTA

Forget waiting in line at the mall, we bring St. Nick to you with our enormously popular photo booth with Santa!

Free professional photos of you and your gaggle of reindeer friends await at the race. . . . check out the great shots from [last year](#) !



LONG SLEEVE TEES & JINGLE BELLS

Fa la la la run in your festive best and ring in your holiday spirit with commemorative long sleeve tees and jingle bells for your shoes!

Always a crowd pleaser and free with entry!

[Register today](#) and secure your preferred shirt size!



DID WE MENTION THE COSTUMES?

Jingle All the Way is known as one of the best costume events in the city!

Wrestle up your wise men, rein in your reindeer, or snap up your dancing sugar plums for our costume contest with great prize packages!

Need inspiration? Check out last year's [photos](#)!



POST RACE AT SHAKE SHACK

Who doesn't like an after party?

Shake Shack will open early and every participant receives a free adult (or kids) beverage compliments of our friends at Shake Shack! Please bring ID.

Tune up for Jingle All the Way with our upcoming Shake Shack run Tuesday, November 10. Details found on our Facebook [event page](#).

RUNPACERS.COM
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Milia Fisher
Special Assistant to the Chair
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mfisher@hillaryclinton.com
c: [858.395.1741](tel:858.395.1741)

From: ["Anna Canfield" <acanfield@americanprogress.org>](mailto:acanfield@americanprogress.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/22/2008 3:10:50 PM

Subject: RE: Schedule & Calls

John,

I'm heading home now. If you need to reach me before 8:00 tomorrow morning I'll be on my cell -603 520 7083.

Anna

acanfield@americanprogress.org
202-478-6324

From: Anna Canfield
Sent: Tuesday, July 22, 2008 9:07 PM
To: John Podesta
Subject: RE: Schedule & Calls

My direct line is 202-478-6324.

acanfield@americanprogress.org
202-478-6324

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, July 22, 2008 8:32 PM
To: Anna Canfield
Subject: Re: Schedule & Calls

Anna,
Lookks like I'll be trAVELLING THRU both calls. not in the office on Thursday so will have to rearrange that as well. What,s your direct line.

On Wed, Jul 23, 2008 at 1:31 AM, Anna Canfield <acanfield@americanprogress.org> wrote:

Hi John,

Sorry to hear about the plane, but very glad everyone is ok.

For tomorrow, both the Board Meeting & Energy call-in information are below. I've told Steve Phillips that you're stuck in Rwanda for the time being. Let me know if you want to try and connect with him via phone, or if you'd prefer to reschedule when you're back in town. For Thursday, we went ahead and cancelled the Jay Eisenhower Mtg (Development Mtg.) because Debby thought it was best to let him know in advance. Leaving everything else on the schedule until I hear otherwise. All your other Thursday meetings are via phone anyways so thought there would be a chance you could still hop on.

Board Meeting from 1:00-1:45 EST **888-387-8686** conference ID number is **6549374#** Sarah will lead the call and we have quorum even without you and Senator Daschle.

Energy Call from 3:30-4:00 EST - **(800) 288-8961** (reference is **National Clean Energy Summit**)

you shouldn't need it, but just in case, the conference ID number is **955269** Pete confirmed with Dan that he'll take the lead in your absence.

The following folks called for you today:

Kirk Adams from SEIU.

Andy Stern suggested he reach out to you to update you on the work he's been doing with SEIU, Change to Win, & OB. Would appreciate a call.
202-251-2691

Mike Berman
called you back.
202-728-1100

George Frampton
called to see if you'd be available Friday AM to follow up on previous conversation you had on Clean Energy.
212-909-7615 (work)
202-320-3003 (cell)

Todd Stern
Would appreciate a call.
202-663-6940

That's it for now. Please let me know if you need anything. Hope they work out a flight for you soon!

Anna

*Anna Canfield | Special Assistant to Sarah Wartell, EVP | Center for American Progress |
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From: "Luke Albee" <lukealbee@gmail.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
"Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 2/2/2016 10:52:20 AM

Subject: Fwd: Bernie Sanders Tax Increases Fall Short of Paying for Health Plan, Analysis Finds

As John knows, I advise these folks. . .

Here is the WSJ story about our report tomorrow on Bernie Sanders' health plan offsets.

<http://blogs.wsj.com/washwire/2016/02/02/analysis-bernie-sanderss-tax-increases-fall-short-of-paying-for-health-plan/>

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)
Date: 4/9/2015 9:27:32 AM
Subject: Fwd: Hello from Business Insider

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From: Hunter Walker <hunter.walker@gmail.com>
Date: Thu, Apr 9, 2015 at 4:25 PM
Subject: Hello from Business Insider
To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Hi Mr. Podesta,

This is Hunter Walker from Business Insider.

Working on a story about the announcement plans. Want to discuss with you off record.

Trying to work with you guys on this.

You can reach me at this address or [917 363 5315](tel:9173635315) .

Thanks,
Hunter

From:	"Sara Latham" <Sara.Latham@ptt.gov>
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	11/25/2008 10:45:47 AM
Subject:	Cheryl Mills

(202) 412-9394

From: ["Stop The Tea Party" <democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com>](mailto:democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/27/2014 9:22:31 AM

Subject: ALERT:

This week has been both good and bad...

First: An outside group with ties to Speaker Boehner launched a huge ad buy in targeted races across the country.

Then: Leader Pelosi issued a call to action before our HUGE FEC deadline.

And then something incredible happened: Thousands of people just like you stood up and donated whatever they could to make sure we could stop Boehner and the Koch brothers attacks from overwhelming Democrats nationwide.

[But the bad news is we're still about \\$50,000 away from our record for best month this year. Can you click here before the FINAL quarterly FEC deadline and donate now?](#)

HOUSE MAJORITY PAC FEC RECORD

NAME: John Podesta

ANSWERED NANCY PELOSI'S CALL TO ACTION: NO DONATION

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[Donate \\$3 instantly >>](#)

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We can't do this alone, John. With Boehner, the Koch brothers, and Karl Rove set to spend MILLIONS to try and attack Democrats, failing to meet this deadline means we won't have necessary funding in critical races around the country.

Can you contribute now?: <http://action.thehousemajoritypac.com/PelosiNeedsUs>

Stop the Tea Party

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To: ["All Faculty and Staff" <AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 1/26/2016 6:15:05 AM
Subject: How to post a Zoom session (or any link) in your Canvas Course

Hello All,

We have received a number of help requests from Instructors asking how to post their Zoom link in Canvas. Below is a link to instructions for posting your Zoom session in Canvas. Please note that you can use these steps to post Files and other items as well.

<https://community.canvaslms.com/docs/DOC-2827>

After following these instructions, be sure to let your students know that you have posted your link under Modules. Thank you.

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From: ["Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com)

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cheryl.mills@gmail.com

["Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)

john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/20/2015 8:26:02 PM

Subject: HRC @ Toner Prize

Attachments: 2015-03-20 Toner Prize - 11pm.docx

All, here are draft remarks for the Toner Prize event on Monday evening.

We had talked about a few possible goals for this speech: 1) clear the air a bit with the press, possibly with self-deprecating humor; 2) explain the important role that serious, fact-based journalism plays in our democracy, as opposed to gotcha-style politics of personal destruction; 3) and play a little offense on health care given that Monday is the 5-year anniversary of the ACA.

Of these sections, the first one is where I could really use your input. Do the jokes in here work? Do you have suggestions for punching any of them up? Robin's husband Peter likes the idea of HRC being funny up there, and she says she is open to it as well, but we'll have to see if she really goes for it.

Thanks

Dan

From: ["Tom Matzzie" <tmatzzie@gmail.com>](mailto:tmatzzie@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Susan McCue" <susan@one.org>](mailto:susan@one.org)
["Stan Greenberg" <sgreenberg@gqrr.com>](mailto:sgreenberg@gqrr.com)
["Zach Schwartz" <zschwartz@shangrila.us>](mailto:zschwartz@shangrila.us)

Date: 10/8/2007 3:53:12 AM
Subject: Action items out of the call

As a follow up to our call. (Zach, please transmit to Steve.)

1. Tom will continue to write memo on campaign and include feedback.
2. John will decide this week on his status. Susan will decide within 10 days on her status.
3. After these decisions, we will have an Anna Burger and Rob McKay discussion about joint fund raising with DA including an MPB strategy.
4. Discussion with lawyers as a group--counsel options: Joe Sandler, Lynn Utrecht, Larry Gold. I recommend Joe Sandler because he will be easier to use. Utrecht was great for the 2004 work but will she be harder to reach with her Clinton work?
5. Composition of planning group--Tom will recommend
6. Tom will come up with a proposed strategy with America Votes and larger partners
7. Tom will draft calendar of work to be done.
8. Next meeting Friday, October 12, 10:00 AM Eastern. Lindsay will circulate a number.

From:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To:	"Juliana Gendelman" <jgendelman@americanprogress.org>
Date:	10/4/2008 5:29:15 AM
Subject:	Fwd: Book3.xls
Attachments:	Book3.xls

print for me and debby

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From: Mary Pat Bonner <mpbonner@bonnergrp.com>

Date: Fri, Oct 3, 2008 at 8:57 PM

Subject: Book3.xls

To: "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>,
"davidbrockdc@gmail.com" <davidbrockdc@gmail.com>

SORRY -- HERE IS THE ATTACHMENT

From:	"Carolyn Hart" <ch893@georgetown.edu>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date:	5/7/2015 7:54:51 AM
Subject:	Congressional Investigations Final Paper
Attachments:	Hart.FinalPaper.doc

Good afternoon Professor Podesta,

I've attached my final paper to this e-mail. I have also submitted it to the register online.

I really enjoyed the class, and it to be a really interesting subject area. The speakers were great. I hope that you and Judge Leon continue to teach the course for many more years.

Best,

Carolyn Hart

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/13/2015 7:26:08 AM

Subject: Re: I'm DC today

On Sunday, September 13, 2015, Mae Podesta <mpodesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I had to stay to look at apartments - can we have dinner tomorrow?

From:	"Cassandra Butts" <cbutts.obama08@gmail.com>
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	10/21/2008 1:47:12 AM
Subject:	draft confirmation priorities
Attachments:	confirmationprioritiesdraft.xls

John, to follow and attached is the draft spreadsheet we've put together to define the universe of priority Senate confirmations. We've designated the 23 cabinet-level positions as tier 1 priorities and 19 others as tier 2 priorities. We've shared the list with Phil to give him an understanding of the universe we are working from, but with the understanding that changes will be made as we evaluate the process moving forward. Best, Cassandra

Agency	Position Title	Senate Committee of Jurisdiction	Nominee	Date Nomination Rec'd
State	Secretary	Foreign Relations	1	
State	Deputy Secretary	Foreign Relations	2	
State	U/S - Political Affairs	Foreign Relations	2	
United Nations	Ambassador	Foreign Relations	1	
Justice	Attorney General	Judiciary	1	
Justice	Deputy AG	Judiciary	2	
Defense	Secretary	Armed Services	1	
Defense	Deputy Secretary	Armed Services	2	
Defense	U/S- Comptroller	Armed Services	2	
Defense	U/S - Intelligence	Armed Services	2	
CIA	Director	Intelligence	1	
CIA	Deputy Director	Intelligence	2	
DNI	Director	Intelligence	1	
DNI	Deputy Director	Intelligence	2	
DHS	Secretary	Homeland Security	1	
DHS	Deputy Secretary	Homeland Security	2	
Treasury	Secretary	Finance	1	
Treasury	Deputy Secretary	Finance	2	
Treasury	U/S - Dom Finance	Finance	2	
Treasury	U/S - Inter Finance	Finance	2	
Treasury	A/S - Fin Stability	Finance	2	
CEA	Chairman	Finance		

			1
USTR	Trade Rep	Finance	
			1
OMB	Director	Budget	
			1
OMB	Deputy Director	Budget	
	2		
OMB	Dep Dir for Manag	Budget	
	2		
Commerce	Secretary	Commerce	
			1
Transportation	Secretary	Commerce	
			1
HUD	Secretary	Banking	
			1
HUD	Deputy Secretary	Banking	
			2
Energy	Secretary	Energy and Natural Resources	
	1		
Interior	Secretary	Energy and Natural Resources	
		1	
EPA	Director	Environment and Public Works	
		1	
Labor	Secretary	HELP	
			1
Labor	Deputy Secretary	HELP	
			2
HHS	Secretary	HELP	
			1
HHS	Deputy Secretary	HELP	
			2
Education	Secretary	HELP	
			1
Education	Deputy Secretary	HELP	
			2
Small Business	Secretary	Small Business	
	1		
Veterans	Secretary	Veterans	
			1
Agriculture	Secretary	Agriculture	
			1

From: ["Philippe Reines" <pir@hrcoffice.com>](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)
To: ["Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 8/9/2015 11:00:31 AM
Subject: Re: Latest Website Factsheet

In my defense of my subjectivity, I was referring to Cheryl, Huma & Jake - whose stellar service I'd benefit from. Was written for her as much as us. Allows her to go up and out in a way she can't do when talking about her own actions. And in effect, label her own actions the same way.

On Aug 9, 2015, at 1:53 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here it is.

We'd have answer for the website FAQs that's a little more dry and to the point, which Heather and I can formulate, but here is what PIR came up with this past week.

"Well, you all know I've seen this before, and know that fair or not it comes with the terrain. I am so proud though of what was accomplished while I had the honor of representing the United States to the world as America's Secretary of State. And I am so proud of all the dedicated public servants who were part of that work - including the team that came in with me, and left with me. I was proud of them then, and I am proud of them now. They worked tirelessly, gave everything of themselves in support of our country's goals. We are all accountable to the American people for our work - but they simply don't deserve to be attacked this way. Despite that though, they have committed - as I have - to being as helpful as possible to those asking the questions. And if those people are truly open to listening to their answers and accepting the facts, they will see that we should all be proud of them."

On Sun, Aug 9, 2015 at 1:47 PM, Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

I had drafted something last week that I want pretend was objective, but I think works for her and those 'staff' refers to.

From: John Podesta
Sent: Sunday, August 9, 2015 1:46 PM
To: Cheryl Mills
Cc: Nick Merrill; Brian Fallon; Philippe Reines; Heather Samuelson; Christina Reynolds; Dan Schwerin; Jennifer Palmieri; Katherine Turner; Kendall, David; Huma Abedin
Subject: Re: Latest Website Factsheet

This is a campaign doc so if it's useful to do, I think we can use a "It's our understanding that....." formulation

On Aug 9, 2015 11:41 AM, "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

How can she answer for staff?

cdm

On Aug 9, 2015, at 1:37 PM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

this doesnt have the q and a about what her staff is doing related to requests for their emails.
she was asked last week and wasnt prepared with an answer
should we just add to this long list of q and a so at least its out there and maybe she wont have to do it verbally again?

On Sun, Aug 9, 2015 at 1:03 PM, Heather Samuelson <hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com> wrote:
Latest version is attached to match statement.

From: [Heather Samuelson](#)

Sent: Saturday, August 8, 2015 10:39 PM

To: [Kendall, David](#) , [Jennifer Palmieri](#) , [Cheryl Mills](#) , [Brian Fallon](#) , [Huma Abedin](#) , [Katherine Turner](#) , [John Podesta](#) , [Philippe Reines](#) , [Christina Reynolds](#)

Cc: [Nick Merrill](#)

Revised attached to incorporate both of DEK's comments. Also including edits from CDM.

From: [Kendall, David](#)

Sent: Saturday, August 8, 2015 10:24 PM

To: [Heather Samuelson](#) , [Jennifer Palmieri](#) , [Cheryl Mills](#) , [Brian Fallon](#) , [Huma Abedin](#) , [Katherine Turner](#) , [John Podesta](#) , [Philippe Reines](#) , [Christina Reynolds](#)

Cc: [Nick Merrill](#)

Two things:

1) As to the server turn over, I think we decided to say something like "the server that was used during her tenure as Secretary of State."

2) I would prefer not to use the "March 18, 2009" date, because we know there were other emails using the her [clintonemail.com](#) address prior to that date. Could we make this more vague, like "early in her term as SOS"? Or would this change provide a "gotcha" target--if so, not worth it, since this is the date of the earliest email in the PST of her emails, as I understand it.

From: Heather Samuelson [mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsGroup.com]

Sent: Saturday, August 08, 2015 09:48 PM

To: Kendall, David; Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>; Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>; Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>; Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>; Turner, Katherine; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>; Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>

Cc: Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>

Subject: Updated Website Factsheet

All -- Nick and I updated the factsheet/Q&A for the website. See attached.

I copy and pasted new/expanded questions below for ease. All else mirrors what's currently on the website (<https://www.hillaryclinton.com/p/briefing/factsheets/2015/07/13/email-facts/>) -- with some minor tweaks, such as we now have over 1250 emails deemed personal records and adding in more "As she said before..

Let me know your thoughts...

Thx

New/Expanded Q's

Clinton said she did not use her email to send or receive classified information, but the State Department and two Inspectors General said some of these emails do contain classified information. Was her statement inaccurate?

No information in Clinton's emails was marked classified at the time she sent or received them. Clinton only used her account for unclassified email.

When information is reviewed for public release, it is common for information [previously unclassified to be upgraded to classified](#) if the State Department or another agency believes its public release could cause potential harm to national security, law enforcement or diplomatic relations.

After reviewing a sampling of the 55,000 pages of emails, the Inspectors General have proffered that four emails, which did not contain any classified markings and/or dissemination controls, should have been classified at the time they were sent. The State Department has said it disagrees with this assessment.

Clinton hopes the State Department and other relevant agencies will sort out as quickly as possible which of the 55,000 pages of emails are appropriate to release to the public.

Is Department of Justice conducting a criminal inquiry into Clinton's email use?

No. As the Department of Justice and Inspectors General made clear, the IG's made a security referral. This was not criminal in nature as misreported by some in the press. The Department of Justice is now seeking assurances about the storage of materials related to Clinton's email account.

Is it true that her email server and a thumb drive were recently turned over the government. Why?

Again, when information is reviewed for public release, it is common for information previously unclassified to be upgraded to classified if the State Department or another agency believes its public release could cause potential harm to national security, law enforcement or diplomatic relations.

It is her hope that State and the other agencies involved in the review process will sort out as quickly as possible which emails are appropriate to release to the public, and that the release will be as timely and as transparent as possible.

In the meantime, her team has worked with the State Department to ensure her emails are stored in a safe and secure manner.

As a result, she directed her team to give her email server to the Department of Justice, as well as a thumb drive containing copies of her emails already provided to the State Department. We have pledged to cooperate with the government's security inquiry—if it decides it needs to see more, we will arrange for that to happen.

Would this issue not have arisen if she used a [state.gov](#) email address?

Even if Clinton's emails had been on a government email address and government device, these questions would be raised prior to public release.

While State Department's review of her 55,000 emails brought the issue to the Inspectors General's attentions, the emails that were classified prior to public release were on the unclassified .gov email system. They were not on the separate, closed system used by State Department for handling classified communications.

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From: "Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 1/16/2016 8:49:51 AM
Subject: Re: Coffee next week?

It's she. Will do

On Sat, Jan 16, 2016 at 10:49 AM John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Fine to do Let me know what he's up to

On Saturday, January 16, 2016, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

Should I blow it off? I sort of thought that I would be amongst the most helpful here. Just let me know.

The sooner Hillary gets that life is not fair, the better off she will be. I thought she understood this before this race, but apparently I was wrong.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>
Date: Sat, Jan 16, 2016 at 9:04 AM
Subject: Fwd: Coffee next week?
To: Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com>

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: January 16, 2016 at 9:03:05 AM EST
To: Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>
Subject: Re: Coffee next week?

Ugh

On Saturday, January 16, 2016, Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org> wrote:
Thoughts?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Newton-Small, Jay - Time U.S. <Jay.NewtonSmall@time.com>"
<Jay.NewtonSmall@time.com>
Date: January 14, 2016 at 11:43:43 AM EST
To: Neera Tanden <Ntanden@americanprogress.org>
Subject: Coffee next week?

Hey Neera!

We are contemplating a profile of John Podesta. I'd love to pick your brain. Any chance you're free for coffee next week?

Thanks!
JNS

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Democracy Corps & Every Voice" <dcorps@democraticorps.com>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 12/17/2015 8:33:04 AM

Subject: New Poll: In Era of Anger, Voters Demand Big Reform of Campaigns



In Era of Anger, Voters Demand Big Changes 🚨 Broad Support for Small Donor-Driven Reform of Campaigns

Voters are angry. They are angry at an economy that does not work for average people and a pay-to-play culture in Washington that ignores the voices of working families to lard more favors and breaks to wealthy campaign donors. And they demand systematic change.

In a nationally representative survey of 900 likely 2016 voters conducted by Democracy Corps, an impressive 72 percent support a new law that would provide qualified candidate with limited public matching funds for small contributions they raise from constituents. Nearly four in ten (39 percent) strongly support this proposal. When this and other reform measures to reduce the influence of money in politics are played out in real campaign simulations, Democrats who embrace this reform, including Hillary Clinton and down-ballot congressional candidates, find a significant electoral advantage even in the face of attack.^[1]

Voters Upset about Current Campaign System

Voters are frustrated with the way election campaigns are funded today. They are most disturbed by the fact that the big campaign donors today do not represent the electorate – they are mostly rich, white, older and male in a country that is increasingly younger, more diverse and where women are a majority – and have made their fortunes in finance and oil and coal (39 percent find this most upsetting).

They are also concerned that super PACs for many presidential candidates have raised more money than candidates have raised for their own campaigns (33 percent most upsetting), and that just 158 families have contributed nearly half of all of the money given to campaign thus far (33 percent most upsetting).^[2] The cluster of concerns about the role money is playing in the presidential election all score above 30 percent, underscoring an “all-of-the-above” viewpoint. In short, voters are concerned about all aspects of the problem of money in politics.^[3]



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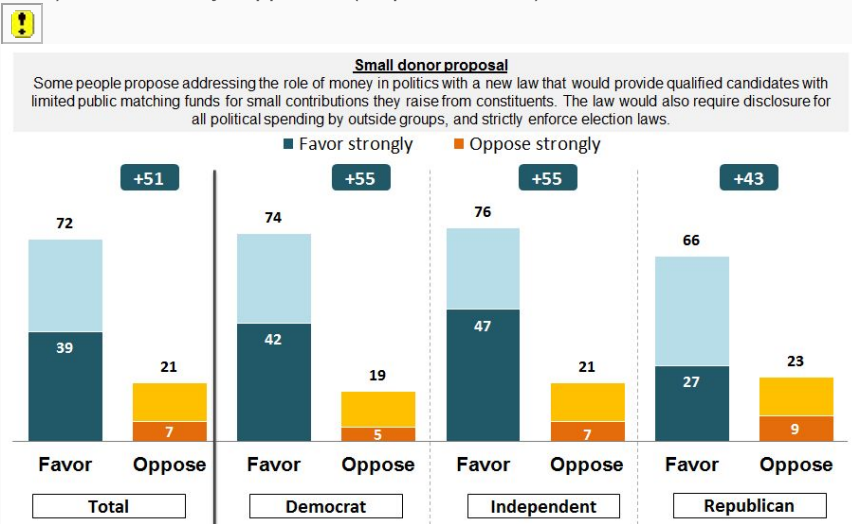
 [Democracy Corps](#)

Facts about how election campaigns are funded these days	Percent most upsetting facts
The big campaign donors are overwhelmingly white, rich, older and male, and have made their money in finance, oil and coal in a nation that is increasingly younger, more diverse, and where women are a majority.	39 percent
The Super PACs supporting Marco Rubio, Ted Cruz, Jeb Bush and Chris Christie have all raised much more money than they have raised for their own campaigns.	33 percent
Just 158 families contributed nearly half of all the money given to presidential campaigns so far.	33 percent
Candidates spend more than half their time raising money from the wealthiest Americans.	31 percent
Small donations from people like you and me make up a very small part of where candidates get money, which means candidates are talking to the wealthy more than ordinary Americans.	30 percent

Broad Support for Change

An impressive 72 percent of voters support big changes in our campaign finance system to include public financing of campaigns and a system of matching funds for small donations. Critically, this is not simply a reflection of progressive support, but reveals the will of a broad coalition of voters including Independents, Trump voters and Tea party supporters.

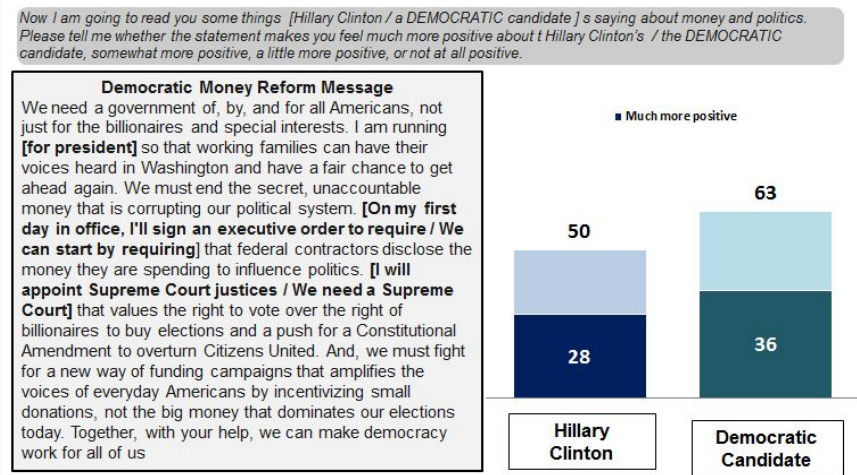
Support reaches 74 percent among Democrats (42 percent strongly favor), but some of the highest and most intense support is among Independent voters (76 percent favor, 47 percent strongly favor). Support also remains high among insurgent groups on the political Right including Trump voters (69 percent favor) and Tea Party supporters (66 percent favor).



Serious Electoral Impact

Money-in-politics reform carries significant electoral bite as well. In the face of a serious and largely unanswered attack, Democratic candidates who embrace this change improve their electoral position.

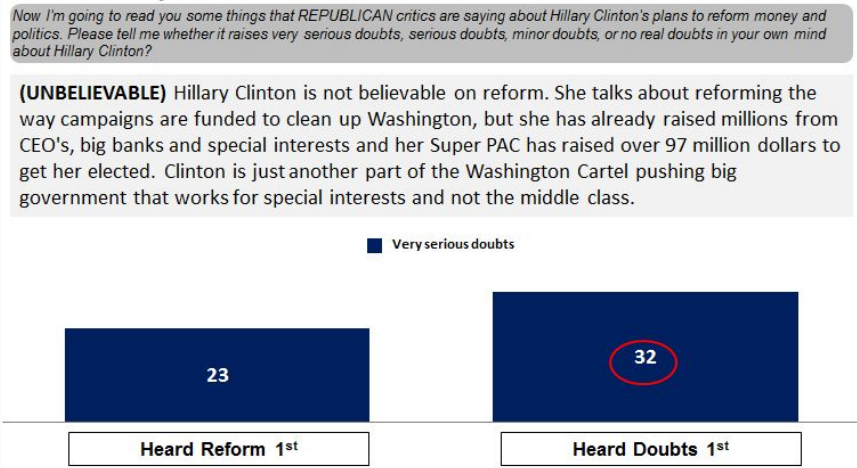
Nearly two-thirds of voters (63 percent) react positively to a message from a Democratic candidate embracing these reforms, including 61 percent of Independent voters and 81 percent of voters under age 30. While history complicates the issue to some extent for Secretary Clinton, half of voters also react favorably to her full-throated support for change.[\[4\]](#)



Voters also heard a series of attacks launched against both Secretary Clinton and Democratic candidates regarding the both candidate’s own fundraising, and the campaign reforms proposed.

One impressive finding is the resilience of down-ballot Democratic candidates when attacked as not credible in light of their own fundraising. Just 17 percent say they have very serious doubts about the Democratic candidate who “accept[ed] millions of dollars in campaign contributions from Wall Street and corporations,” the least concerning of the doubts raised against them. Incumbent Democrats should not be wary of running on reform because of their own fundraising.

Perhaps most important is how a strong Clinton offense on this issue mitigates against the inevitable Republican attacks on her campaign. Voters who hear Clinton’s embrace of reform first are far less likely to find credible attacks on her past fundraising. It is imperative that Secretary Clinton pre-empt these attacks by elevating her plans to reform elections and reduce the influence of money in politics.



Conclusion

Voters want change this cycle. They reasonably believe the system is rigged against them and that representative government of, by, and for all Americans no longer defines our democracy. As a result, they embrace systematic reforms to restore our system of government, including small donor-driven reforms, and support candidates who feel likewise.

[1] The survey among 900 likely 2016 voters was conducted from

December 5-9, 2015, using a list of 2012 voters, 2014 voters, and new registrants. Unless otherwise noted, the margin of error for the full sample is +/- 3.26 percent at 95 percent confidence.

[2] "Here are 120 million Monopoly pieces, roughly one for every household in the United States," *New York Times*, October 10, 2015; "Which Presidential Candidates Are Winning the Money Race," *New York Times*, October 16, 2015.

[3] Respondents were asked to choose their top two concerns for this question.

[4] It should be noted that we tested Clinton and not her major primary opponent Senator Bernie Sanders because Sanders has more aggressively embraced money-in-politics messaging.

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: [DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>](mailto:DMCOS@who.eop.gov)

Date: 3/20/2015 12:14:45 PM

Subject: Re: Follow up

I'm on the train. Maybe better to talk tomorrow.

On Mar 20, 2015 6:59 PM, "DMCOS" <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Our view is same as yours, per our last convo and my confirmation just now.

Should be, in my view, + you and + jake.

Should be on this end
+ susan and + jake.

Will call if you're available.

From: ["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com>](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 9/10/2015 5:16:22 PM
Subject: Draft email

Hi - I don't think the tone / wording is quite right here so please help! Welcome direct edits. Dad, I can be up early if you want to talk at 630 or 7?

Hi Emily,

I wanted to give you a quick update on my thought process about joining Optoro. As you know, Toby and I had drinks last night. It was really fun to begin to get to know him a bit better, and particularly hear more about his longer term vision for the company and how I'll be able to support this and grow within the organization. I am very excited about the role and I am confident that I'll be able to bring a tremendous amount of value and insight to the job.

As you know, I had been looking forward to talking to Toby more last night on some of my bigger picture questions about the role and working together before diving into specifics on the terms. He suggested that we can work together on my additional questions regarding the specifics of the offer.

As we discussed on the phone, the economics is still a very important consideration for me since for the next few years the salary, bonus potential and relatively thin benefits package represent a significant retrenchment off my current compensation and trajectory (~40-50%+ reduction in the near term, with net result of being more or less financially neutral assuming returns of 3-4x on 10K options). Thus, I feel the current offer is off balance considering my qualifications, unique experience and passion that I'd bring to Optoro and this role as well as industry norms.

I really believe in the future of the company and love the people so I am comfortable taking on more risk and near term trade offs, but I'd expect to participate more meaningfully in the potential upside. Thus, I propose the following adjustments to the offer.

a) Increase the options from 10,000 to 15,000 over the same vesting period.

b) Increase the signing bonus to 10-15K, payable back within 1 year of leave or termination.

On an easier note, since this process took a bit longer than expected, I'd need to push back the start date to October 5th, which I believe still aligns with new hire orientation next month (I need ~3 weeks to give notice / allow time to wrap up my project at McK and move).

Thanks again for all of your help and support throughout this process. I look forward to hearing back and please let me know if you'd like to discuss by phone.

best,
Mae

From: ["Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Jon Davidson" <Jon@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:Jon@presidentclinton.com)
["John Zimmerebner" <John@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:John@presidentclinton.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
clareywalker03@aol.com
Date: 1/17/2016 4:02:50 PM
Subject: Re: Podesta flying home with you from SC!

+ Clarey, WJC advance

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 17, 2016, at 10:55 PM, Sara Latham <slatham@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
>
> Thanks guys - John would love a ride home tomorrow with you.
>
> Connecting you here for instructions, where to be and when - if you do
> otr on way to airport etc!
>
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Eryn Sepp" <esepp@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:esepp@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 5/3/2015 2:42:59 PM
Subject: Re: JB Pritzker in Chicago?

JB is out of town. Moving on to Eychaner.

Eryn
818-456-2881

On May 3, 2015, at 7:29 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Fred Eychaner is the only other one.

On Sunday, May 3, 2015, Eryn Sepp <esepp@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Thank you! I'm told that's the only one they'll try for so as not to stack Weds AM, unless you think of people you would want to see.

Eryn
818-456-2881

On May 3, 2015, at 7:21 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Sure

On Sunday, May 3, 2015, Eryn Sepp <esepp@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Dennis and Mike are asking. Would be prior to roadshow from 12:30-2 pm local. Would offer 11 am - 12 pm if offsite nearby or 11:30-12:20 if he plans to come to the event.

Thoughts?

From: ["Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 7/1/2015 4:33:33 AM
Subject: RE: Seeing Denis tomorrow

Will flag a couple things for you.

-----Original Message-----

From: Jennifer Palmieri [mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com]
Sent: Wednesday, July 1, 2015 11:31 AM
To: John Podesta; Jake Sullivan; Huma Abedin
Subject: Seeing Denis tomorrow

I am stopping by to visit Denis tomorrow. Anything anyone know that I should be aware of or raise? Thanks

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Melody Barnes" <mbarnes@barackobama.com>](mailto:mbarnes@barackobama.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/1/2008 4:16:48 PM

Subject: Next Friday - mtg time/Chicago

John

Any sense of the timing for next Friday's (10/10) mtg? I have to go to Chicago (same event you're participating in) and they want travel parameters tomorrow. Will we probably go til noon or 2 or 3?

Thanks

Mel

From: "RESIDENT MANAGER" <huyscondo@gmail.com>

To: "Brett Goldstein" <bgoldstein@intlblind.com>

Date: 12/9/2015 10:28:52 AM

Subject: Re: Shades unit 12C

Tony/John please advise on access to fix.

Best,

Joseph

On Wed, Dec 9, 2015 at 5:25 PM, Brett Goldstein <bgoldstein@intlblind.com> wrote:

There was one middle shade of three in the bedroom that is stuck up at the top that needs to be adjusted to come down from the pocket and re [programmed.as](#) a courtesy we will not charge anything. I will put up a ticket for one of our carpenters to stop by and take care of it soon. I cant give you an exact day/time as we are booked up for the next week but we will try and squeeze it in asap. If we can just have the ok from the tenant so when our carpenter comes there will not be an issue. our men work mon-fri from 7-2:30.

Thank you for your consideration,

Brett M. Goldstein

[\(917\) 557-0576](tel:9175570576)



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274 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10016-0701
Phone: 212-473-2000 Fax: 212-353-3400

From: RESIDENT MANAGER [mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com]

Sent: Wednesday, December 09, 2015 4:01 PM

To: Tony Podesta

Cc: Brett Goldstein; Fran Shapiro; John Podesta

Subject: Re: Shades unit 12C

Hi Brett thank you again for stopping by. When you get a chance can you advise all copied above of findings.

Best and thanks,

Joseph

On Tue, Dec 8, 2015 at 2:27 PM, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Ok for us

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 8, 2015, at 1:57 PM, Brett Goldstein <bgoldstein@intlblind.com> wrote:

I can stop by tomorrow around 3pm, let me know if that is ok. Thanks

Brett

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: RESIDENT MANAGER

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 8:21 AM

To: Brett Goldstein; Fran Shapiro; Tony Podesta; John Podesta

Subject: Re: FW: Shades unit 12C

Good morning Brett hope all is well. I have gotten to OK from the owners to access the unit to check the shades. Please advise of site visit (Monday-Friday)

Best,

Joseph

On Thu, Dec 3, 2015 at 4:37 PM, RESIDENT MANAGER <huyscondo@gmail.com> wrote:

Thank you for your prompt response. I have copied the owner and broker as I/we will need authorization. Mae/Fran please advise. Copy all

Joseph

On Thu, Dec 3, 2015 at 4:31 PM, Brett Goldstein <bgoldstein@intlblind.com> wrote:

Hi Joseph,

Ricky asked that I help with your issues. I would like to come by and take a quick look to see what we will need to do and if any special parts are needed for when our carpenter comes. Please let me know the availability of the apartment for the next few business days.

Thank you for your consideration,

Brett M. Goldstein

[\(917\) 557-0576](tel:(917)557-0576)



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----- Original Message -----

Subject: Fwd: Shades unit 12C

From: RESIDENT MANAGER <huyscondo@gmail.com>

To: Ricky Janowitz <rjanowitz@intlblind.com>

CC: Mae Podesta <mpodesta@gmail.com>, Fran Shapiro <fran@mercedesberk.com>

Good morning Ricky hope all is well. Linda from Distinctive Windows gave me your contact information. Can we set up an appointment to look at the shades in unit 12C. I have copied owner/broker as well. I am the resident manager at Huys Condominium 404 Park Avenue South.

Best,

Joseph

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Linda Farahnik <Linda@distinctivewindows.com>

Date: Mon, Nov 23, 2015 at 9:17 AM

Subject: RE: Shades unit 12C

To: RESIDENT MANAGER <huyscondo@gmail.com>

Joseph,

Good morning.

As you probably know, we only manufactured the shades, we did not install nor program. While we could certainly make a service stop, there would be a minimum service charge of \$250 + tax for this kind of repair.

I suggest you contact International Blind who did both the installation and programming and who should still be providing this service. We of course are responsible for any additional window treatments we have and will be providing to residents.

Ricky Janowitz rjanowitz@intlblind.com

<image001.gif>

Best,

Linda Farahnik : Showroom Director
Distinctive Window Treatment Plus
"The Premier Source For All Window Treatments"
Custom Fabricator & Motorization Experts

Trade Showroom
499 Canal Street : #2
New York : NY : 10013

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Linda@distinctivewindows.com

www.distinctivewindows.com

10/18/2016

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Happy Thanksgiving!

In celebration, Distinctive Window Treatment Plus will be closed November 26th and 27th.

From: RESIDENT MANAGER [mailto:huyscondo@gmail.com]

Sent: Monday, November 23, 2015 7:58 AM

To: Linda Farahnik

Cc: Mae Podesta; Fran Shapiro

Subject: Shades unit 12C

Good morning Linda hope you are keeping well. In middle bedroom shade in unit 12C is not responding to the remote and has come detached from the roller mechanism. Please advise of schedule for a site visit. I have copied the broker and resident as well. Mae/Fran please advise of PTE.

From:	postmaster@HHLAW.com
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	6/14/2007 7:03:51 AM
Subject:	Delivery Status Notification (Failure)
Attachments:	Attach 1 Reception for Congressman Joe Sestak, PA-7.eml

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 6/14/2007 7:03:23 AM

Subject: Reception for Congressman Joe Sestak, PA-7

Attachments: June18 DC Invite.doc

I hope you can help out Joe. They are planning a great event on Monday, June 18th, from 5-7pm at the home of Melissa Maxman (2838 27th St. NW, Washington, 20008). Invite is attached.

John

From: ["No More Shutdowns \ \(House Majority PAC\)" <democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com>](#)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](#)

Date: 9/15/2014 1:08:10 PM

Subject: PETITION: No More Shutdowns

[CLICK HERE TO TELL THE GOP NOT TO USE SHUTDOWNS AS A BARGAINING CHIP>>>](#)

John:

When the GOP shut down the government last year, it was a disaster.

For two weeks, our economy was decimated by the GOP's insistence on political brinkmanship. There are just 15 days before the next shutdown. We can't afford to let the government shut down once more because the GOP wants to play partisan games.

[Can you click here to add your name and demand the GOP take another shutdown off of the table?](#)

Ted Cruz and the rest of the Tea Party have refused to take a shutdown off of the table.

Add your name: <http://action.thehousemajoritypac.com/shutdown-shutdowns>

Thanks for all you do,

No More Shutdowns

*No More Shutdowns is a project of House Majority PAC, the only PAC dedicated to electing a Democratic majority and getting President Obama's back. **[Click here to chip in and help fund our efforts >>>](#)**

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From: ["Knox College Alumni Relations" <alumni@knox.edu>](mailto:alumni@knox.edu)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/1/2014 9:03:48 AM

Subject: [Knox College] Emeritus Professor Gary Francois

Gary Francois passed away on July 30, 2014

[View this email in a web page](#)



I am saddened to share the news that the Knox family has lost one of its members, Emeritus Professor **Gary Francois**, long time professor of psychology. After moving to a hospice facility, Gary's health unexpectedly and quickly declined and he passed away on July 30, 2014.

Professor Francois taught at Knox from 1963 until his retirement in 2002, and held positions as the faculty representative on athletics, assistant to the president of the College, vice president for development, and served as ambassador for Knox in Galesburg. At the time of his retirement he held the Szold Distinguished Professorship in Psychology.

Professor Francois taught virtually every course in the psychology curriculum, many of which he developed. His high standards and rigorous expectations won him the respect of students and colleagues.

A celebration of life visitation will be from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m..

Monday, August 4, 2014, at [Hinchliff-Pearson-West Galesburg](#)

[Chapel](#). A memorial service will follow at 7:00 p.m. [Memorials may be made to the Knox College Library](#).

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To: ["Huma Abedin" <Huma@clintonemail.com>](mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com)

Date: 12/6/2014 2:45:46 PM

Subject: Re: Call

Great. Thanks!!

> On Dec 6, 2014, at 9:27 PM, Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com> wrote:

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> From: robbymook@gmail.com [mailto:robbymook@gmail.com]

> Sent: Saturday, December 06, 2014 08:14 PM Eastern Standard Time

> To: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

> Cc: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Huma Abedin

> Subject: Re: Call

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> Did we lock in a particular time for this? Just want to make sure I get on!

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>> On Dec 6, 2014, at 6:16 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> Yes

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>>> On Dec 6, 2014, at 5:13 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>> I can do anytime In that block with a slight preference for 10:30-12:00.

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>>> JP

>>> --Sent from my iPad--

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>>>> On Dec 5, 2014, at 9:04 PM, Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com> wrote:

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>>>> Can you all do Sunday between 9am to 12pm?

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"Robby \ (HRC\) Mook \ (re47@hillaryclinton.com\)" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 12/12/2015 11:13:27 AM

Subject: FYI

Can't take Hispanics for granted,,,,,,,,,need to pay attention here,for w/o Hispanics no Presidency.

New survey casts doubt on Latino loyalty to the Democratic Party - The survey, conducted by two political polling firms in July and August and released in cooperation with Univision, suggests that Latino voters might be more willing to shift allegiances than previously thought. [Vox](#)

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A Univision poll showed 55% of Hispanics as persuadable voters, an idea based on partisanship levels

From: "Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Lona Valmoro" <lvalmoro@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 7/10/2015 2:29:56 AM

Subject: Re: IAM

I'll talk to IAM.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 10, 2015, at 8:59 AM, Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

As a next step, can we find out what the full schedule is for August 12th and 13th and the location in NYC? That will help us to determine what might be possible during that time frame.

On Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 8:51 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

This one in my view is really important and may be worth torquing the schedule for. In addition to whatever they will actually do, getting a big, industrial, trade sensitive union out for us is good for us beyond labor effects.

On Friday, July 10, 2015, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi Everyone

I wanted to follow up for advice on a point coming out of last night's labor dinner. The IAM is hosting their board in NYC from August 12-14th, Buffenbarger will be calling for the endorsement vote during this time. Tom requested that the Secretary stop by Sec. Roach's retirement dinner August 14th to accept the endorsement from the board. I understand that the Secretary is scheduled to be in Iowa. I'd like to get back with IAM on a alternative plan that works for both of us. The tricky part is that Buffenbarger is having his entire board fly in for the August 12-14th dates.

Suggestions...

1. Would the Secretary's schedule permit her to be in NYC either August 12th or 13th? Could she stop by?
2. If she can not make those dates, perhaps she could call into the board meeting and thank them? I think we should try and find out a alternative date in the future that would work for a in person stop by and touch with Tom's board as well. I could find out from IAM what those alternative dates might be, not sure that they exist yet.

Other ideas? I'm hoping to follow up with IAM today if possible. Thank you!

--

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Date: 5/28/2010 7:20:32 AM
Subject: ACTION ALERT - Repeal of Don't Ask Don't Tell Near!



Dear VoteVets.org Supporter,

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Every single call matters, so please, take a moment to call the Congressional switchboard above, to speak with your Senators' offices.

Let's get this done.

Sincerely,
Peter Granato
Iraq War Veteran
Vice Chairman, VoteVets.org

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 1/9/2016 3:21:36 PM

Subject: gridiron

John just checking you got this ?

From: Albert Hunt (BLOOMBERG/ NEWSROOM:) At: Jan 7 2016 12:27:56

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Subject: gridiron

John hope this old personal email still works. Love for you to be my guest at annual Gridiron dinner, March 5. You known the drill - white tie, Renaissance Hotel, 6 pm cocktails, 7 pm dinner, guarantee finish before 10 30 etc -- lots of press and political people to mingle. Hope you can make it and that you're holding up well. Happy New Year.

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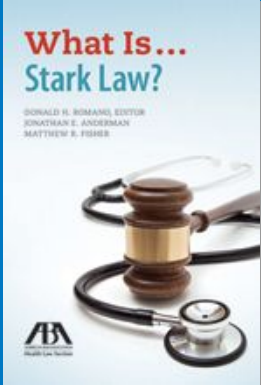
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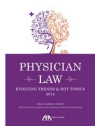
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Date: 7/28/2015 4:00:24 AM

Subject: [Knox College] A Special Update from President Amott

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Office of Advancement



July 28, 2015

Dear President's Circle Members,

It is my pleasure to share with you some good news this morning. We just closed the books on the 2014-15 fiscal year, and I'm proud to report that donors gave more than \$18 million to Knox this year.

This year's fundraising success follows on the heels of two record-setting years. You may remember that we set a fundraising record two years ago in 2013, when we raised \$17.7 million in a single year. And last year, a \$5-million gift from Dick '57 and Joan Whitcomb '56 to support a new art building set a record as the largest gift from living donors in College history. The Whitcomb's gift significantly contributed to \$19.5 million in total giving for fiscal year 2014, the most Knox ever raised in a single year.

This year's total of \$18,794,112 in cash came from 7,743 alumni, parents, friends, and private organizations, and the donations support Knox faculty and students, the College's educational program, annual operations, and capital improvements. To give you a sense of how the \$18.8 million is being used by the College, here's a quick breakdown of the total:

- \$3.6 million in recurring gifts to the Knox Fund;
- \$2 million for enhancements to the physical campus, including completion of the renovation of Alumni Hall, upgrades to Turner Track at Trevor Field and the Meridan Tennis Courts, and gifts toward the new Whitcomb Art Building;
- \$3.2 million in endowment to support faculty compensation and student experiences; and
- \$10 million in realized estate gifts in support of faculty, scholarships, and College operations.

This year marked the return of Alumni Hall as a functioning hub of the campus after being shuttered for nearly 40 years, and design work continues on the new Whitcomb Art Building with plans to begin construction later this year. Design work is also progressing on creating a contemporary, environmentally-sustaining, educational and residential facility at the College's Green Oaks Biological Field Station.

Each of these efforts is part of the ongoing Above & Beyond: Initiatives for Knox. Since 2011, the Above & Beyond initiatives have raised \$12.6 million for Alumni Hall and \$38.6 million in support of faculty, students, and other campus facilities, for a total of more than \$50 million.

Please join me in congratulating Advancement's dedicated staff for yet another extraordinary fundraising year. And, on behalf of all members of the Knox community, I'd like to thank you for

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your continued generosity. President's Circle donors represent 13 percent of all donors to Knox, but provide 90 percent of all dollars raised. Your leadership and support allows the College to provide a 21st-century education for 1,400 talented and promising students.

And this isn't the only good news coming from Knox. As of today, we are set to welcome 435 new students to campus this fall -- the second largest entering class in more than 40 years -- and 30 students more than where we stood last year at this same time. I am pleased to share that nearly one-third of the entering class is recruited student-athletes, a share comparable to other highly selective liberal arts colleges. We received a record number of applications for the class and admitted 63 percent of them -- the second lowest admit rate in the College's history. This success was made possible by the hard work of many offices and individuals across campus, including Admission, Athletics, and Communications, whose renewed efforts to communicate with, recruit, and welcome prospective students to Knox are seeing tangible results.

As you can imagine, the College is busily working to welcome our new students to Knox this fall. Facilities workers are hard at work preparing the campus for new and returning students, painting dorm rooms, renovating learning spaces, and making other necessary upgrades to campus facilities. Two weekends ago, Laura Behling, dean of the College, and a group of faculty traveled to Chicago to meet with 30 incoming students and their families as they prepare to enter Knox this fall, and Knox faculty and staff are in the final stages of planning a new summer bridge program that is designed to help students with the transition to college life.

We simply could not do this work without you. Your support makes all of this, and more, possible. On behalf of our students, faculty and staff, I thank you, again, for all that you do for Knox.

Sincerely,



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ok, so in addition to offering free room and board, we'll even give you a lift to/from the airport!
btw, I'm impressed by how the campaign is spending money! (we do that at medline, jimmy stays at a red roof inn.. and if he wants to upgrade, he pays for it personally!)



Hillary Clinton campaign chairman John Podesta rushes through Manhattan last week for a bus home to Washington. (Melina Mara/The Washington Post)

From: [Tikkun <magazine@tikkun.org>](mailto:Tikkun<magazine@tikkun.org>)

To: Podesta@Law.Georgetown.Edu

Date: 8/16/2014 5:47:35 PM

Subject: Please Rally in Tel Aviv draws thousands plus Eyeless in Gaza by Uri Avnery, chair of the Israeli peace movement: Gush Shalom

Tikkun { tē-kūn } to heal, repair, and transform the world

Editor's Note: For those who think all Israelis are rallying around the war efforts of the Netanyahu government, the big peace rally Saturday night in Tel Aviv comes as an important corrective! See the stories below. And please read Uri Avnery's article below that substantiates the point I'm about to make in the next paragraph. Avnery's Gush Shalom peace movement helped create the intellectual foundation for this demonstration--which is what we in the Network of Spiritual Progressives also focus on: consciousness transformation, because that is the necessary prerequisite for building a transformed political reality. So, to get to my latest reflections on the Gaza war:

One of the most bizarre responses I've gotten to some of what I've written on Gaza is the whine "What can we do? They are shelling us?" This rarely comes with an acknowledgment that the shells almost never get through (for which I'm quite thankful, because I want my people to be safe). Of course, the obvious answer that seems beyond the capacity of these respondents to imagine is: What Israel can do is apologize for its part in creating the Palestinian refugee problem and for all the damage that has happened since then (not 100% responsible, but apologize for its part instead of pretend to be the righteous victim), end the occupation of the West Bank and the blockade of Gaza (my book *Embracing Israel/Palestine* lays out how that could be done in a way that would be both respectful to Palestinians and safe for Israelis www.tikkun.org/eip) and assist in creating an economically and politically viable Palestinian state, and do so in a spirit of repentance, and genuine open-heartedness. That's what Israel could do. It reminds me of the days when US liberals would say to us in the anti-war movement against the war in Vietnam, "You are right that this is a mess, but how can we get out now?" Our answer was simple: with boats and airplanes. At the time that was dismissed as simplistic, but after another thirty thousand Americans were killed, the ruling elites of the country figured out just what we had figured out years before--that it was as easy as getting into planes and boats and leaving. Of course, Israel is not the same situation--they live next door to the Palestinian people. But they could try

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generosity and caring for the other (no, when Israel left Gaza before, it wasn't with a spirit of generosity, but as a trick, refusing to give control to the Palestinian Authority, saying there was no one to talk to, and knowing that that would be giving Gaza to Hamas, which is what the rightwing strategists wanted in order to precipitate a civil war among the Palestinians). This time they could try an honest strategy of generosity. Unlikely that they will until lots of more innocent people, both Israelis and Palestinians lose their lives or their limbs. And this continues to break my heart. -Rabbi Michael Lerner

Eyeless in Gaza

by Uri Avnery

THE TROUBLE with war is that it has two sides.

Everything would be so much easier if war had only one side. Ours, of course.

There you are, drawing up a wonderful plan for the next war, preparing it, training for it, until everything is perfect.

And then the war starts, and to your utmost surprise it appears that there is another side, too, which also has a wonderful plan, and has prepared it and trained for it.

When the two plans meet, everything goes wrong. Both plans break down. You don't know what's going to happen. How to go on. You do things you have not planned for. And when you have had enough of it and want to get out, you don't know how. It's so much more difficult to end a war than to start a war, especially when both sides need to declare victory.

That's where we are now.

HOW DID it all start? Depends where you want to begin.

Like everywhere else, every event in Gaza is a reaction to another event. You do something because the other side did something. Which they did because you did something. One can unravel this until the beginning of history. Or at least until Samson the Hero.

Samson, it will be remembered, was captured by the Philistines, blinded and brought to Gaza. There he committed suicide by bringing the temple down on himself and all the leaders and people, crying out: "Let my soul die with the Philistines!" (Judges 16:30)

If that's too remote, let's start with the beginning of the present occupation, 1967.

(There was a forgotten occupation before that. When Israel conquered the Gaza Strip and all of Sinai in the course of the 1956 Suez war, David Ben-Gurion declared the founding of the "Third Israeli Kingdom", only to announce in a broken voice, a few days later, that he had promised President Dwight Eisenhower to withdraw from the entire Sinai Peninsula. Some Israeli parties urged him to keep at least the Gaza Strip, but he refused. He did not want to have hundreds of thousands more Arabs in Israel.)

A friend of mine reminded me of an article I had written less than two years after the Six Day War, during which we occupied Gaza again. I had just found out that two Arab road-construction workers, one from the West Bank and one from the Gaza Strip, doing exactly the same job, were paid different wages. The Gaza man was paid much less.

Being a member of the Knesset, I made inquiries. A high-level official explained to me that this was a matter of policy. The purpose was to cause the Arabs to leave Gaza and settle in the West Bank (or elsewhere), in order to disperse the 400 thousand Arabs then living in the Strip, mostly refugees from Israel. Obviously this did not go so very well - now there are about 1.80 million there.

Then, in February 1969, I warned: "(If we go on) we shall be faced with a terrible choice - to suffer from a wave of terrorism that will cover the entire country, or to engage in acts of revenge and oppression so brutal that they will corrupt our souls and cause the whole world to condemn us."

I mention this not (only) to blow my own horn, but to show that any reasonable person could have foreseen what was going to happen.

IT TOOK a long time for Gaza to reach this point.

I remember an evening in Gaza in the mid-90s. I had been invited to a Palestinian conference (about prisoners), which lasted several days, and my hosts invited me to stay with Rachel in a hotel on the sea-shore. Gaza was then a nice place. In the late evening we took a stroll along the central boulevard. We had pleasant chats with people who recognized us as Israelis. We were happy.

I also remember the day when the Israeli army withdrew from most of the Strip. Near Gaza city there stood a huge Israeli watchtower, many floors high, "so that the Israeli soldiers could look into every window in Gaza". When the soldiers left, I climbed to the top, passing hundreds of happy boys who were going up and down like the angels on the ladder in Jacob's dream in the Bible. Again we were happy. They are probably Hamas members now.

That was the time when Yasser Arafat, son of a Gaza Strip family, returned to Palestine and set up his HQ in Gaza. A beautiful new airport was built. Plans for a large new sea-port were circulating.

(A big Dutch harbor-building corporation approached me discreetly and asked me to use my friendly relations with Arafat to obtain the job for them. They hinted at a very large gratuity. I politely refused. During all the years I knew Arafat, I never asked him for a favor. I think that this was the basis of our rather strange friendship.)

If the port had been built, Gaza would have become a flourishing commercial hub. The standard of living would have risen steeply, the inclination of the people to vote for a radical Islamic party would have declined.

WHY DID this not happen? Israel refused to allow the port to be built. Contrary to a specific undertaking in the 1993 Oslo agreement, Israel cut off all passages between the Strip and the West Bank. The aim was to prevent any possibility of a viable Palestinian state being set up.

True, Prime Minister Ariel Sharon evacuated the more than a dozen settlements along the Gaza shore. Today, one of our rightist slogans is "We evacuated the entire Gaza Strip and what did we get in return? Qassam rockets!" Ergo: we can't give up the West Bank.

But Sharon did not turn the Strip over to the Palestinian Authority. Israelis are obsessed with the idea of doing things "unilaterally". The army withdrew, the Strip was left in chaos, without a government, without any agreement between the two sides.

Gaza sank into misery. In the 2006 Palestinian elections, under the supervision of ex-President Jimmy Carter, the people of Gaza – like the people of the West Bank – gave a relative majority to the Hamas party. When Hamas was denied power, it took the Gaza Strip by force, with the population applauding.

The Israeli government reacted by imposing a blockade. Only limited quantities of goods approved by the occupation authorities were let in. An American senator raised hell when he found out that pasta was considered a security risk and not allowed in. Practically nothing was let out, which is incomprehensible from the "security" point of view of weapons "smuggling" but clear from the point of view of "strangling". Unemployment reached almost 60%.

The Strip is roughly 40 km long and 10 km wide. In the north and the east it borders Israel, in the west it borders the sea, which is controlled by the Israeli navy. In the south it borders Egypt, which is now ruled by a brutal anti-Islamic dictatorship, allied with Israel. As the slogan goes, it is "the world's largest open-air prison".

BOTH SIDES now proclaim that their aim is to put an end to this situation. But they mean two very different things.

The Israeli side wants the blockade to remain in force, though in a more liberal form. Pasta and much more will be let into the Strip, but under strict supervision. No airport. No sea-port. Hamas must be prevented from re-arming.

The Palestinian side wants the blockade to be removed once and for all, even officially. They want their port and airport. They don't mind supervision, either international or by the Palestinian Unity Government under Mahmoud Abbas.

How to square this circle, especially when the "mediator" is the Egyptian dictator, who acts practically as an agent of Israel? It is a mark of the situation that the US has disappeared as a mediator. After the futile John Kerry peace mediation efforts it is now generally despised throughout the Middle East.

Israel cannot "destroy" Hamas, as our semi-fascist politicians (in the government, too) loudly demand. Nor do they really want to. If Hamas is "destroyed", Gaza would have to be turned over to the Palestinian Authority (viz. Fatah). That would mean the re-unification of the West Bank and Gaza, after all the long-lasting and successful Israeli efforts to divide them. No good.

If Hamas remains, Israel cannot allow the "terror-organization" to prosper. Relaxation of the blockade will only be limited, if that. The population will embrace Hamas even more, dreaming of revenge for the terrible devastation caused by Israel during this war. The next war will be just around the corner – as almost all Israelis believe anyhow.

In the end, we shall be where we were before.

THERE CAN be no real solution for Gaza without a real solution for Palestine.

The blockade must end, with serious security concerns of both sides properly addressed.

The Gaza Strip and the West Bank (with East Jerusalem) must be reunited.

The four "safe passages" between the two territories, promised in the Oslo agreement, must at last be opened.

There must be Palestinian elections, long overdue, for the presidency and the parliament, with a new government accepted by all Palestinian factions and recognized by the world community, including Israel and the USA.

Serious peace negotiations, based on the two-state solution, must start and be concluded within a reasonable time.

Hamas must formally undertake to accept the peace agreement reached by these negotiations. Israel's legitimate security concerns must be addressed.

The Gaza port must be opened and enable the Strip and the entire State of Palestine to import and export goods.

There is no sense in trying to "solve" one of these problems separately. They must be solved together. They can be solved together.

Unless we want to go around and around, from one "round" to the next, without hope and redemption.

"We" – Israelis and Palestinians, locked for ever in an embrace of war.

Or do what Samson did: commit suicide.

10,000 protest in Tel Aviv for a just peace, end to occupation

Under a coalition of Israeli left-wing political parties and organizations, thousands gathered in Tel Aviv's Rabin Square in the largest anti-war demonstration since the outbreak of violence in Gaza. =====

Some 10,000 Israelis flooded Tel Aviv's Rabin Square under the slogan "Changing direction: toward peace, away from war" in the largest anti-Gaza war demonstration in Israel since the outbreak of hostilities more than one month ago.



Activestills.org

Thousands gather at a pro-peace rally in Tel Aviv, calling for a just peace and an end to violence in Gaza, Tel Aviv, August 16, 2014. (photo: Activestills)

The protest was scheduled to take place last week, but was postponed after the police and Home Front Command revoked its permit, ostensibly to stop large gatherings during a time when missiles were being fired at Tel Aviv and other Israeli cities. Roughly 500 non-aligned activists flooded Tel Aviv's Rabin Square anyway, in defiance of the ban.

At tonight's demonstration the major left-wing parties, including Meretz and Hadash, as well as Peace Now and other left-wing organizations, joined tonight's demonstration, calling for a wide range of demands, from continuing negotiations between Israel and Hamas to an end to the occupation and Israel's blockade of Gaza. Many who have demonstrated throughout the past weeks of hostilities expressed disappointment at Meretz and Peace Now for their refusal to support anti-war demonstrations until now.

Meretz MK Zehava Gal'on addressed the protest, affirming that her party was against the Israeli military operation in Gaza all along. She lashed out at Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu for not immediately recognizing the Palestinian unity deal and instead choosing war.

To large applause, Hadash MK Mohammad Barakeh stated in Hebrew and Arabic, "We are building a partnership against the occupation, for a free Palestine." He continued, "We are here for a two-state solution, for life and a future for people in Gaza and the South."

Famed Israeli author David Grossman addressed the large crowd, saying, "We won't be able to breathe deeply in Israel as long as people in Gaza feel choked," adding, "We will always be neighbors with people in Gaza. We must live together."

Pro-peace rally held in Tel Aviv amid Gaza truce talks

Right-wing activists plan counter-demonstration; police forces deployed in city.

By Ilan Lior | Aug. 16, 2014 | 9:46 PM



Thousands gather at a pro-peace rally in Tel Aviv, on day 40 of Operation Protective Edge, Aug. 16, 2014. Photo by Moti Milrod

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Israel author David Grossman speaks to a crowd of 10,000 anti-war protesters in Tel Aviv, August 16, 2014 (photo: Activestills)

Naomi Tzion, a resident of Sderot, called on the crowd to think of those in Gaza who have now been made refugees twice or thrice, adding, "The true spitting in the face of the residents of Sderot? The attempts to paint us all as a single stereotyped collective." Gaza is "the biggest jail in the world," she continued.

Along with anti-war sentiment, protesters expressed their anger at the Israeli government for its lack of leadership, chanting "Bibi, go home!"

According to the protest organizers, the demonstration was organized to send the following message to Israel's political leaders:

"The next round of fighting can be prevented. No to the way of wars – we must have a political solution! After an agonizing month of war and death, in the face of mounting waves of incitement and hatred, which increasingly tear up the Israeli society, we stand up to demonstrate for peace and for democracy."

The rally at Rabin Square came two days after another demonstration was held to express solidarity with the residents of communities along the Gaza border.

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Thousands of demonstrators gathered Saturday evening for a pro-peace rally in Tel Aviv under the slogan, "Changing direction: toward peace, away from war."

The rally at Rabin Square comes two days after another demonstration expressing solidarity with residents of communities along the Gaza border.

Right-wing activists planned a counter-demonstration, which will be held nearby at the same time. The Israel Police is planning to keep the two camps apart.



At the main rally, which began at 8 P.M., speeches were slated to be made by author [David Grossman](#), journalist Zuheir Bahloul, Meretz chairwoman Zahava Gal-On, Hadash chairman Mohammed Barakeh, a resident of Sderot, a representative of bereaved families and other left-wing activists.

The rally will also host performances by Achinoam Nini, [Mira Awad](#), [Yair Dalal](#) and Adam Gorlitsky.

The rally was originally due to take place last week, but was postponed at the request of the police and the Home Front Command, which prohibited gatherings of more than 1,000 people at the time in the Tel Aviv area.

The event's Facebook page states that, "following a painful month of war and death, in view of waves of incitement and hatred that are tearing apart Israeli society, we call for a demonstration for peace and democracy. The next round (of violence) can be avoided. We don't have to sink into an abyss of ever-crueler wars, of extreme hatred and a destruction of our neighbors and ourselves.

"Only an agreement will ensure long-term security and quiet for residents of the south and of the entire country. There is another way – immediate dialogue with Palestinians to ensure a fair peace, the opening of Gaza and a determined stand of Arabs and Jews against racism and for life. Only a two-state political solution will guarantee independence, justice, security and hope for all people living in this land."

Speaking at the demonstration, Meretz chairperson Zahava Gal-On lashed out at Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, saying, he has failed miserably, not as a result of this operation, but of refusing for five years to take the diplomatic path to peace.

Gal-On accused the prime minister of a "diplomatic freeze: refusing to adopt the Arab Peace Initiative; the so-called blowup of the talks with (Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas) Abu Mazen after 9 months, the breakdown of U.S.-Israel relations, the refusal to recognize the Palestinian unity government, and the widely authorized building in the settlements, which destroyed any chances of a peace agreement with the Palestinians."

She continued, "You could have achieved the framework you're willing to accept now without paying the price of 64 dead soldiers and civilians, the death of 2,000 Palestinians, and the horrible destruction in Gaza, including almost half a million people uprooted from their homes."

During his speech, author David Grossman, said "Neither side in this war has a victory picture. There are only indescribable images of death and destruction. Every image depicts defeat for both peoples.

"There is no military solution for the conflict between Israel and Hamas. There is no military solution that will end the suffering of Israelis in the south and the inhumane suffering of people in Gaza. People in Israel won't be able to breathe freely either, until the stranglehold on Gaza is lifted."

Many streets in the area were closed during the rally.

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Gal-On calls for Netanyahu's resignation at Rabin Square rally

On Saturday night at Rabin Square, in a rally for a political solution to the Palestinian conflict, many carried signs proclaiming "Whoever doesn't want peace is making excuses" and "Yes to democracy, no to incitement." Meretz Chairwoman Zahava Gal-On called for Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to tender his resignation at the rally. "Bibi, you failed. You need to leave the keys and go home. You failed this badly because of five years of refusing diplomacy, of refusing to adopt the Arab Peace Initiative."

Gilad Morag
Published: 08.16.14, 21:18 / [Israel News](#)



Meretz Chairwoman Zahava Gal-On at Rabin Square rally (Photo: Motti Kimchi)

Gal-On harshly criticized the prime minister. "You failed because of your refusal to recognize the Palestinian unity government, the destruction of our relations with the United States and the obsessive building in the territories."

The demonstration was organized by two left-wing parties, Meretz and Hadash (the Democratic Front for Peace and Equality), as well as Peace Now and the forum for bereaved families.



Leftwing protest in Tel Aviv's Rabin Square (Photo: Motti Kimchi)

Gal-on also said: "We had enough of the silencing and the incitement. Two days ago we came out here to support Gaza-border residents. The agreement which you are now ready for could have been reached without paying the ultimate price of 64 fallen soldiers and 2,000 Palestinians."

Gal-On further criticized Netanyahu's inaction during Operation Protective Edge. "What did you do Mr. Prime Minister? You dragged us into a war of choice in Gaza. You threw Hamas a lifeline and provided them achievements for no reason. You proved to the extremists that you only understand force."

Hadash MK Mohammad Barakeh, and noted Israeli author David Grossman also spoke at the demonstration.

Yona, a protester from Kfar Saba, said she came to "protest because, unfortunately, the Left has been silent too long and all you hear is the Right. That's why we came to show we exist. The solution we should have adopted long ago is to return the territories for peace; it will be much harder to achieve today."

Tali, another demonstrator, said that "we better protest while we still can, because I have a feeling they don't want us to talk."

The protest is being held under the banner of "Taking a turn towards peace."

Meretz MK Nitzan Horowitz, one of the rally's organizers, said: "It is our right and our obligation to call for a political solution which is the only solution that will assure peace and security. No one will silence us or scare us."

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Subject:	What kind of sandwich do you have

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"Friedman, Eric J \ (NYC\)" <ejfmbx2@skadden.com>

To:

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1/19/2016 3:30:45 PM

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To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 3/11/2015 2:32:50 PM

Subject: FW: Assistance Request

I'm just checking in to see if it would be possible to get just a few minutes on your calendar relative to the research project referenced below. I'm sure you are extremely busy but thought I'd see if you have any time at all while I'm in D.C. March 18th? If not, perhaps we can set a time to talk via phone? Thanks in advance for your consideration!

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From: Carol Russell <carolr@russellherder.com>

Date: Monday, March 9, 2015 at 3:33 PM

To: "podesta@law.georgetown.edu" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Subject: Assistance Request

As you are well aware, seafood is becoming an increasingly talked-about topic of conversation not only among environmental advocacy groups, but also at the governmental level. I am a Minnesota-based researcher working on a project funded by the National Center for Food Protection and Defense. Our purpose is to learn not only how consumers make their purchasing decisions, but also how industry is viewing such subjects as seafood sustainability, local sourcing and labeling. The results will be utilized nationally to help guide fraud-avoidance best practices for the grocery, restaurant, processor and other industries working with fish and seafood.

I read with great interest the recommendations of the Presidential Task Force on combating illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing and seafood fraud that you were involved in preparing. Given your experience with the Task Force, I would consider it a great privilege to gain your observations on mislabeling and what can and should be done. I realize that the Task Force's findings are currently under review. My hope and intent is to simply gain your perspectives on them.

I will be in Washington, D.C. on March 18th. Would you be willing to spend even a brief amount of time with me on the above? If that date does not work, we could do by phone at your convenience.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. This is an important project and your thoughts would be most welcomed.

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From:	"Harwood, John \ (NBCUniversal)" <John.Harwood@nbcuni.com>
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Subject:	Congratulations

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["wendy Abrams" <wabrams1@gmail.com>](mailto:wabrams1@gmail.com)

Date: 12/9/2014 10:05:57 PM

Subject: Re: President

Hi

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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> On Dec 9, 2014, at 1:36 PM, wendy Abrams <wabrams1@gmail.com> wrote:

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> I had my college friends all staying at my house which one described as a "big chill weekend, without the suicide".. (we renamed it Big Thrill weekend)

> the party was a wonderful night filled with lots of love in the room. my kids stole the show with heartfelt and inspiring toasts. all good, but we missed you.

> xo

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>> On Dec 9, 2014, at 3:10 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> And you are a wise woman. Sorry to miss the party. Fun?

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>> JP

>> --Sent from my iPad--

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>>> On Dec 8, 2014, at 9:47 PM, wendy Abrams <wabrams1@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>> my daughter Emily asked me if John Podesta would ever run for President.

>>> I said, "no, I don't think so."

>>> To which she immediately replied, "Why not? He'd be great!"

>>> (i told her i think you are a behind the scenes kind of guy, but I must

>>> admit, she is a smart girl!

>>>

>>> xo

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From: ["Amitabh Desai" <adesai@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)
To: ["Hannah Richert" <hrichtert@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:hrichtert@clintonfoundation.org)
Date: 1/26/2012 1:11:39 PM
Subject: For WJC: articles on Mexico City landfill closure
Attachments: Marcelo Ebrard Announces Closure of Bordo Poniente.docx

Dear Hannah, the President asked why CCI isn't mentioned in any articles about the Mexico City landfill closure. Below and attached are some articles that do mention CCI, including some comments by the Mexico City Mayor. Perhaps more importantly, although the landfill closure has been announced, Mexico City is receiving increasing criticism for not effectively handling the waste that continues to be generated. In some ways, it's good for us to NOT be in the current wave of stories. We will work on ways to enhance communications around this when the story (and reality on the ground) improves. CCI staff have offered to help the city better handle this process, but CCI staff say the City is unfortunately not currently taking any tangible/urgent steps to correct the situation or improve the collection/diversion of garbage being generated at present. According to CCI staff, Mayor Bloomberg was going to call the Mayor of Mexico City to congratulate him on the closure of the landfill but then punted on making that call as it became clearer that the city isn't implementing this effectively. We'd be happy to provide more information if it would be helpful, and we'd welcome his feedback. Thanks, Ami

From: Julius Tintelnot
To: Amitabh Desai
Sent: Thu Jan 26 18:59:40 2012
Subject: Bordo Poniente

Ami:

Attached is the statement made by Mayor Ebrard regarding the closure of the Bordo Poniente landfill. This was sent to us by CCI and is translated from Spanish into English.

The following press release was issued directly by C40-CCI: <http://www.prnewswire.com/news-releases/bordo-poniente-landfill-closing-helps-green-mexico-city-136063528.html>

Below are related articles that mention CCI or WJC. There were far more Spanish ones, which are not included here. The statement by the Mayor is the strongest endorsement of WJC. Most of these simply mention the partnership.

Is Mexico City's 'Plan Verde' a Model for Latin America? (NOTE: CGI referenced, not CCI)
<http://www.banderasnews.com/1011/eden-planverde.htm>

After Closing Massive Landfill, Mexico Looks to Convert Waste to Energy
<http://www.urbanfarmonline.com/urban-farm-news/2012/01/10/after-closing-massive-landfill-mexico-looks-to-convert-waste-to-energy.aspx>

Mexico Closes One of World's Largest Landfills for Energy Production
http://www.waste-management-world.com/index/display/article-display/4356716662/articles/waste-management-world/landfill/2012/01/Mexico_Closes_One_of_World_s_Largest_Landfills_for_Energy_Production.html

Mexico City closes noxious landfill but fails to find alternative dump
<http://www.chron.com/news/houston-texas/article/Mexico-City-closes-noxious-landfill-but-fails-to-2673369.php>

Hope this helps. This is without input from Press or CCI – not sure if they archived more articles themselves.

Thanks,
Julius

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 2/24/2015 1:04:13 PM

Subject: Re: Dinner Sunday

We are in!

On Tue, Feb 24, 2015 at 7:50 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
7:00?

JP

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On Feb 24, 2015, at 7:46 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> wrote:

sounds delightful! We will be driving back from NJ and seeing Jim's family, but think we can swing it.
Let me check on timing and confirm tomorrow.

On Tue, Feb 24, 2015 at 7:28 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
Cooking for Tara Damien and Nora. You and Jim want to come?

JP

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Date: 6/4/2015 4:03:27 PM

Subject: Fwd: [VRA 2013] VRA | Civil and Human Rights Coalition Applauds Hillary Clinton's Commitment to Restore Voting Rights, Calls on Other Candidates to Follow Suit

Seiu tweet: [.@ HillaryClinton](#) : The disparities minority voters face are not by accident, & are opposite our values. [# RestoreTheVRA](#) pic.twitter.com/Oj6pKm02OI
4:57 pm - 4 Jun 15

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Melody Barnes" <mbarnes@barackobama.com>](mailto:mbarnes@barackobama.com)
Date: 9/11/2008 5:11:55 AM
Subject: Re: AFL and CTW/Agency Review

Meeting Sweeney on Sat. Will let you know if anything else needs to be followed up on.

On 9/11/08, Melody Barnes <mbarnes@barackobama.com> wrote:

> John

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> See below Seth Harris' note about AFL and Change to Win involvement. I
> forgot that one of his picks is Mike Kerr who would appear to check the
> SEIU/CTW box. On a related note, while we didn't ask our folks to seek
> organizational reps, we have now asked them to let us know of those on their
> teams who are from a key constituency (just so we know).

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> FROM SETH:

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> "Since we decided not to launch a stakeholder outreach strategy before the
> election, I did not reach out to the AFL or Change to Win before proposing
> members for the Labor Department agency review. Rather, I focused on former
> agency/department leaders since they are most likely to have the information
> we need and the ability to perform the analysis that will be required for
> our various products. Two of my nominees (and current team members) were
> Deborah Greenfield, an assistant general counsel at the AFL-CIO, and Michael
> Kerr, Deputy Secretary-Treasurer at Change to Win. Both have extensive DOL
> experience of various types (they also happen to have worked together in
> DOL) and they are both well respected in the labor movement and among DOL
> alumni. I know both of them well and trust them completely.

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> Appointing both Deborah and Michael preempted any concern that we were
> favoring one labor federation over the other in the pre-election review
> process. It also gave the labor federations a sense that they were being
> invited to participate without actually engaging them at the institutional
> level. Deborah and Michael (and I believe their superiors in their
> institutions) understand that they are not representing the AFL, SEIU, or
> Change to Win in this process. There had been some confusion at the AFL on
> this point, but I have had some informal discussions that I believe cleared
> up the misunderstanding. Rather, they are both working as individuals with
> DOL experience to help our review efforts, albeit informed by their
> institutions' interests.

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> In my view, adding Michael and Deborah to the team obviates any need to
> undertake further outreach to the AFL or Change to Win regarding the agency
> review process. I understand that the AFL's leadership is happy to have
> Deborah involved and that the SEIU leadership is equally happy about
> Michael's involvement. In my informal discussions, I haven't heard anything
> that suggests they expect pre-election consultations regarding the agency
> review. However, they certainly expect to be consulted more generally about
> transition matters --- hence the discussions with John. Also, as noted
> above, they may want representation on the agency liaison teams after the
> election.

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> Although this apparently hasn't become an issue yet, you should also know
> that I have invited Sarah Fox, another assistant general counsel at the
> AFL-CIO and a former member of the NLRB, and Fred Feinstein, a consultant to
> the SEIU and Change to Win and a former general counsel to the NLRB, to
> serve as the agency reviewers for the NLRB. It is interesting that their
> prospective roles have not generated any comment, at least to my knowledge.
> I suspect that is because they are such obvious choices, so prominent in the
> field, and so well-connected to both labor federations that it might have
> been odd if we had not invited them to serve as our reviewers. Then again,
> it may be that neither has spoken with their superiors at the AFL and CTW
> and that there are more phone calls to come.

>
> Given our strategy to hold off on stakeholder consultations until after
> Election Day, I don't have any plans to reach out to them or any other
> constituency group formally during the pre-election process. Of course, the
> transition project's leadership should engage both the AFL and the CTW in
> discussions about their role going forward. As always, I would be happy to
> help with these discussions in any way the transition project's leadership
> will find helpful.

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> I hope you find this discussion helpful. Again,

>
> Seth Harris

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Date: 10/6/2015 6:18:27 AM
Subject: FW: Interview request

Can only imagine what this is all about.

Wanted to make sure you were aware.

I want to run the next Ragnar!

From: Jeff Gerth [<mailto:jeff.gerth@gmail.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, October 06, 2015 4:55 PM
To: Siewert, Jake [EO]
Subject: Re: Interview request

Thanks Jake for your quick reply.

On Tue, Oct 6, 2015 at 11:25 AM, Siewert, Jake <Jake.Siewert@gs.com> wrote:
Jeff,

Thanks for the note. Don't know Timothy Paul but it looks like he's with our Investment Management Division. Will check in and see whether he's willing to chat about that chapter of history.

Jake

From: Jeff Gerth [<mailto:jeff.gerth@gmail.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, October 06, 2015 09:10 AM Eastern Standard Time
To: Siewert, Jake [EO]
Subject: Interview request

Jake,

I am doing some reporting on the finances of the Clintons, both for ProPublica, where I work, and in partnership with the Washington Post.

At the outset, I informed the Clinton representatives, including John Podesta, of my project and the partnership with the Post.

My daughter just got married so I am now turning my attention to this area of reporting.

After the Clintons left the White House they retained Citi to handle their finances. The officer who signed that agreement in 2001, Timothy Paul, is now with Goldman Sachs, as chief trust officer for your trust company.

I am wondering if he might be available to discuss a few matters, on whatever basis that might be amenable to him.

I am happy to discuss this further with you or him at your convenience.

I have asked the Clintons whether they would waive any client confidentiality with regards to Citi ---or JPMorgan, the current trustee of their finances---but have not yet heard back.

Thanks for considering my request,

Jeff Gerth
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"Swe Thant" <tsthant@gmail.com>

Date: 5/5/2015 2:51:55 PM

Subject: RE: work and hope!

Will do—Swe, please do send me your resume and I'm happy to pass it on to Ed Paisley and Lauren Vicary.

Best,
Eryn

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, May 05, 2015 5:37 PM

To: Swe Thant; Eryn Sepp

Cc: johnpodesta@gmail.com

Subject: Re: work and hope!

Sure

I've talked to our key editors at CAP and they may some work. Eryn can you get Swe's resume and forward to Ed and Lauren and let them know that she is the person I talked to them about. Thanks.

On May 5, 2015 4:26 PM, "Swe Thant" <tsthant@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi, John, I just heard Alex say "Hillary Clinton" and it hit a nerve for jumping at my lap top. I've been meaning to follow up on my earlier message for Help and think it's now or never!

I'm still in need - and getting needier - of advice and suggestions about opportunities for picking up work. I have useful experience for writing and communicating on public policy issues and on environmental and social issues related to corporate activity, and in fundraising. I'm also eager to find something where my knowledge and personal interest in Myanmar would be useful.

Can you give me an hour of your time when you are next in town? I will be terribly grateful.

Swe

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 9/8/2015 7:14:54 PM
Subject: Re: Energy infrastructure fact sheet & KXL oped

We are going around and around on the merry go round. I think Fallon's point is fine, but to Nick's we can't go in and out of that meeting with the group thinking she's on their side on this.

On Wednesday, September 9, 2015, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I wholeheartedly agree with this. I just don't see how this won't come off as incredibly disingenuous, and I fear the crowd we are looking to placate is exactly the crowd that is most predisposed to seeing this move as purely political. We solve one problem and create another with the very same crowd, while upsetting those on the other side in the process. The irony of all of this is that while not recognized as such, her not taking a position is a pretty risky and honest move, particularly for so long. She was trying to respect the process and the WH. That's honorable even if we can never sell it that way.

So while I'm not sure we should say we're against it to a labor crowd that supports it, I really like the original plan of telling a sympathetic group and being ready when it leaks.

On Tuesday, September 8, 2015, Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I know it is late in the game and we have gone round and round on edits on the oped, but just throwing this out there:

Given that we just offered an apology on emails that some reporters think happened "on a dime" after months of resistance, do we worry that publishing an oped that leans this aggressively into our newfound position on Keystone will be greeted cynically and perhaps as part of some manufactured attempt to project sincerity?

I think we could seem consistent with our past statements about not wanting to get ahead of POTUS on Keystone if her position merely leaked out of the labor meeting. That would seem like a private comment that she didn't intend to become public -- to an unfriendly audience, no less -- and so it might achieve the same effect of getting her on the record on this issue, but with less perception that she is putting a finger to the wind. I just worry that announcing our position so fulsomely in an oped amounts to leading with our chin and will inspire loud cries of hypocrisy from reporters.

Perhaps we could just issue an infrastructure fact sheet, acting like that was our planned announcement, and rely on the Keystone to leak, either organically or with an assist from us.

On Tue, Sep 8, 2015 at 5:32 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Yes, correct to Joel's comment. Thank you.

On Tue, Sep 8, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

You mean on Joel's comment, Nikki? Agree bc we said "point towards" as the State EIS climate impact of the pipeline would set a very low bar to hold ourselves to for all other future projects.

On Tue, Sep 8, 2015 at 5:26 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I would prefer language a little less bold from the labor perspective. I worry it will be interpreted to reflect on similar future projects.

On Tue, Sep 8, 2015 at 5:16 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

I don't like saying points us to an energy future.

Isn't it simply: keystone xl puts our economy, our country, and our global climate at risk.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 8, 2015, at 4:58 PM, Tony Carrk <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

[Good here as long as policy is.](#)

From: speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com [mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com] **On Behalf Of** Kristina Costa
Sent: Tuesday, September 8, 2015 4:53 PM
To: Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com >
Cc: Speech Drafts <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com >; Approvals Account <approvals@hillaryclinton.com>; Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com >; Trevor Houser <tghouser.hrc@gmail.com>; Ben Kobren <benkobren@gmail.com >; Pete Ogden <progden@gmail.com >
Subject: Re: Energy infrastructure fact sheet & KXL oped

Any further edits or comments from this group before sending the package forward to the book? Thanks all.

On Mon, Sep 7, 2015 at 8:07 PM, Kristina Costa <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

How about we invert it and cut the additional detail. Can you live with that?

Keystone XL points us toward an energy future that puts the United States and our global climate at even greater risk. But building clean, secure, and affordable North American energy future is bigger than Keystone XL or any other single project.

We can make the United States the global leader in the fight against climate change and the clean energy superpower of the 21st century. That's why today I am announcing a comprehensive strategy to modernize American energy infrastructure and forge a new partnership with Canada and Mexico to cut carbon pollution across the continent and combat climate change, unleashing billions in investment, delivering reliable and affordable energy, protecting the health of our families and communities, and creating good-paying jobs and careers.

On Mon, Sep 7, 2015 at 7:59 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com > wrote:

[I understand the point. But right now you don't have any sound bite that elevates her position and all that will get picked up is that she's opposed to keystone.](#)

The clean energy superpower phrase is in the final clause of a single-sentence 60-word paragraph. We have to have a single big idea that encapsulates her vision on this and link it to our country's future. The clean energy superpower is her line; leading the world in running our homes, factories, offices and schools on clean energy is a big idea

I'm worried that if we don't have something like that we are light on her core values and beliefs on this issue and we are missing those, she risks looking very political, especially on this.

From: speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com [mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com] **On Behalf Of** Kristina Costa
Sent: Monday, September 07, 2015 7:48 PM
To: Joel Benenson
Cc: Speech Drafts; Approvals Account; Nikki Budzinski; Trevor Houser; Ben Kobren; Pete Ogden
Subject: Re: Energy infrastructure fact sheet & KXL oped

Recirculating both the fact sheet and op-ed reflecting edits and comments from Jake, Nikki, and Joel. In answer to research: changed 20 to 40, and Trevor can provide calculations based on EIA data, if reporters need it, on the Mexico/Canada trade point. It isn't written up neatly in one place online, unfortunately.

Joel, we pumped up the climate impacts but in discussing with Jake decided we do still need to address why she's making her position known, when she has previously said she will wait for the President to make a decision. Added a line about wanting to let voters know where she stands, and added a more expansive graf about making the US the leader in fighting climate change and becoming a clean energy superpower. Nipped and tucked elsewhere to keep the word count down.

Knowing we are still working out rollout timing - comms, policy, political, do you clear these to go forward to the book?

Thanks all.

On Mon, Sep 7, 2015 at 2:11 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com > wrote:

Sure you have these stats, on cities, but just in case:

<http://www.environmentamerica.org/reports/ame/shining-cities-0>

From: speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com [mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com] **On Behalf Of** Kristina Costa
Sent: Monday, September 07, 2015 9:39 AM
To: Speech Drafts; Approvals Account; Nikki Budzinski; Trevor Houser; Ben Kobren; Pete Ogden
Subject: Energy infrastructure fact sheet & KXL oped

Team,

Attaching a draft HRC op-ed which uses opposition to KXL as a pivot to talk about a plan for broad investment in modernizing our energy infrastructure and forging a climate compact between the US, Mexico, and Canada. These versions reflect initial edits and comments from the policy team, JDP, and Nikki.

The current thinking is to have HRC address this in her meeting with the building trades on Wednesday and roll out the fact sheet and op-ed in conjunction with that. Please send edits and clearances from comms, policy, research, and political to me, Trevor, Ben, and Pete no later than 10 am tomorrow so we can get this to HRC with plenty of time for her review and clearance.

Thanks,

Kristina

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Neera Tanden" <ntanden@gmail.com>](mailto:ntanden@gmail.com)

Date: 1/16/2016 3:49:28 AM

Subject: Re: Coffee next week?

Fine to do Let me know what he's up to

On Saturday, January 16, 2016, Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com> wrote:

Should I blow it off? I sort of thought that I would be amongst the most helpful here. Just let me know.

The sooner Hillary gets that life is not fair, the better off she will be. I thought she understood this before this race, but apparently I was wrong.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>

Date: Sat, Jan 16, 2016 at 9:04 AM

Subject: Fwd: Coffee next week?

To: Neera Tanden <ntanden@gmail.com>

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Begin forwarded message:

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: January 16, 2016 at 9:03:05 AM EST

To: Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>

Subject: Re: Coffee next week?

Ugh

On Saturday, January 16, 2016, Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org> wrote:

Thoughts?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Newton-Small, Jay - Time U.S. <Jay.NewtonSmall@time.com>"

<Jay.NewtonSmall@time.com>

Date: January 14, 2016 at 11:43:43 AM EST

To: Neera Tanden <Ntanden@americanprogress.org>

Subject: Coffee next week?

Hey Neera!

We are contemplating a profile of John Podesta. I'd love to pick your brain. Any chance you're free for coffee next week?

Thanks!

JNS

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 7/10/2015 4:24:59 AM
Subject: Fwd: Seeing Bill and Chelsea for briefing

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From: H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com>
Date: Fri, Jul 10, 2015 at 11:23 AM
Subject: Re: Seeing Bill and Chelsea for briefing
To: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>
Cc: Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>

Yes.

From: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>
Sent: Friday, July 10, 2015 11:13:51 AM
To: H
Cc: Huma Abedin
Subject: Re: Seeing Bill and Chelsea for briefing

Great!

Right now, it's just me and John and Huma. And my understanding is Tina and Bari will both be there as well.
Does that work for you?

> On Jul 10, 2015, at 10:51 AM, H <hdr29@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

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> Copying Huma to find date(s) and I recommend inviting Tina and Bari to attend so they're caught up. Who will be there from campaign?

From: Jess@EndCitizensUnited.org <admin@endcitizensunited.org>

To: ["John Podesta"](mailto:John.Podesta@law.georgetown.edu) <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

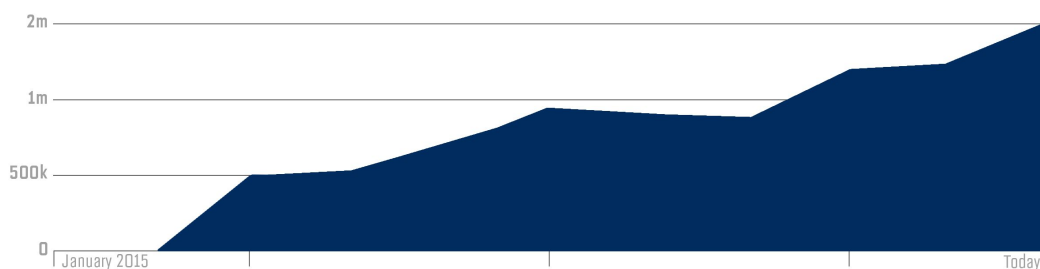
Date: 1/25/2016 12:28:48 PM

Subject: HUGE makeover to EndCitizensUnited.org

John, last month nearly 2 million Americans visited EndCitizensUnited.org . It was easily our biggest month ever.

ENDCITIZENSUNITED.ORG

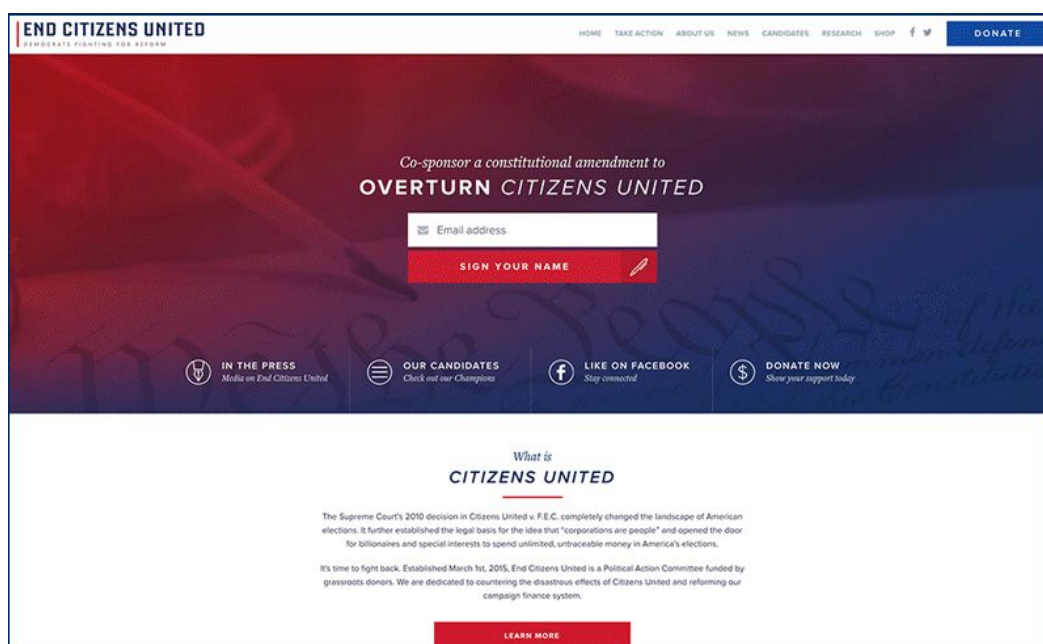
Website Traffic



Last January, our organization didn't even exist. Now -- since we launched on March 1st, 2015 -- millions upon millions of Americans have visited our website to learn about our broken campaign finance system and fight back against the right-wing billionaires trying to buy our Democracy.

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Onward,

Jessica

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From the entire *End Citizens United* team, thanks for your support!

10/18/2016

From: "Gretchen Rau" <gretchen.rau@climateworks.org>
To: "Carol Larson" <clarson@packard.org>
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"Tierney, Susan" <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com>
Date: 3/10/2016 4:10:15 PM
Subject: March 2016 Funders Table materials

Dear ClimateWorks Board,

The following materials related to next week's Funders Table (FT) meetings are available:

Schedule and participants: The schedule for all of the meetings next week (the FT itself meets on Wednesday and Thursday), and the list of FT participants, are in Tab 2 of your board packet.

Reading materials: We have placed the pre-read materials for the FT meetings on the Board Portal (in the Reference Materials folder) for those of you who want a more thorough scan of what will be discussed.

Funding landscape: Due to its highly confidential nature, we will review hard copies of the funding landscape data in the board meeting itself as we have in the past. We can discuss the option of putting some or all of this data on the Board Portal when we meet.

Warm regards,
Gretchen

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From: "Aniello Alioto" <anielloa@gmail.com>

To: funk@americansunitedforchange.org
bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 6/23/2010 6:49:47 AM

Subject: Re: [big campaign] New TV Ad: Will Congress Stand With Joe Barton and Big Oil -- or Stand Up for a Clean Energy Future?

Just out:

POLITICO Breaking News:

Rep. Joe Barton (R-Texas), will keep his job as the top Republican on the Energy and Commerce Committee in wake of his controversial BP apology last week, according to GOP sources.

HAMMER AWAY FRIENDS!

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

From: Jeremy Funk <funk@americansunitedforchange.org>

Sender: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: Wed, 23 Jun 2010 09:45:07 -0400

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com<bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>

ReplyTo: funk@americansunitedforchange.org

Subject: [big campaign] New TV Ad: Will Congress Stand With Joe Barton and Big Oil -- or Stand Up for a Clean Energy Future?



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June 23, 2010

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New TV Ad: Will Congress Stand With Joe Barton, BP and Big Oil -- or Stand Up for a Clean Energy Future?

With Major Clean Energy and Climate Legislation on the Horizon in the Senate, It's Gut Check Time for Senate Republicans Addicted to Big Oil Money



Click Here to Watch 'The Choice' : <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BAMVxsvfeco>

Washington D.C. – With a likely vote in the Senate on the horizon on major clean energy and climate legislation, Senate Republicans need to make clear whether they stand with Congressman Joe “I apologize” Barton (R-TX) and big oil -- or with the American people who ready more than ever before for a clean energy future in the wake of the Deepwater Horizon disaster. Americans United for Change unveiled a new TV ad in the nation’s capital making the choice clear, which begins airing this Thursday on MSNBC, FOX News and CNN in Washington.

Tom McMahon, Executive Director, Americans United for Change: “Even in the face of the worst oil spill in U.S. history, the reaction was the same it’s always been for Joe Barton, potential chairman of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, and many of his Republican colleagues: ‘big oil’s bottom line always comes first.’ Barton took the Grand Oil Party’s longstanding governing philosophy towards oil companies to absurd new heights by worrying about whether BP’s feelings were hurt over the needs of the spill victims in the Gulf. And now it’s gut check time for Senate Republicans who need to decide if they’re going to continue to stand with the likes of Joe Barton and do the bidding of big oil – or participate constructively towards building a clean energy future. Big oil money has polluted our politics and environment enough.”

“If Republicans continue to stand in the way of clean energy legislation, they need to explain to their constituents why they want to keep America on the course of importing more and more Mid-East oil and putting more and more money into the hands of our enemies,” added McMahon.

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Americans United For Change: The Choice	
Date: 6/22/10	
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<i>Narrator:</i> The same people who are apologizing to BP...	U.S. Rep. Joe Barton (R-TX) “apologized” directly to BP CEO Tony Hayward at a Congressional hearing: “I am ashamed of what happened in the White House yesterday, that a private corporation would be subject to what I would characterize as a shake down,” said Barton. The fund, he said, “amounts to a \$20 billion slush fund that is unprecedented in our nation’s history” and “sets a terrible precedent for the future. “I apologize...I do not want to live in a country where any time a citizen or a corporation does something that is legitimately wrong it is subject to political pressure that amounts to a shake down,” Barton continued. [Mother Jones, 6/17/10] The 114 Member Republican Study Committee Called The The \$20 Billion BP Escrow Account A “Chicago-Style Political Shakedown.” The Republican Study Committee, a conservative caucus with 114 Republican members, released a statement calling the \$20 billion BP escrow account a “Chicago-style political shakedown.” “BP’s reported willingness to go along with the White House’s new fund suggests that the Obama Administration is hard at work exerting its brand of Chicago-style shakedown politic... These actions are emblematic of a politicization of our economy that has been borne out of this Administration’s drive for greater power and control.”[RSC, 6/16/10] Michele Bachmann Said That Holding BP Accountable Is “Extortion” And A “Redistribution-Of-Wealth.” Appearing at a Heritage Foundation event, Michele Bachmann characterized the \$20 billion escrow fund that the administration brokered with BP amounted to “extortion.” She went on to say “The president just called for creating a fund that would be administered by outsiders, which would be more of a redistribution-of-wealth fund.” [Minnesota Independent, 6/16/10] Republican Congressman Said Barton Was “Spot On.” Appearing on the conservative Laura Ingraham Show, Republican Rep. Steve King said “I think Joe Barton was spot-on when he called it a ‘shakedown.’ That’s part of this administration’s process.” [The Hill, 6/21/10]
<i>Narrator:</i> and taking record amounts of big oil contributions...	Senate Republicans Have Accepted At Least \$18.6 Million From Big Oil. Since 1989, members of the Senate Republican Caucus for the 111th Congress have accepted at least \$18,690,814 from the oil and gas industry. [Center for Responsive Politics, 6/4/10; CQ MoneyLine, 6/7/10]

<i>Narrator:</i> are now blocking clean energy and climate legislation.	Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell Is Committed To Killing Comprehensive Climate And Energy Legislation. In an article about bipartisan negotiations to introduce a climate and energy bill sponsored by Kerry, Graham and Lieberman – the foundation for the American Power Act – Bloomberg report “The measure will need ‘significant bipartisan cooperation’ to pass, Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, a Nevada Democrat, said today in an e-mail. Senate Republican Leader Mitch McConnell of Kentucky said in an e-mail he will oppose it. ‘Whatever its intentions, this bill is little more than a job-killing national energy tax,’ McConnell said.” [Bloomberg, 5/12/10]
<i>Narrator:</i> Congress has a choice: Will they stand with Joe Barton, BP and big oil or with a clean energy and climate plan and the new jobs, less pollution and greater security it brings?	The American Power Act Invests \$5 Billion In Clean Energy And Reigns In Offshore Drilling Rules. According to the executive summary of the American Power Act, the bill would expand the clean energy manufacturing tax credit by \$5 billion and forces offshore drilling rigs further offshore. [Kerry, 5/12/10] A Berkley University Study Concluded That Comprehensive Climate Legislation Could Create Up To 1.9 Million Jobs. “A New analysis by the University of California shows conclusively that climate policy will strengthen the U.S. economy as a whole. Full adoption of the ACES package of pollution reduction and energy efficiency measures would create between 918,000 and 1.9 million new jobs, increase annual household income by \$487-\$1,175 per year, and boost GDP by \$39 billion-\$111 billion. These economic gains are over and above the growth the U.S. would see in the absence of such a bill.” [UC Berkley, 9/28/09] Pentagon: “Climate Change, Energy Security And Economic Stability Are Inextricably Linked.” In 2010, the Department of Defense released the Quadrennial Defense Review and for the first time ever, the report included a section on climate change. The report said that “Climate change and energy are two key issues that will play a significant role in shaping the future security environment. Although they produce distinct types of challenges, climate change, energy security and economic stability are inextricably linked.” [New York Times, 2/1/10]
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To: ["Robby Mook 2015" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)
Date: 3/3/2015 5:35:05 AM
Subject: Re: you around later to folllow up?

Try you after 1:00

On Mar 3, 2015 10:55 AM, "Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com> wrote:

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From: ["Neeti Kaur. BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>](mailto:info@barackobama.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/30/2014 1:24:07 PM

Subject: We'll have to make some hard decisions, John



I'll be straight with you, John:

After tomorrow's fundraising deadline, we'll have to sit down and make some hard decisions.

Unlike some of our opponents, we don't have endless resources -- we have to spend smart and count on grassroots donations to come through in the clutch. And that's why we send you all these emails.

If you believe in this work, you have a decision to make:

Chip in to help before midnight tomorrow, or hope that someone else does it for you:

<https://donate.barackobama.com/Make-a-Difference>

Thanks,

Neeti

Neeti Kaur
Chief Financial Officer
Organizing for Action

P.S. -- When I first started working with OFA, I didn't truly understand what people meant by "grassroots" support. It didn't take long -- during a fundraising deadline like this, I saw firsthand what everyone meant: thousands of small donations coming in from all over the country. Truly inspiring.

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Date: 7/13/2015 11:20:22 AM

Subject: Daily Media Report 7.13.15

National:

--Preview of HRC's economic speech. Says it is her first speech on the economy since announcing her presidential bid. Says HRC is expected to call for companies to expand profit sharing with their employees, according to a campaign official who calls it a win-win. [Mornings with Maria Bartiromo](#) . 2015 07 13,Hillary Clinton,Commentary,National,Economic Speech Preview.mp4

--Joe Scarborough talks to Al Hunt about the role of Donald Trump. **Mentions that Trump was at one time a contributor to HRC** and Republicans are becoming indignant that he is now grabbing a large chunk of the Republican base. Says that Republicans are concerned that Trump's gathering votes in the party and being so polarizing could pave the way to the White House for HRC and for Democrats to take more seats in the House and Senate. Says they are treating him very gently because of the concern that he might run as an independent which would be devastating for the Republican Party. [Morning Joe](#) . 2015 07 13,Hillary Clinton;Donald Trump,Role of Donald Trump.mp4

--Preview of HRC's economic speech. Host says that this speech is being billed as her first policy speech. Jeff Zeleny says this is all about Bernie Sanders although she is not going to mention him. Says it's a left-leaning speech where she is going to say she is a fighter for the middle class and she is going to call on companies to expand profit sharing. Says he was told by one of her advisors that this was the plan, although he's not exactly sure how you would legislate that. Chris Cuomo says that calling on companies to profit share is not realistic. Zeleny says companies may need to be shamed into it rather than legislated. [New Day](#) . 2015 07 13,Hillary Clinton,Commentary,National,Pre-Economic Speech Commentary.mp4

--Host gives updates on 2016 election including Scott Walker announcing his bid and HRC giving her economic speech today. Doug McKelway says that the Clinton campaign has been looking into its rearview mirror more frequently lately with Bernie Sanders continuing to draw big crowds. Says HRC will outline her plans for growing the economy and tout the job-growing record of two presidents, WJC and Obama, **and will throw a bone to unions by criticizing the sharing economy – companies such as Uber which don't offer employees benefits.** Quotes HRC's speech preview as saying, hard-working Americans deserve to benefit from the record corporate earnings they helped produce, so I will propose ways to encourage companies to share profits with their employees. [Fox & Friends](#) . 2015 07 13,Hillary Clinton;Scott Walker,Commentary,National,Preview of Economic Speech.mp4

--Report on HRC giving speech on inequality and ways to bridge that gap. Shows clip of HRC saying that the measure of our success must be how much incomes rise for working families, not just CEO's and not just some arbitrary growth target. [Power Lunch](#) . 2015 07 13,Hillary Clinton,Commentary,National,HRC Economic Speech Mention.mp4

--Report of HRC making a pitch to Democrats attracted to Bernie Sanders' populist message. Says HRC outlined the theme of her economic agenda today and outlined the need for policies that would increase the incomes of middle class Americans. Shows clip of HRC saying that every time Republicans have a chance to try their approach, it explodes the national debt, concentrates debt even more, and does nothing to help hard working

Americans. Reporter says HRC said the minimum wage should be raised and companies should share more of their profits with workers. [Bloomberg Markets](#) . 2015 07 13, Hillary Clinton, Commentary, National, Recap of HRC's economic speech.mp4

Spanish:

-- Report that HRC will make economic framing speech. Said that HRC would make speech in NY laying out her economic vision. Expected policies that she would mention include tax incentives that would make companies share their fortunes with their employees; it said that "Clinton believes that workers should benefit from the fortunes that they generate for the companies for which they work." [Al Despertar, Univision](#) . 2015 07 13 Hillary Clinton Clips, National, Al Despertar(Unv) HRC Econ Framing Speech Preview

-- Report on HRC receiving endorsement from the AFT. It said that she received an "important support" for her campaign from the AFT, which is the first union to endorse a candidate and represents 1.6 million teachers. [Noticiero Univision, Fin de Semana](#). 2015 07 12 Hillary Clinton Commentary, National, Noticiero Univision on HRC's AFT Endorsement

-- Mention of Jeb Bush among report on Trump statements at his AZ event. Said that in spite of his problematic comments, Trump has strong support; in a recent Reuters poll he had the support of 15.8% of participants, second to and only a couple of points behind the frontrunner, Jeb Bush. [Noticiero Univision](#) . 2015 07 12 Jeb Bush Commentary, National, Noticiero Univision Bush & Trump Rankings

States:

Iowa:

--Report on HRC's economic speech: HRC will be giving a speech on her economic plan, starting with her speech today on profit sharing for employees. [KTIV\(NBC\)'s Sioux City's News 4 Today, Sioux City \(IA\)](#). 2015.07.12., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, HRC economics.mp4

--Report on HRC endorsements: American Federation of Teachers has endorsed HRC. The committee has voted overwhelmingly to endorse her. The AFT is the first national union to endorse a presidential candidate in the Democratic primaries. [KCALI\(ABC\)'s ABC9 News This Morning at 6, Sioux City \(IA\)](#). 2015.07.012., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, HRC AFT.mp4

Nevada:

--Report on HRC endorsements: HRC picked up a key endorsement from the American Federation of Teachers with an overwhelming majority supporting her endorsement. [KLAS-LV\(CBS\)'s 8 News Now at 4 am, Las Vegas \(NV\)](#). 2015.07.12., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, HRC endorsements AFT.

New Hampshire:

--Report on HRC economic speech: HRC will be giving an economic speech focusing on middle class income growth. She will also discuss equal pay for women and lifting minimum wage. [WHDH-BOS\(NBC\)'s 7News Today in New England, Boston \(MA\)](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, HRC economic speech.mp4

--Report on HRC economic plan: HRC expected to outline her economic policy. Her speech at the New School in New York will focus on middle class workers, income inequality, paid medical leave, and profit sharing programs. [WCVB-BOS\(ABC\)'s Newscenter 5 Eyeopener, Boston \(MA\)](#). 2015.07.013., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, economic policy speech HRC.mp4

--Report on HRC's Economic Policy Speech: HRC is outlining her economic policies and criticizing Republican

rivals. HRC claimed that Jeb Bush does not understand the plight of American workers, questioned Rubio's tax proposals, and that Walker has stomped on the rights of workers to earn his political agenda. [New England Cable News' NECN Today, Boston \(MA\)](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, HRC policy speech.mp4

South Carolina:

--Report on HRC endorsement: The American Federation of Teachers has endorsed HRC with an overwhelming vote. [WSAV-SAV\(NBC\)'s WSAV News 3 Coastal Sunrise at 6 am Savannah \(GA\)](#). Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, HRC AFT.mp4

--Report on HRC endorsement: The American Federation of Teachers endorsed HRC, and voted overwhelmingly to endorse her. The AFT is the first national union to endorse HRC. [WLOS\(ABC\)'s News 13 Early Edition 5am Greenville \(SC\)](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, AFT HRC.mp4

Bernie Sanders:

--Report on Sanders coverage: Sanders told CBS's Face the Nation that he will draw voter turnout because many people do not vote. He claims that his political message is resonating. [New England Cable News' NECN Today, Boston \(MA\)](#). 2015.07.13., Bernie Sanders, Clips, National Sanders Face the Nation.mp4

--Report on Sanders gaining followers: Reporters claim that Sanders is drawing big crowds and getting the right kind of support. Voters believe that HRC is too centrist, and Sanders is appealing more to the left of the Democratic Party. Reporters claim that Sanders can hurt HRC. In all likelihood, reporters claim that voters hold a temporary affection towards Sanders. [WCVB-BOS\(ABC\)'s On the Record, Boston \(MA\)](#). 2015.07.13., Bernie Sanders; Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, Sanders HRC.mp4

--Report on Sanders gaining ground: Jeff Zeleny claims that HRC is giving a left leaning policy speech, specifically due to Sanders because he is pushing her more to the left. [CNN's New Day](#). 2015.07.13., Bernie Sanders; Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, Sanders left leaning HRC.mp4

--Report on Jim Webb on Sanders: Webb claims that Sanders is causing the party to move too far to the left. [MSNBC's Way Too Early](#). 2015.07.13., Bernie Sanders, Clips, National, Sanders left.mp4

--Report on Sanders moving up: The American people are angry at the current leadership. Therefore, Trump and Sanders are gaining more followers because they are bringing something different to the political arena. [Fox News' Fox Report Sunday](#). 2015.07.13., Sanders Trump gaining.mp4

--Report on Sanders: Sanders has a populist movement going from the left, with large supporters from Elizabeth Warren's side. Reporters claim that Sanders is making politics a bit more unpredictable. [CNN's CNN Newsroom with Poppy Harlow](#). 2015.07.13., Bernie Sanders, Clips, National, Sanders Warren.mp4

--Report on Sanders in Iowa: Reporters claim that HRC's team is worried that Sanders could win Iowa. Reporters claim that the press loves the competitive race, and that they love to see someone pushing HRC. Reporters claim that Sanders has made himself more worthy of the press' coverage. [Fox News' MediaBuzz](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton, Clips, National, Sanders HRC coverage.mp4

--Report on Sanders gaining: Reporters claim that the Democratic left took possession of the party from HRC's regime. Reporters claim that over the last six or so years, they have taken over the party, and they do not trust HRC. They believe that HRC will put one foot in Wall Street, and one in the White House. Sanders is taking over as a Warren spokesperson and gaining her followers. Reporters claim that Sanders does not have the establishment support or broad based voter support. He only appeals to whites. Reporters claim that this is more of an anti-Hillary sentiment, and less of a pro-Bernie sentiment. Reporters claim that Sanders' force is enough to give HRC a scare in Iowa and New Hampshire. Reporters claim that it would be a big mistake to dismiss Sanders as an actual candidate. Sanders could possibly expose some of HRC's vulnerabilities. [Fox News' Sunday Housecall](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton, Bernie Sanders, Clips, National, Sanders New Hampshire, Iowa.mp4

--Report on Sanders exceeding expectations: Reporters claim that Sanders has been doing better than anyone has ever expected. Therefore, Sanders is pushing HRC more to the left. Reporters claim that Sanders is doing well because he identifies more with Elizabeth Warren. [Fox News' The Real Story with Gretchen Carlson](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton; Bernie Sanders, Clips, National, Sanders Warren HRC.mp4

--Report on HRC and Sanders' policies: Reporters claim that HRC did not mention Sanders' name in her economic rally speech. However, HRC alluded to raise minimum wage, profit sharing, and slightly attacking

Obama on Wall Street. [CNN International's Wolf.](#)
HRC Sanders economic.mp4

2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton; Bernie Sanders, Clips, National,

--Report on Sanders' as a threat: Reporters claim that due to the strong support and momentum that Sanders is generating in the primary states, HRC's campaign is feeling threatened. Therefore, she is attempting to appeal more to the progressives in the Democratic Party. Reporters claim that HRC does not address Sanders by name, but that she is clearly alluding to his policies. [Fox News' Happening Now](#). 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton; Bernie Sanders, Clips, national, Sanders HRC policies.mp4

--Report on Sanders and Glass-Steagall: Sanders claimed on Sunday that there are several differences between himself and HRC. Sanders has spent his political life taking on big money interests, break up large financial institutions on Wall Street. He has voted against the War in Iraq. Sanders highlights how important he thinks that climate change is. He has been very clear on issues, whereas HRC has not. Reporters claim that this may be the reason that Sanders is gaining massive crowds. [MSNBC's The Ed Show.](#) 2015.07.13., Hillary Clinton; Bernie Sanders, Clips, National, Sanders HRC issues.mp4

Martin O'Malley:

--Report on MOM and Univision: MOM sought out Univision to propose his immigration proposals. [CNN's Reliable Sources.](#) 2015.07.12., Martin O'Malley, Clips, National, MOM immigration.mp4

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Josh Schwerin" <joshschwerin@gmail.com>](mailto:joshschwerin@gmail.com)

Date: 3/10/2015 10:37:11 AM

Subject: Re: Fwd: HRC | Emails

Schumer in a very good place.

On Mar 10, 2015 1:31 PM, "Josh Schwerin" <joshschwerin@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi John,

Thanks for offering to call Schumer. His cell is [\(917\) 848-9440](tel:9178489440). Attached are a q&a doc to answer questions and a talking points doc for friends.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Date: Tue, Mar 10, 2015 at 4:21 PM

Subject: HRC | Emails

To: Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>

Cc: Huma Abedin <huma@hrcoffice.com>

Hi Everyone,

As some of you may have seen, Secretary Clinton did a press conference today where she talked why she was there today, commented on recent developments regarding Iran, and about all the recent issues surrounding her email at the State Department, so we wanted to follow up with a transcript of her statement along with a Q&A document that lays out many of the questions that have been raised in the last week along with the answers to them.

Please be in touch with any questions or comments.

Nick

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Josh Schwerin

Cell: [518-369-5469](tel:5183695469)

From: ["Democratic Legislators" <subscriptions@dlcc.org>](mailto:subscriptions@dlcc.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/21/2014 4:34:14 AM

Subject: Subscription probe: Please respond

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)

Date: 2/9/2014 7:28:48 AM

Subject: Re: Fwd:

Talked to him. Call me at home if you can after 3:30. 202-244-5673

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Feb 8, 2014, at 9:17 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

Will call you

cdm

On Feb 8, 2014, at 7:54 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Probably need to accelerate the time line for HRC buy in.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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On Feb 8, 2014, at 3:48 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

He sent the same email to Doug

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From: tina <tflournoy11@gmail.com>

Date: Sat, Feb 8, 2014 at 3:31 PM

Subject:

To: cheryl.mills@gmail.com

From: "Rucker, Philip J" <Philip.Rucker@washpost.com>

Date: February 8, 2014 at 1:34:36 PM EST

To: Craig Minassian <craig@minassianmedia.com>

Subject: President Clinton story

Craig, do you have a few minutes to talk? I heard the NYT is preparing a big story about President Clinton's personal life. I'm trying to understand what's going on. Can you call me? I'm at [202-841-7584](tel:202-841-7584).

Thanks,

Phil

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

From: "Verizon Wireless" <verizonwireless2@email.vzwshop.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/25/2015 8:05:07 PM

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From: Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 1/8/2015 9:38:54 PM

Subject: Re: Happy day

And best present ever-jimmy fallon just mentioned your name in his monologue!!!

Something about WH aide John Podesta said HRC would make comparisons to Obama if she ran..I'm going to get punchline wrong but something like big news there: HRC is running. I'll get u the clip in the morning if it's up.

Sent from my iPad

> On Jan 8, 2015, at 10:18 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Busy, but fun. Thx.

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> JP

> --Sent from my iPad--

> john.podesta@gmail.com

> For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

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>> On Jan 8, 2015, at 7:31 PM, <Laura_Nichols@mpaa.org> wrote:

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>> Hope you had some fun, somewhere. Happy birthday. Xo

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>> Sent from my iPad

From: ["Carmel Martin" <cmartin@americanprogress.org>](mailto:cmartin@americanprogress.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 4/1/2015 7:11:37 PM

Subject: Jake

I am in a couple meetings with jake tomorrow (+ann Oleary). Wondered if you had a chance to talk to him about me. No worries if not.

Carmel Martin
Cmartin@american

From: "John Halpin" <jlrhalpin@gmail.com>

To: andy.stern@seiu.org

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Amy.Dacey@seiu.org

john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/21/2007 11:02:28 AM

Subject: Final Draft

Attachments: NYC meeting 2007 (Final Draft).doc

Hi all -

Here is the current final draft for your review over the weekend. There are two new sections on USAction and Labor in the Appendix.

Please let us know if there are any concerns/edits before it is finalized Monday for delivery.

Take care - John

From: "[Megan Rouse](#)" <meganrouse@gmail.com>

To: "[John Podesta](#)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 3/3/2015 11:20:58 AM

Subject: Re: Genentech Partnering Offsite, May 13-15

Ok makes sense. I will let them know. Thanks.

On Tuesday, March 3, 2015, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Megan

I think I better pass. Very uncertain what life will be like then.

On Mar 3, 2015 9:11 PM, "Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com> wrote:

Pa, here is the invite I mentioned from my neighbor Julie obando to speak to Genentech. If you are interested I can introduce you by email. Or you can feel free to contact them directly. Thanks.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Katie Skrable <skrable.katie@gene.com>

Date: Tuesday, March 3, 2015

Subject: Genentech Partnering Offsite, May 13-15

To: Julie Obando <obando.julie@gene.com>

Cc: meganrouse@gmail.com, Katie Skrable <skrable.katie@gene.com>

Dear Megan -

Julie has kindly passed along your information so that you may be able to help introduce "us" to your father.

By way of introduction, I am a member of the Genentech Business Development team located in South SF, CA. My BD colleague and I are planning our annual offsite BD meeting for our group (~30 members). The theme of our offsite is Design and we are taking an interdisciplinary approach by featuring speakers from multiple disciplines and industries. Your father is distinguished and experienced in the art of "politics" and I am confident our group would be very interested in his background.

If you might kindly pass along this email to your father, I'd be happy to pick up discussions with him.

Thanks

Kate

On Mar 3, 2015, at 11:31 AM, Julie Obando <obando.julie@gene.com> wrote:

Dear Megan,

Thanks very much for allowing us to reach out to John Podesta through you!

By copy of this email, I am introducing my business partner, Kate Skrable, who will be providing more information on the theme and content of our annual meeting.

Best regards,

Julie Obando | Business Development | Genentech, Inc.

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From: ["Sara Du Bois" <sdubois@progressivemediainusa.org>](mailto:sdubois@progressivemediainusa.org)

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 7/1/2008 1:00:56 AM

Subject: [big campaign] NYT: McCain Heads Today for Colombia, Where Adviser Has Long Had Ties

July 1, 2008

McCain Heads Today for Colombia, Where Adviser Has Long Had Ties

By [LARRY ROHTER](#)

At a time when the role of lobbyists and special interests are at issue in the presidential campaign, Senator [John McCain](#) leaves Tuesday on a trip to [Colombia](#), where a senior adviser to him has long had business and political ties.

Since 1998, the lobbying firm headed until recently by [Charlie Black](#), one of Mr. McCain's closest confidants, has earned more than \$1.8 million representing the Occidental Petroleum Corporation, the leading foreign producer of gas and oil in Colombia. The lobbying firm, BKSH & Associates, has also represented Colombian textile and apparel manufacturers and a former foreign minister and presidential candidate who is also a prominent businesswoman.

According to official filings, Mr. Black, who resigned as chairman of BKSH in March, lobbied Congress, the State Department and the White House on Occidental's behalf regarding "general energy issues" and "general trade issues" involving Colombia. His list of activities also included winning "foreign assistance for Colombia" and efforts to block an economic embargo against the country, which has a questionable human rights record.

"Though he did not have high visibility, we encountered his shadow often," said Larry Birns, director of the Council on Hemispheric Affairs, an advocacy group that monitors Latin American human rights and political issues from Washington.

Mr. McCain is making the trip in part to highlight his support for a free-trade agreement with Colombia that the Bush administration wants to see approved by Congress by year's end. The senator, a strong free-trade advocate, has spoken in favor of the accord on the campaign trail.

His presumed Democratic opponent, Senator [Barack Obama](#), opposes the deal and frequently cites it in campaign speeches as an example of what he sees as the administration's wrongheaded trade policies. Mr. Obama has expressed environmental and human rights concerns, including what he describes as the Colombian government's repression of labor unions.

Mr. Black has recently been at the center of campaign controversy over an interview, published in June by Fortune magazine, in which he said that another terrorist attack on the United States would benefit Mr. McCain's candidacy. The McCain campaign declined to make him available to discuss his lobbying activities on behalf of Colombia for BKSH.

"The campaign has no connection to that firm and therefore no connection to the questions you are asking," said Tucker Bounds, a campaign spokesman.

Occidental's activities in Colombia have long been controversial, both within that country and among human-rights, indigenous-rights and environmental groups abroad. The groups have accused the company of complicity in the killing of peasants thought to be sympathetic to the left-wing guerrilla groups that operate in the area where Occidental has pipelines or drilling activities. They have also blamed Occidental for the polluting of rural areas and have accused it of intimidating Indian tribes seeking to prevent drilling on their ancestral lands.

Occidental has long denied the accusations, maintaining that its practices are environmentally sound and describing its critics as unrepresentative.

The most controversial episode dates from December 1998, when the Colombian Air Force dropped cluster

bombs on Santo Domingo, a village near an Occidental pipeline, killing 18 people. Human rights groups and Colombian government officials say the bombing was a mistake that occurred because three employees of a Florida-based aerial security company employed by Occidental to monitor guerrilla movements had provided incorrect coordinates to the Colombian military pilots.

The American employees of the security company dropped out of sight, and Colombian government efforts to have them handed over for questioning and perhaps trial were fruitless. Frustrated by what they consider the security company's stonewalling, human rights groups filed suit in California in 2003 and 2004 against Occidental, whose headquarters is in Los Angeles.

Occidental has denied any responsibility for the bombing of Santo Domingo, saying when the first suit was filed that it "has not and does not provide lethal aid to Colombia's armed forces."

Even as the Santo Domingo attack became a cause célèbre among human rights groups in Washington, as well as some lawmakers there, Congress approved a special appropriation of nearly \$100 million for the protection of oil pipelines in Colombia in 2003, when Mr. Black's firm was lobbying on Occidental's behalf.

Atossa Soltani, executive director of Amazon Watch, a human rights group that works on behalf of Colombian Indian tribes opposed to oil drilling and pipelines on their lands, said Mr. Black was also "very active" while Congress was debating a \$1.3 billion military assistance package to Colombia that became law in 2000. "We'd be making the rounds in Congress," Ms. Soltani said, "and Oxy would be there making the rounds, too."

Occidental has come under fire as well in connection with the 2003 killing of three Colombian labor leaders who were initially and erroneously said to be affiliated with one of the guerrilla groups that regularly attack Occidental's installations. Three Colombian soldiers, all of them members of a special unit that guards an Occidental pipeline, were charged with murder.

Kitty Bennett contributed reporting.

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/07/01/us/politics/01black.html?ref=politics&pagewanted=print>

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From: "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 3/6/2016 7:55:50 AM
Subject: Re: ROUNDUP: 4:00 PM Call // Qs for this week

Emily's list is approx 30 of their top donors + a few staff.

On Sun, Mar 6, 2016 at 2:55 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

How many people are at Emily's list. I already suggested to Vachon a late Friday meeting or dinner. I could probably do Saturday morning if that works. Need to get back to DC by sat night. On Friday I need to see Jim Hamilton preferably at 9:00 and then a second meeting with Jim me and Marc Elias

On Sunday, March 6, 2016, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Call Reminder: you have the weekly Hill Strategy call at 4:00 PM ET today.

Grand Rapids Tomorrow // Primary timeline call

Huma is NOT going to Grand Rapids with HRC tomorrow morning. She will stay in Detroit and rejoin the group during debate prep.

IF you DON'T go to GR, Robby would like to do a call/mtg on the primary timeline.

Michael Vacon dinner?

Would you like me to reach out and schedule a dinner for THIS coming Friday, 3/11? Currently we have DC meetings with Stan Greenberg and Herb Miller in the afternoon, but I can easily reschedule so you can come up to NYC.

EMILY's List Update

Sara and Mini both had conversations with Jess O'Connell about your presentation on Thursday. Jess loved your/Robby's TPs at the donor summit, so we're updating those and having Oren's team pull a few slides to accompany.

Let me know if you have any thoughts.

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Date:	8/14/2015 2:30:14 PM
Subject:	Updated Invitation: September Planning @ Mon Aug 17, 2015 8pm - 9pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

This event has been changed.

September Planning

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When

Changed: Mon Aug 17, 2015 8pm – 9pm Eastern Time

Where

NY-BrooklynHQ-Iowa / 718-766-5165, no pin ([map](#))

Video call

https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/september

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john.podesta@gmail.com

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From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>

Date: 12/22/2015 4:05:56 PM

Subject: Re: Updated Invite

Frank White.

On Tuesday, December 22, 2015, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

There was some guy who's an African American fundraiser. David knows not chef ----raiser

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 22, 2015, at 10:28 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

I think if you are talking about a 2nd chef, probably works with just her and me.

On Tuesday, December 22, 2015, Tony Podesta <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Thought we were getting another cohost with Carlaust

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 22, 2015, at 9:22 PM, David Reid <dreid@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We plan to include Carla on the invite (attached). We will be sending this to our list tomorrow morning at around 10AM. Please let me know if you have any changes beforehand.

Thanks!

David

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To: ["Mary Podesta" <podesta.mary@gmail.com>](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

Date: 1/31/2016 3:08:59 PM

Subject: As posted on Facebook, a few of the very best in our lives. Love, T



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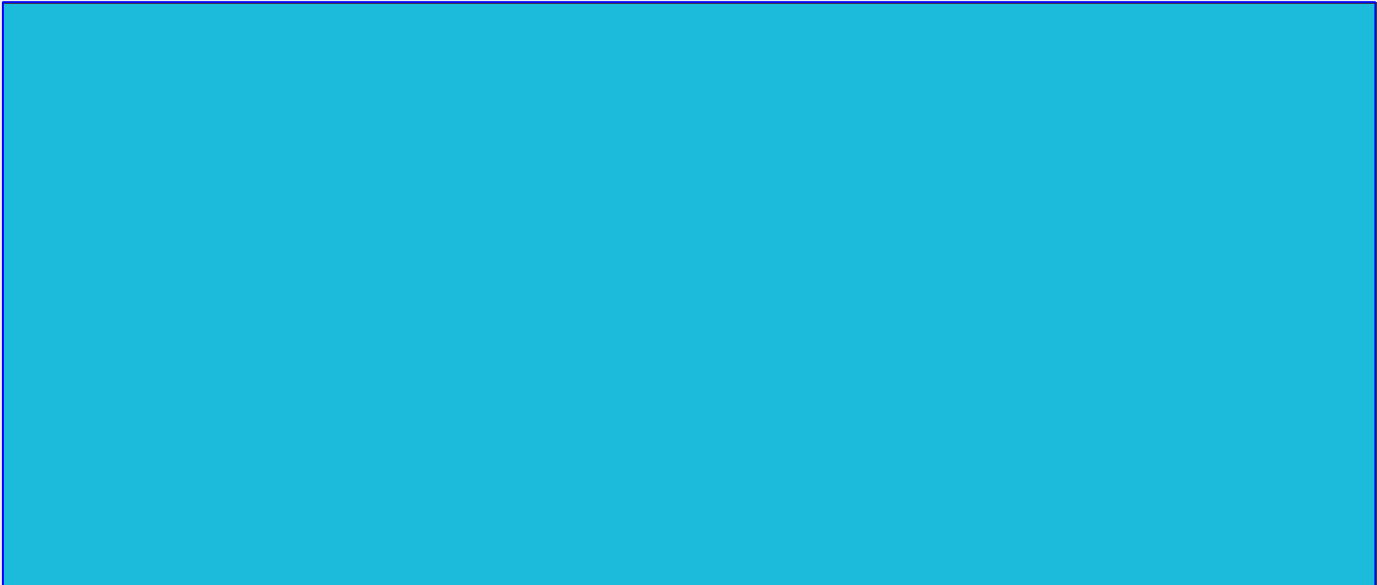
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Subject: Tell us about your trip on 2/12/2016 from Chicago to Las Vegas



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Date:	11/13/2014 7:48:57 AM
Subject:	Thursday, November 20: Visit of Yvonne Tew
Attachments:	YTew-Arbitrating God-Job Talk (1).pdf Yvonne Tew - C.V..pdf

Dear Colleagues:

Yvonne Tew, our fourth entry-level candidate, will be here next Thursday, November 20th. I am attaching her CV and job talk paper, entitled "Arbitrating God," which proposes a framework based on considerations of both consent and conscience for assessing when secular courts should scrutinize religious arbitration.

Yvonne's schedule for next Thursday is below. **I have a few faculty signed up for office visits, but need more.** Please sign up for one of the faculty small group meetings by responding to me (rbarnett@gmail.com) with your choice. If you would like to join the dinner, contact me or Jim Feinerman (feinerma@law.georgetown.edu), who is setting it up

Schedule for Yvonne Tew
Thursday, November 20, 2014

Wednesday

11:15am - 12:00pm Meeting with Dean Treanor

Thursday

9:45am - 10:30am Small Group Meeting with Faculty in Anne Fleming's office, McD 416
(with Josh Teitelbaum)

10:45am - 11:15am Meeting with Greg Klass

11:15am - 11:45am Tour of campus

12:00pm - 1:20pm Faculty Workshop: Arbitrating God

1:45pm - 2:25pm Small Group Meeting With Faculty in Lisa Heinzerling's office, McD 493
(with David Cole)

2:35pm - 3:20pm Small Group Meeting with Faculty in Eloise Pasachoff, McD 432

3:40pm - 4:20pm Meeting with Students

Thursday night dinner at 6:30pm with faculty, hosted by Jim Feinerman

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To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
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Date: 11/11/2015 6:22:56 AM

Subject: RE: Cary Fowler

Ok thanks!

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Wednesday, November 11, 2015 1:12 PM

To: Dennis Cheng <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com> ; Michael Smith <msmith@hillaryclinton.com> ; Charles Baker <cbaker@hillaryclinton.com>

Subject: Cary Fowler

Had a good meeting with him. Compared notes on the 1968 McCarthy campaign. He and Amy will host a high \$ fundraiser at their place if we want. Pushed him on HVF as our top ask, but also made the case for Priorities. They are doing a lot for the Senate and planned parenthood. They have also made a pledge to Brock, but I think Media Matters, not CTR.

From: "[Alexia Kelley](mailto:AKelley@catholicsinalliance.org)" <AKelley@catholicsinalliance.org>
 To: "[Alexia Kelley](mailto:AKelley@catholicsinalliance.org)" <AKelley@catholicsinalliance.org>
 Date: 12/16/2008 11:22:23 PM
 Subject: Transition Meeting -- please do not forward this email

Dear Alliance Advisors and Partners,

Yesterday our Catholics in Alliance Community met with the Obama-Biden Transition team. Catholics in Alliance organized the meeting as part of our movement coordination and support work. The agenda and Catholics in Alliance participating organizations (14) that attended are copied below.

It was a very productive conversation, and we felt that the transition staff understood the breadth and strength of the Catholic common good movement, as well as our community's policy priorities and expertise. We also had substantive policy dialogue around various justice and peace concerns within the policy categories we discussed. The transition staff included the Director of Public Liaison, Mike Strautmanis, and [top staff](#) to the Domestic Policy Council director Melody Barnes; as well as the transition's religious outreach staff, Joshua DuBois (Director), Mark Linton (Catholic outreach) and Mara Vanderslice (public liaison-faith community). The issues priorities we presented were the top 5 themes that were represented in the Platform for the Common Good which 20 participating organizations and over 800 grassroots Catholic leaders affirmed in July at the first-ever national Convention for the Common Good.

Thank you for your continued support that makes this work possible. As always, your comments and questions welcome!

Best regards, Alexia

Catholics in Alliance Meeting with the Obama-Biden Transition team

Introductions

11:00 Welcome by Joshua Dubois, Director of Religious Affairs, Introduce Mark Linton and Mara Vanderslice
 11:05 Round of Introductions of Alliance Community
 11:15 Joshua Dubois introduces Michael Strautmanis, Director of Office of Public Liaison/Intergovernmental Affairs

Presentation by the Alliance Community

11:25 Alexia Kelley introduces [Catholics in Alliance](#) context

5 brief presentations on following topics:

International development/diplomacy: Kristen Sampson, Center of Concern, Jean Stokan, Pax Christi

Health care reform: Sr. Marie Lucey, Leadership Conference of Women Religious

Comprehensive immigration reform: Anne Boyle, Sisters of Mercy

Poverty reduction/economic justice:

Economy, Social Safety Net, Sr. Simone Campbell, NETWORK,
 Abortion reduction, [Workers' Rights](#), James Salt, Catholics United

Environment: Kathy McNeely, Maryknoll Office for Global Concerns

Dialogu

11:50 Dialogue and Discussion
 12:00 Response to Discussion Topics by Mike Strautmanis
 12:10 Closing Remarks
 12:15 Adjourn

Participants:

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Date: 8/17/2015 7:03:42 AM
Subject: Re: Colorado-Federico Pena and Mayor Hancock

Can I call you early evening your time?

On Aug 17, 2015 1:05 PM, "Ken Salazar" <kennethlsalazar@gmail.com> wrote:

John,

I had lunch with Federico. Do you have a few minutes to discuss? If so, what would be a good time to call you?

Ken
Sent from my iPad

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Date: 12/1/2008 12:15:46 PM

Subject: Agenda for Call at 9:15 pm Eastern Tonight

Reminder the call is an hour earlier - 9:15 pm Eastern/8:15 pm central because the President Elect is on the east coast.

1. Governors meeting
2. possible Wednesday announcement
3. TARP update

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Date: 2/12/2016 10:32:52 AM

Subject: Re: MKA

Great  
Love it.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 12, 2016, at 5:31 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Talked to her this am. Yes let's tweet.

How about: Must read: my friend Madeleine Albright--exceptional grace and never-ending commitment.  
If she' on Twitter substitute handle.

On Friday, February 12, 2016, Sara Latham <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

show here some love, tweet this ?

or leave it.

<http://www.nytimes.com/2016/02/13/opinion/madeleine-albright-my-undiplomatic-moment.html>

From: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
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Date: 4/16/2015 11:44:54 AM  
Subject: Fwd: Foreign registered agents

Marc made a convincing case to me this am that these sorts of restrictions don't really get you anything...that Obama actually got judged MORE harshly as a result. He convinced me. So...in a complete U-turn, I'm ok just taking the money and dealing with any attacks.

Are you guys ok with that?

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From: Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: Thu, Apr 16, 2015 at 6:13 PM  
Subject: RE: Foreign registered agents  
To: Marc Elias <[melias@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:melias@hillaryclinton.com)>, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)>  
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Hi all – we really need to make a final decision on this. We're getting to the point of no return...

**From:** Marc Elias [mailto:[melias@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:melias@hillaryclinton.com)]  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 16, 2015 7:38 AM  
**To:** Robby Mook  
**Cc:** Dennis Cheng; Karuna Seshasai; Huma Abedin; Jesse Ferguson; Kristina Schake; Tony Carrk; Rebecca Leal; Nicholas Pancrazio; Beth Jones; John Podesta

Subject: Re: Foreign registered agents

If we do it case by case, then it will be subjective. We would look at who the donor is and what foreign entity they are registered for. In judging whether to take the money, we would consider the relationship between that country and the United States, its relationship to the State Department during Hillary's time as Secretary, and its relationship, if any, to the Foundation. In judging the individual, we would look at their history of support for political candidates generally and Hillary's past campaigns specifically.

Put simply, we would use the same criteria we use for lobbyists, except with a somewhat more stringent screen.

As a legal matter, I am not saying we have to do this - we can decide to simply ban foreign registrants entirely. I'm just offering this up as a middle ground.

On Thu, Apr 16, 2015 at 7:04 AM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Where do we draw the line though?

On Apr 15, 2015, at 11:22 PM, Marc Elias <[melias@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:melias@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:



Responding to all on this. I was not on the call this morning, but I lean away from a bright line rule here. It seems odd to say that someone who represents Alberta, Canada can't give, but a lobbyist for Phillip Morris can. Just as we vet lobbyists case by case, I would do the same with FARA. While this may lead to a large number of FARA registrants being denied, it would not be a flat out ban. A total ban feels arbitrary and will engender the same eye-rolling and ill will that it did for Obama.

On Wed, Apr 15, 2015 at 11:09 PM, Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hi all – we do need to make a decision on this ASAP as our friends who happen to be registered with FARA are already donating and raising.

I do want to push back a bit (it's my job!): I feel like we are leaving a good amount of money on the table (both for primary and general, and then DNC and state parties)... and how do we explain to people that we'll take money from a corporate lobbyist but not them; that the Foundation takes \$ from foreign govts but we now won't.

Either way, we need to make a decision soon.

**From:** Karuna Seshasai [mailto:[kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com)] ]

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 14, 2015 10:35 PM

**To:** Huma Abedin

**Cc:** Robby Mook; Dennis Cheng; Jesse Ferguson; Marc Elias; Kristina Schake; Tony Carrk; Rebecca Leal; Nicholas Pancrazio; Beth Jones; John Podesta

**Subject:** Re: Foreign registered agents

Following up on the call from 9:30.

The policy would be to not allow any currently registered foreign agents (those who register with FARA) to contribute or raise for the campaign. If someone terminates their registration, they would be allowed to contribute or raise for the campaign.

Marc, we'd especially like your perspective on adopting this policy..

On Tue, Apr 14, 2015 at 5:06 PM, Huma Abedin <[ha16@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

That would be helpful.

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On Apr 14, 2015, at 4:05 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Not to get too processy...but could you, me, Podesta, Tony, (and Huma if possible) and someone from comms do a quick 10 min call on this? We'll finalize a decision.

On Tue, Apr 14, 2015 at 12:57 PM, Karuna Seshasai <[kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Wanted to follow back up on this.

We're consistently flagging more FARA registrants daily. In terms of # - we're at 27 out of 370 prospective bundlers - but to Jesse's question - that does not represent the costs of how much these folks would likely raise.

If we were looking at these folks below on a case by case basis, I'd want to specifically raise: Tony Podesta (Iraq, Azerbaijan, Egypt), Ben Barnes (Libya), John Merrigan (UAE), Wyeth Weidman (Libya), and Mike Driver (UAE connections)

On Mon, Apr 13, 2015 at 3:18 PM, Karuna Seshasai <[kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yes, it's attached and also copied/pasted below.

This is only 23 names of the first 350 prospective bundlers we looked at pre-launch. I anticipate more coming down the pipeline.

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| John        | Breaux     | Patton Boggs                       | The Kurdistan regional Government (5/18/14 - Current), Government of the Republic of Cyprus (8/4/09 -10/31/11), Embassy of India, Embassy of the Republic of Peru, Government of the Republic of Cyprus (10/20/08- 10/31/11), (9/25/07- 10/31/11), (2/27/07- 10/31/11); and Breaux Lott Leadership Group for Government of Taiwan, Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office (5/21/09- 5/11/10)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| John        | Merrigan   | DLA Piper LLP                      | Presidential Campaign of Hipolito Mejia; Embassy of the UAE (1/30/12 - Current), Embassy of the UAE; Executive Office of Dubai; Government of Turkey; Government of Ethiopia; Senado de Maxico; Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Prime Minister and Vice President of the UAE, Sheikh Hamdan Bin Rashid AL Maktoum, Minister of Finance and Industry of the UAE, the Executive Office (12/15/08 - Current), Executive Office of Dubai; Government of Turkey; Government of Ethiopia; Senado de Maxico; Borse Dubai Limited; Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Prime Minister and Vice President of the UAE, Sheikh Hamdan Bin Rashid AL Maktoum, Minister of Finance and Industry of the UAE, the Executive Office (6/26/08 - Current), (11/2/07, 5/10/07, 12/8/06, 11/20/06, 5/4/06); and Verner, Liipfert, Bernhard, McPherson & Hand, Chartered for (3/6/02, 4/26/01, 12/16/98, 10/3/97, 12/5/95, 6/2/95, 9/19/88, 8/5/85- 6/3/94) |
| Jonathon    | Jones      | Peck Madigan Jones                 | Embassy of New Zealand (6/10/13 - Current), ProExport Colombia (4/22/11- 10/31/11)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Michael     | Smith      | Cornerstone Governmen Affairs, LLC | Justice Equality Movement Embassy of the Republic of Korea (1/16/15 - Current), LNG Allies Inc (7/2/14 - Current), Embassy of the Republic of Korea (3/7/14 - Current)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Paul        | Brathwaite | Podesta Group                      | Embassy of Japan, Federal Republic of Somalia (9/16/13 - Current), Republic of Albania; National Security Council of georgia; Embassy of Japan (7/29/11- 6/30/12), Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt (4/1/09- 12/31/10) and PLM Group for Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt (4/24/08- 3/1/09)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Thomas      | Daschle    | Daschle Group                      | Taipei Economic and cultural representative Office (3/16/15 - Current)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Wyeth       | Wiedeman   | Ben Barnes Group                   | National Board for the Following Up and Recovering of the Libyan Looted and Disguised Funds of the Transitional Government of Libya, through Washington African Consulting Group, Inc (12/3/14 - Current); and Sharp & Barnes LLP for The Republic of Colombia Federacion Nacional de Departamentos (2/2/11- 11/1/11)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

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| Larry         | Rasky       | Rasky Baerlein Strategic Communications                                     | Socialist Party of Albania (3/29/2010 - 9/22/2010) and Serbia Investment and Export Promotion Agency (10/26/2008 - 9/22/2010)                                                                                                                               |
| David         | Castagnetti | Mehlman Vogel Castagnetti                                                   | Embassy of Panama (5/24/11 - 5/15/12); Province of Alberta Canada (3/20/13- 6/1/13)                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Gerald        | Cassidy     | Cassidy & Associates (10/4/07- 12/31/10; 8/27/91- 12/1/00; 6/4/84- 11/2/84) |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Gov. Jim      | Blanchard   | DLA Piper US LLP (11/25/1991- 12/09/1992; 4/14/2009- 9/15/2010)             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| James "Jimmy" | Ryan        | Elmendorf Ryan                                                              | Colombian Foreign Investment and Export Promotion Agency (4/21/11 -10/13/11)                                                                                                                                                                                |
| John          | Quinn       | Quinn Gillespie & Associates                                                | Japan External Trade Organization; Shining Prospect; Government of Macedonia; Government of Republika Srpska (3/17/09 - 10/1/11); Shining Prospect, Government of Macedonia, Government of Republika Srpska (2/19/09); (6/20/07, 6/1/06, 12/22/04- 6/30/05) |
| Kelly         | Bingel      | Mehlman Vogel Castagnetti)                                                  | Embassy of Panama (5/24/11- 5/15/12), Province of Alberta Canada (3/20/13- 6/1/13)                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Mike          | Driver      | Squire Patton Boggs                                                         | Al-Hamar Trading Group (6/21/12- 6/26/13); (6/16/03- 12/31/05)                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Norm          | Brownstein  | Brownstwin Hyatt Farber Schreck (7/2/07- 10/17/07)                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Steve         | Elmendorf   | Elmendorf Ryan                                                              | Colombian Foreign Investment and Export Promotion Agency (4/21/11- 10/13/11)                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Vic           | Fazio       | Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld                                              | Hong kong Trade Development Council (2/21/12; 6/24/05); and Clark & Weinstock (1/26/05- 5/31/05), (9/10/01- 6/30/03)                                                                                                                                        |

On Mon, Apr 13, 2015 at 3:07 PM, Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Karuna, can you recirculate the list of foreign agents that we know of so far? It's not a huge # in terms of the # of people - but it does include people we are close with like Tony Podesta, DLA Piper, etc.

On Mon, Apr 13, 2015 at 3:05 PM, Jesse Ferguson <[jferguson@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jferguson@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Is there anyway to ballpark what percent of our donor base this would apply to (aka how much money we're throwing away)

Cost benefits are easier to analyze with the costs. :)

On Mon, Apr 13, 2015 at 2:59 PM, Marc Elias <[melias@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:melias@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

This is really a straight up political call. One middle option is to take case by case. If, for example,

they are FARA registered for Canada, we may not case. If for N. Korea we would.

But really comm's call.

On Mon, Apr 13, 2015 at 2:46 PM, Karuna Seshasai <[kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kseshasai@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+ Nick and Beth.

Want to add that these folks can also be divided into two categories - those who lobbied while HRC was at State and those who are currently registered.

On Mon, Apr 13, 2015 at 2:40 PM, Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We really need make a policy decision on this soon - whether we are allowing those lobbying on behalf of foreign governments to raise \$ for the campaign. Or case by case.

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To: [Announcements <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 10/3/2014 6:20:49 AM  
Subject: Urgent Request for help with Arabic Translation

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Hello Georgetown!

My partner and I are student representatives for the CALS clinic here at GULC. We have an urgent need for an Arabic interpreter-- preferably someone that speaks Sudanese Arabic-- for Monday the 6th (this coming Monday).

Any help would be much appreciated & any time you spend on this would go towards your pro bono hours.

If you are interested in helping please contact:

[od56@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:od56@law.georgetown.edu) <<mailto:od56@law.georgetown.edu>> or  
[zo10@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:zo10@law.georgetown.edu) <<mailto:zo10@law.georgetown.edu>>

Thanks and all the best!

Olivia Davis  
Zana Operta

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From: "[Amanda Renteria](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)" <[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "[Cheryl Mills](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

Date: 10/24/2015 5:24:10 AM

Subject: Re: Abolish the Benghazi Committee

There's a lot of work on this on both sides of the Capitol.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 24, 2015, at 10:22 AM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

Not sure if there is coordinated action to do these but would be great if folks are

cdm

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Glenn Ivey" <[glenn@iveyforcongress.com](mailto:glenn@iveyforcongress.com)>

Date: October 24, 2015 at 10:15:38 AM EDT

To: "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

Subject: Abolish the Benghazi Committee

Reply-To: [info@iveyforcongress.com](mailto:info@iveyforcongress.com)



Dear Cheryl,

Watching the coverage of the Benghazi Committee's interrogation of Secretary Clinton Thursday brought back a lot of memories from my time on Capitol Hill. As Senator Paul Sarbanes' Legal Counsel, I sat on the Whitewater Committee and had to put up with a lot of the same partisan political games. And now, as was then, the Republican machine's obsession with taking down the Clintons failed, backfired even.

In the process, all House Republicans seemed to achieve was wasting a lot of taxpayer dollars on a partisan witch hunt.

So, in recognition of the House Republicans' failure to ruin Secretary Clinton's chances at becoming our next President, I am calling on Congress to put an end to the partisan political games and abolish the Select Committee on Benghazi.

If you agree with me, then I encourage you to sign your name to our petition [here](#) and I will personally hand deliver it to Paul Ryan's desk when he becomes Speaker.

They can only ignore us if they can't hear us. [Be heard. Sign your name today](#).

Thank you for all that you do,



Glenn

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From: "Sgt. John Fenimore" <info@johndouglassforcongress.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/5/2012 12:50:03 PM

Subject: he's a real hero

John -

I am writing to express my support for Brigadier General John Douglass' candidacy for the House of Representatives. During my last assignment in the Army I was General Douglass' driver and a member of his security detail. I was severely injured during an attack on General Douglass' home by terrorists. General Douglass' faith in me never wavered and I was asked to resume my duties after I was released from the hospital. I have been with General Douglass in times of extreme danger and stress and know him to be a true leader.

Now he is defending my benefits as a 100% disabled veteran. He will never allow our country to turn its back on those of us who have served. I urge all veterans in Virginia to support General Douglass in this coming election. Now politicians who have never served a day in the uniform of our country are attempting to swift boat General Douglass. Those of us who served with him there during the multiple attacks on his life know the truth. He is a leader who will never let us down.

Sgt. John Fenimore  
USA Army (Ret)



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Congress

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From: "Sean Patrick Maloney" <info@seanmaloney.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/4/2013 9:03:31 AM

Subject: Voting on ENDA today!



John,

In just a few hours, the Senate's due to vote on the Employment Non-Discrimination Act.

Finally.

This is a HUGE step for equality, but only if it passes: Mere consideration is not enough - not even close.

There's nothing controversial about extending basic workplace protections to LGBT employees. Unfortunately, there are forces of the status quo determined to stand against anything and everything.

Don't let them stop what's right. Speak out before the vote!

[Join my colleagues and me to tell the Senate: Pass ENDA and protect Americans everywhere from workplace discrimination.](#)

Thank you for always fighting for progress,

Sean

**Contribute**

This email was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com.

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To: ["All Faculty and Staff" <AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 5/15/2015 8:59:53 AM  
Subject: Dean's Office

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Dear Law Center Community,

I want to share with you that we are transitioning in the Dean's Office and that we are currently interviewing candidates to serve as Executive Assistant to the Dean. We look forward to making a decision soon, however, until then please direct your meeting and scheduling request(s) to me. The Dean's administrative staff remain as always committed to providing you courteous and responsive customer service.

Sincerely,

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From: "Varun Anand" <[vanand@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: 8/23/2015 7:41:51 AM

Subject: Re: HRC Video Call

Okay sounds good - I'll adjust the invite.

On Aug 23, 2015, at 2:40 PM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I think 7:15 would give John a little more time and but keep the call from bumping up against an event he has at 8:00.

On Sun, Aug 23, 2015 at 2:36 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Should we move to 7:30?

Also, Is Teddy's team working on the video? Do we know when they'll have smthg we can see?

On Aug 23, 2015, at 2:20 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Getting off a plane right around then so may be a few minutes late

On Sunday, August 23, 2015, Varun Anand <[vanand@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Great, locking in 7pm. Please use this dial-in: [718-514-6773](tel:718-514-6773)

On Aug 23, 2015, at 12:25 PM, Brian Fallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Ok.

On Sunday, August 23, 2015, Varun Anand <[vanand@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Brian, does 7 work for you? Good for everyone else.

On Aug 23, 2015, at 11:33 AM, Christina Reynolds <[creynolds@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:creynolds@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Same here.

On Sun, Aug 23, 2015 at 11:26 AM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I'm open anytime

> On Aug 23, 2015, at 11:21 AM, Varun Anand <[vanand@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:vanand@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

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> Hi everyone,

>  
> We'd like to get this group together this evening for a call about  
> releasing the HRC video. Please let me know what works after 5pm.  
> Thanks!

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Brad Johnson" <[climatebrad@gmail.com](mailto:climatebrad@gmail.com)>

Date: 9/11/2015 9:54:32 AM

Subject: Re: quick note

Thanks

Hope you are doing well.

On Sep 11, 2015 2:35 PM, "Brad Johnson" <[climatebrad@gmail.com](mailto:climatebrad@gmail.com)> wrote:

John - I wanted to say that although I'm not sold on Hillary Clinton's politics, the non-stop, egregious, vacuous, and antagonistic pummeling she's getting from the press (who seem to revel in their vapidness) is making me more and more supportive of the campaign every day. I honestly think the debates can't happen soon enough - it might help the other candidates a bit but Clinton deserves some unfiltered time with the national public.

I hope you're well -

Brad

P.S. I just went to the Hillary Clinton youtube channel and watched <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BdxSCJyiKU> and the next video that came up - on autoplay - was a crazed right-wing anti-Hillary video (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1mYW5nmS9ps> ).

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| To:      | <a href="mailto:johnpodesta@gmail.com">johnpodesta@gmail.com</a> |
| Date:    | 7/1/2008 11:34:21 AM                                             |
| Subject: | Stylish detail of yourself. The best models of watches.          |

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To: ["Heather Boushey" <HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org>](mailto:HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org)  
Date: 5/13/2015 8:29:10 AM  
Subject: Re: Did you ask Herb about Steve being on our board?

Let's hold till Friday when we can discuss.

On Wednesday, May 13, 2015, Heather Boushey <[HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org](mailto:HBoushey@equitablegrowth.org)> wrote:

Hello John,

I talked to Herb today about Ira and Herb would like to see the memo about the board. I'd like to send him, Susan, and Steve the attached memo but it discusses a role for Steve Daetz, which you and I discussed a while back. However, you said in our last conversation that you wanted to check with Herb first — did you? I don't want to edit out a "Sandler role," and we discussed Steve being on the board in our March meeting, but don't want to send this if having Steve's name in here is weird from your perspective. Please let me know how to proceed.

Best,  
Heather

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From: "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>  
To: "Robert Mook" <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)>  
Date: 12/19/2014 4:46:27 AM  
Subject: Re: Update

will send my comments in advance of our call Sunday

On Thu, Dec 18, 2014 at 8:19 AM, Robert Mook <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)> wrote:  
Adding a different email for Cheryl on here.

On Wed, Dec 17, 2014 at 8:09 PM, Huma Abedin <[huma@hrcoffice.com](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

Robby, just spoke with Joel Benenson. He's working on a memo with his thoughts that we should have in 24 hours but I told him you would be reaching out to him directly. He's aware of her meetings today and has basic sense of plan but could use a conversation with you. He's in mexico and then montana till beginning of the year fyi.

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**From:** Robert Mook <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 17, 2014 8:01:13 PM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Cc:** John Podesta; Cheryl Mills n  
**Subject:** Re: Update

We had a good meeting today to ratify the research plan and discuss staffing structure and talent. Few things to report out:

1. We seem to have a settled on a team for the research project--we just need to lock in the media people. Attached is the latest draft of the one pager. I'm hoping to get the team discussing and editing the project design over the holiday so we can present a proposal to HRC at the beginning of Jan. Fingers crossed.
2. Good discussion about digital and tech. I think we have some good digital options...she approved setting up an interview process for CTO candidates, since we want someone outside politics for this role and we need outside advice on candidates.
3. Self research: Cheryl, she wanted to keep Heather and the team going from DC. I flagged that we will likely need to expand the team to 5-10 people, which she seemed fine with. I also flagged that self research is so integral to rapid response, vetting, content, etc that we'd probably want a contingent in HQ to prevent bottlenecks. We agreed I'd loop back with you to discuss options--I think a hybrid model may work. Let's discuss.
4. We had a good discussion about communications. John there are some WH people I'd like to discuss. I'll follow up. Any names welcome!

On Wed, Dec 17, 2014 at 1:41 PM, Huma Abedin <[huma@hrcoffice.com](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

Meant to email sooner that she was seeing Pollack and Anzalone today.  
She seemed to like both of them and basically told them both they would be part of this initial plan. No promises.

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| Date:        | 5/3/2015 5:03:52 PM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Subject:     | Invitation: Call to Discuss Finance Presentation Update @ Mon May 4, 2015 6:30pm - 7:30pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
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Skimm for August 21st

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#### QUOTE OF THE DAY

'I have been the biggest hypocrite ever' — The ever-charming [Josh Duggar](#). The recent [Ashley Madison hack](#) revealed he'd been cheating on his wife, in between dealing with the fall-out from accusations that he molested his sisters. 19 problems and counting.

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#### SNAPS FOR GREECE

##### THE STORY

Yesterday, Greek Prime Minister Alexis Tsipras decided Greece's summer wasn't eventful enough. So he [resigned](#) and called for snap elections.

##### REFRESHER PLEASE.

Greece [went broke](#) a few years ago. In exchange for bailout money from international creditors, the country had to accept austerity measures (think: tax hikes and pension cuts). Greeks hated austerity. So earlier this year, they elected Tsipras, who promised he'd get rid of it. But it turns out when you have hundreds of billions of dollars in loans to pay back, you can't always call the shots. After missing a payday deadline, Tsipras had to accept a [new bailout deal](#) with – surprise, surprise – lots of austerity. The eurozone officially approved that deal last week.

##### SO WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW?

Snap elections– AKA elections that happen way before they are supposed to. Lots of people in Tsipras's left-leaning party are not happy with the recent new deal. So instead of talking it out, Tsipras is having Greeks go back to the polls for a snap election to vote for a new government as soon as next month. The catch? All signs point to Tsipras getting [re-elected](#). See what he did there?

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Greece has been to financial hell and back, and it's not out of the woods yet. The snap elections are Tsipras's way of making a bet on himself, hoping that voters will stay behind him...even after he's gone against his original campaign promises.

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If you missed how this big, fat, Greek mess all happened... [we Skimm'd it for you](#).

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## WHAT TO SAY TO YOUR FRIEND WHO'S TRYING TO 'LIVE IN THE MOMENT'...

Take a page from [Jimmy Carter](#). Yesterday, the 39th US president announced that he's undergoing treatment for melanoma on his brain. The 90-year-old also managed to do this while smiling, making lots of jokes, and saying he is "perfectly at ease with whatever comes." Last week, Carter announced that doctors had removed cancer from his liver, and that it had spread to other parts of his body. After yesterday's press conference, Carter began radiation treatments on his brain.

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## WHAT TO SAY WHEN YOUR DATE THINKS OYSTERS ACTUALLY WORK...

Not like this. Earlier this week, the FDA approved a drug called Addyi that promises to rev up women's libidos. And since sex sells, a big pharmaceutical company would like to tap it. Yesterday, [pharma giant Valeant said it's buying Sprout Pharmaceuticals](#) - the company that makes Addyi - for \$1 billion. Addyi's the first drug on the market that promises to bring women more "sexually satisfying events." Yes, plural. But it's not clear whether the drug will be a commercial hit like Viagra. It comes with side effects like fainting and low blood pressure, especially when paired with alcohol. Buzz, killed.

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## WHAT PEOPLE ARE TALKING ABOUT...

Wildfires. This week, [three firefighters died](#) in Washington state while fighting massive wildfires. More than 100 wildfires have recently broken out in the western US, and about one million acres have been burned. And it's not the only reason meteorologists are pulling all nighters. Yesterday, the [first hurricane of the season](#) arrived in the Atlantic Ocean. It's named Danny because Dan sounded too threatening. It won't make landfall until next week, and it's expected to hit somewhere in the Caribbean.

## WHAT TO SAY TO YOUR BROTHER WHO'S A WWII HISTORY NERD...

Heard about the [Nazi train](#)? Legend has it that at the end of WWII, a Nazi train carrying looted gold and art disappeared into an underground tunnel system in Poland. It hasn't been seen since. Yesterday, Polish officials said they've been contacted by a lawyer representing two men who say they know where the train is. But the men aren't telling...unless they get 10% of the value of what's in it. Classy. Some historians are throwing shade, saying they doubt the claim is legit. But, based on the documents sent by the lawyer, Polish officials say they are taking this seriously. They've also been meeting with firefighters, police, and military. That's because if this really is the train, it could be armed with explosives. Nicolas Cage is now on standby.

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## WHAT TO SAY WHEN YOU HEAR ABOUT BANKSY'S DISNEYLAND SPOOF...

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Date: 7/14/2015 1:17:52 PM  
Subject: Re: Fw: Psychosis of the media

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We will send him the statement we wrote for Nick.

On Tue, Jul 14, 2015 at 8:14 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

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To: "[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Cc:

Hi John --

Just tracked down this gmail address, which I assume is the one you actually use... do you want to comment/clarify your remarks on the psychosis of the media, etc? (see below)

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**Subject:** Psychosis of the media

Hi John,

This is Dylan Byers at POLITICO -- I'm wondering if you'd like to comment on this report <http://conservativeblackchick.com/blog/2015/07/14/overheard-at-the-liquor-store-hillarys-worried-about-jeb/>, and specifically if you'd like to clarify your remarks about the "psychosis of the media"?

I'm at [571-269-1882](tel:571-269-1882) if phone is easier,

My best,

Dylan

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Date: 1/5/2016 2:34:59 PM

Subject: Draft AGENDA Jan. 12th Union Presidents Mtg.

Attachments: Labor Meeting 1.12.16.docx

Hi John- We're hoping to get your feedback on agenda by Thursday morning if possible.

Navin and I worked thru this draft agenda for the Labor Presidents meeting on Jan. 12th from 9-11am at AFT. I have shared a preliminary agenda with Randi as well for feedback, since I know some of this meeting's idea came from a conversation with her. We have incorporate her feedback.

Please let us know your feedback and once this agenda is confirmed Navin is going build a presentation. Confirmed to attend for the campaign, will be Navin, Joel Benenson, myself and you of course.

Confirmed Union Attendees:

- President Randi Weingarten and John Ost (AFT)
- President Jim Callahan and Jeff Soth (IUOE)
- President Doug McCarron, Frank Spencer (VP) & Tom Flynn (UBC)
- President Sean McGarvey and Mike Monroe (NABTU)
- Special Assistant to President Rick Terven (UA)
- Vice President Terry Lynch and Chip Gardiner (Insulators)
- Chief Of Staff Owen Hernstadt and Hasan Solomon (IAMAW)
- Other unions confirmed to attend and waiting on attendees names: AFSCME, SEIU, NEA, IUPAT, AFGE, LIUNA, Ironworkers

Feedback and comments on attached agenda:

- Under "Introductions" I think a big thank you will be important. Labor in 2015 contributed \$5.75 to Priorities and \$1 million to the Hillary Victory Fund in addition to the member to member paid mail communications program and on the ground resources (AFSCME had 70 members hit yesterday in IA, as an example). The NEA is moving forward on a message training with 80 of their rank and file members from the March primary states to prepare them to be communicators. They are bringing these members into DC on Jan. 22-24th and the campaign will participate in this program.
- Under the section of "Goals & Overview of Meeting"-John, I think it would be helpful if you could provide a quick snapshot/lay of the land for the primary. I think they will be interested in pre NH and then our March plan. Can I help you with any preparation?
- What are your thoughts about me speaking to our labor mobilization efforts in state and where our needs are moving forward in the primary? This seems like a good opportunity to outline where our most pressing field needs are while we have a captive audience. I know that's not the primary purpose of the meeting, so wanted to run by you.
- Feedback from Randi was to focus on the primary and message and spend less time on general. The agenda reflects that but connecting the primary and general are obviously important so its in there.
- Regarding the bullet point for "Discussion, how to engage union members" I thought I would tee up a few unions (NEA and AFSCME and a trade union) to talk about their member engagement programs to date and what they're hearing on the ground. I thought this could help initiate discussion and Q&A.
- One thing to flag is that the public sector unions have invested a lot in economic framework messaging, I am sure they will refer to this in the meeting. They did this in coordination with the AFL-CIO. I don't think we need to proactively add it to the agenda unless you disagree, but I'm sure they will mention it.

Navin and I will await your feedback and then prepare documents from there. I'll have a event memo for you.

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Subject: Re: Thought after reading thrush

I agree that it's a good idea. Though hard to imagine doing it without giving them some kind of campaign briefing or discussion.

Which reporters are you thinking about?

Mandy Grunwald  
Grunwald Communications  
202 973-9400

> On Mar 14, 2015, at 12:41 PM, "Margolis, Jim" <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com> wrote:

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> this is a good idea.

> Mandy and i are gone that week however.

> Can we look for some alternate dates?

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> From: Robby Mook [robbymook2015@gmail.com]

> Sent: Saturday, March 14, 2015 12:32 PM

> To: Jennifer Palmieri

> Cc: Joel Benenson; John Podesta; Margolis, Jim; Mandy Grunwald; Kristina Schake; John Anzalone; Huma Abedin

> Subject: Re: Thought after reading thrush

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> I'm fine with it.

> I think, though, as soon as we do it we probably need to dial up what we feed them, since these other people are giving them lots of content and they'll just go back to them if we don't. Jen I defer if waiting a week helps us in that regard.

> The other thing we'd need to be very careful about from a compliance perspective is that we are volunteering to help her make a final decision. We haven't been "hired" and she hasn't decided to run. It's very important we make that clear.

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>> On Mar 14, 2015, at 12:22 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> I had an idea along the same lines - which was for John to invite the ten to fifteen reporters who will cover HRC everyday to his house for an off the record dinner with all of us. Maybe do the week of March 23.

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>> We would be clear that this was a social, get to know you session, and not to expect any briefing on the campaign. But we could use that setting to make clear that we are the group leading the campaign, not others.

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>> That wouldn't preclude us from making calls Joel suggests now. Defer to John and Robby as to whether they think this is right moment to undertake this kind of explicit effort.

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>> Sent from my iPad

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>>> On Mar 14, 2015, at 11:31 AM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

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>>> Wonder if we shouldn't parcel out reporters for each of us to call and say the only people they should trust are those on this calls and that others from the Clinton Diaspora are just not reliable sources.

>>> Juts trying to think if we can slow the key 10-15 key reporters or/columnists.

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**From:** Satyam Khanna  
**Sent:** Friday, November 14, 2008 8:27 AM  
**To:** PR Core  
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## **Fox News Sunday's Best Ever\***

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Fox News Sunday had a 3.5 rating in DC beating CBS' Face the Nation and ABC's This Week. Pres.-elect Obama's transition co-chair [John Podesta](#) was a guest. The Total Viewer averages are below.

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Date: 4/28/2015 5:45:53 AM  
Subject: Re: TWEETS 4/28

Great! Will schedule the Baltimore and SCOTUS tweets.

On Apr 28, 2015, at 12:44 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Do the first two.

On Apr 28, 2015 10:22 AM, "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
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*POSSIBLE TWEET: Do you want to avoid weighing in on Baltimore? This is an article with some interesting data if you don't want to make a direct statement:*

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Watching you today, #SCOTUS. I think we're all looking forward to being on the right side of history #LoveMustWin (114)

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**Alyse Nelson**  
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**Sent:** Sun Nov 16 12:26:19 2008

**Subject:** Call with the President Elect Tonight

We are going to have the call with the President-Election at 8:30 pm Central tonight. Agenda to be circulated later.

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Participant Passcode: 1857092

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To: ["Kathleen Sebelius" <kgsebelius@gmail.com>](mailto:kgsebelius@gmail.com)
Date: 10/14/2015 11:54:21 AM
Subject: Re: last night

Thanks Kathleen. I was really proud of her. I thought she rocked it. Also not easy to keep your head straight after the last 2 months. Nice feedback, especially about your assistant. We need her!
Can we get you on our official Kansas steering committee? Call you tomorrow to talk about that?

Very strong night for HRC. Have had several conversations today with folks who were previously lukewarm and now are fired up. Most interesting was my former HHS career assistant, mid-50's AA woman who LOVES POTUS but never liked HRC. She told me today that she really liked her for the first time, and is ready to roll up her sleeves. Hope the Team is feeling good about the night.

Cheers
Kathleen

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 8/4/2015 10:48:12 AM
Subject: Details for Mark Pincus mtg.

John-

Just spoke with Manny Yekutieli and Lindsay Roitman. Manny WILL be attending the Mark Pincus meeting, but neither Manny nor Lindsay will be at the Joel Hyatt meeting.

Manny's cell: 415-203-7122. He will be there to greet you when you arrive at Zynga. He says that the building is a bit of a (giant) maze so you might want to meet around 10:50 or 10:55.

Mark's assistant reserved a private room for you to take the GOP call from 12:00-1:00 pm. And they have parking.

Zynga HQ Parking: 650 Townsend Street, SF CA 94103

Please enter the Zynga Parking garage to the right of the 650 Townsend entrance with the circular ascending ramp. A Zynga security guard will be waiting for you upon arrival. They will direct you to park on level 2 and escort you into the building where I will collect you.

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From: "[Monica Stearns](mailto:smithstm@law.georgetown.edu)" <smithstm@law.georgetown.edu>
To: [Announcements](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu) <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>
Date: 10/28/2014 2:08:45 PM
Subject: Reminder: Great Pumpkin decorating contest

Just a quick reminder that tomorrow: Wednesday, October 29th at 5:30pm is the last opportunity you will have to Vote for your favorite pumpkin.

And.... Don't forget that tomorrow is also the deadline to [register](#) for the Community Fall/Halloween Decoration Contest.

Happy Fall,

Monica

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From: Monica Stearns
Sent: Monday, October 20, 2014 10:48 AM
To: Announcements
Subject: Announcing the 2nd Annual Great Pumpkin Decorating Contest

It's that time again! Time for what, you ask? Time for the OJA & Office of Faculty Support's . . .

Second Annual
(Friendly but Competitive)

G R E A T
P U M P K I N
D E C O R A T I N G
C O N T E S T

We've painted 'em, now we need you to pick 'em. Once again, the Office of Faculty Support & OJA are holding a friendly—but competitive—pumpkin decorating contest, and as always, we've gotten pretty inventive with our creations.

Now we need your unbiased help! Come by Faculty Support (McD 475), and vote for your favorite! We'll provide the ballots, just toss your vote in the ballot box. Remember, only vote once – *Please No Ballot Box Stuffing*.

Voting starts at noon on Wednesday, October 22nd and runs through close of business on Wednesday, October 29th.
We'll count votes and announce the winner on Friday, October 31st.

Happy Fall,
Monica

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From: ["ProgressNow Colorado Education" <info@education.progressnowcolorado.org>](mailto:info@education.progressnowcolorado.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/17/2014 1:01:23 PM

Subject: Demand Hulu Allow Rape Survivor Ad To Run



Hulu has refused to run [this ad by a rape survivor](#) opposing Colorado's Amendment 67. Hulu claims that the No on 67 ad is too 'controversial' to air on their site because it addresses 'the subject matter of abortion.'

While Hulu regularly runs commercials for political issues and political candidates, the censorship of this ad is inexplicable and disheartening. Millions of Colorado women and families would be negatively affected by Amendment 67. Highlighting the criminalization of those who provide or receive safe abortion services, contraception, and in vitro services is not 'controversial'--it is necessary.

[Sign the petition to demand Hulu allow the ad to run.](#)

We have started a Twitter campaign #HuluLetHerSpeak to reverse Hulu's decision and ask you to [sign the petition](#), which will be delivered to Mike Hopkins, CEO at Hulu.

Thanks for doing your part to stand up for Colorado women and families,

The Team at ProgressNow Colorado Education

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From: "Joe Sestak" <info@joesestak.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 11/4/2010 6:20:42 AM

Subject: Thank You!



Dear John,

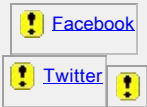
As I write this, I know I will never be able to express the level of admiration I have for every one of you who supported me -- and our principles -- so selflessly over this (and, for so many, other) campaign(s).

I am in awe of your caring and desire for a better future. Anyone who doesn't have faith in that, did not have the wonderful opportunity to know you.

Please accept my deepest respect, the knowledge that I am so very indebted to you, and the commitment to always return your belief in me by striving to better what our youth will inherit -- as every generation in America has done.

Thank you, for always!

Warmly and very respectfully,
Joe



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To: ["Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)

Date: 7/12/2015 4:31:55 PM

Subject: Re: Econ speech

that works

On Sun, Jul 12, 2015 at 11:24 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

I'm still not sure we have a sound bite here that can get played on TV and it could sound like we have two different ideas in the graf on the defining challenge:

Wages need to rise to keep up with costs. Paychecks need to grow. Families need the chance to get ahead and stay ahead.

This is the defining economic challenge of our time. Raising incomes for hard-working Americans. Strong and steady income growth that lifts up families and lifts up our country. That will be my mission as President every single day.

How about:

The defining economic challenge of our time is clear: We must raise incomes for hard-working Americans. We must create strong and steady income growth that lifts up families and lifts up our country and that will be my mission from the first day I'm President to the last.

And on the set up line, can we do this: **Wages need to rise to keep up with costs. Paychecks need to grow. Families who work hard and do their part deserve to get ahead and stay ahead.**

From: Dan Schwerin [mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Sunday, July 12, 2015 10:37 PM

To: John Podesta; Joel Benenson; Mandy Grunwald; Jim Margolis; Robby Mook; Huma Abedin; Jennifer Palmieri; Kristina Schake; Jake Sullivan; David Binder; John Anzalone; Brian Fallon; Christina Reynolds; Oren Shur; Tony Carrk; Maya Harris

Subject: Econ speech

Team, after a lot of back and forth with HRC, the attached draft is where we've landed with the econ speech. She's reading it one more time and we're still looking for cuts and small corrections.

And here's the Bush sound bite I'd propose:

You may have heard Governor Bush say last week that Americans just need to work longer hours. Well, he must not have met very many American workers. Let him tell that to the nurse who stands on her feet all day or the trucker who drives all night. Let him tell that to the fast food workers marching in the streets for better pay. They don't need a lecture – they need a raise.

From: "Sara Solow" <ssolow@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Ron Klain" <ron.klain@revolution.com>
"Brian Fallon" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 3/4/2016 6:48:45 AM

Subject: Re: Debate Book - for tomorrow's prep

Adding Brian, because he and I were just brainstorming how to approach this. Brian, see below.

On Fri, Mar 4, 2016 at 1:45 PM, Ron Klain <ron.klain@revolution.com> wrote:

Maybe we simplify to something like this:

I'll let Senator Sanders talk about the polls. Let me talk about the voters. Donald Trump has gotten X.X million votes so far this election. That's a lot of support. And there's only one candidate for President – only one in either party – who has gotten more votes than Mr. Trump. And that's me. I've gotten 700,000 more votes than Trump. Not Senator Sanders – he's running 1 million votes behind Donald Trump. I'm the only one who has brought more voters to the polls, to vote for me, than Donald Trump.

From: Joel Benenson [mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com]]

Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 1:40 PM

To: Sara Solow; Ron Klain; Karen Dunn; Kristina Costa; Mandy Grunwald; John Podesta; Jim Margolis; Tony Carrk; Jake Sullivan; Jennifer Palmieri; Christina Reynolds; Dan Schwerin

Subject: RE: Debate Book - for tomorrow's prep

If current #s hold up through Saturday races how about something like this:

Donald Trump and Bernie Sanders have both talked a lot about how many voters they're turning out but so far I've won 10 states, and I have won 700 thousand more votes than Donald Trump and Sen Sanders has 1 MM fewer votes than Donald Trump. I think Sen Sanders would also have to acknowledge that I have not outpolled him significantly among African-Americans & Latinos, but among all voters over that age of 30, who total 83% of all Democratic votes cast, I beat Sen Sanders by 2 to 1 or 1.4 MM voters. I have also won our primaries in key swing states like Virginia, Iowa and Nevada and about 8 states Sen Sanders has won fewer voters than either Trump or myself.

The point is that winning in Nov. will take building a strong, diverse coalition. We are going to have to do what both Bill Clinton and Barack Obama did to win – appeal to and actually turnout the diverse coalition of voters we need to win the presidency. So far, it's fair to say that my message, my campaign is doing a much better job of building that coalition and actually getting our voters to the polls.

From: Sara Solow [mailto:ssolow@hillaryclinton.com]

Sent: Friday, March 04, 2016 1:09 PM

To: Ron Klain; Karen Dunn; Kristina Costa; Mandy Grunwald; Joel Benenson; John Podesta; Jim Margolis; Tony Carrk; Jake Sullivan; Jennifer Palmieri; Christina Reynolds; Dan Schwerin

Subject: Debate Book - for tomorrow's prep

Dear all,

Here is the Debate Book -- this document is exactly what HRC currently has in hard copy. (We swapped in

10/18/2016

updates for about 5 sections this morning; the rest of the book was printed for her on Wednesday). Also attached are a few additional background pages that HRC asked for yesterday.

The yellow highlights on the table of contents are the sections we told her to focus on. Kristina and I will bring 7-10 hard copies of those questions, to Detroit tomorrow.

One thing that HRC asked for a good response on, is Bernie's claim that "he is the one who can beat Trump, because he is still doing better than her against Trump, in national polls." She wanted a smart reply -- whether it is saying that polls always change; or pointing to other polls; or whatever. Do people on this chain have any good ideas about that, as she will likely bring it up tomorrow?

Finally, below are a few final things Kristina and I are running down, for prep tomorrow. She also wanted some good Trump hits, and we've thought of the fact that he opposed the auto bailout, and Trump University. Please let us know if you have other ideas.

Thanks so much,

Sara and Kristina

Sunday – remind her that Sunday is Bloody Sunday

New riff on – problems Detroit are not just due to trade

2-3 Trump hits – he opposed auto bailout, Trump University

New answer on -- Bernie will be Trump/polls

Corporate tax point

Pull trade stats (deficit, surplus)

Examples of his Wall Street pivots/mentions – specifics

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 9/16/2015 2:10:58 PM
Subject: Re: Jeb Bush on planned parenthood

Rs don't get it: Defunding Planned Parenthood means blocking millions of Americans from lifesaving health services. <https://twitter.com/TheBriefing2016/status/636280901853278209/photo/1>

Unfortunately no room for a hashtag.

On Wed, Sep 16, 2015 at 9:09 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
Rather than Jeb Bush let's say R's don't get it . Do we have room for out of touch hashtag?

On Wednesday, September 16, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Jeb Bush just doesn't get it: Defunding Planned Parenthood means blocking millions of Americans from lifesaving health care services. <https://twitter.com/TheBriefing2016/status/636280901853278209/photo/1>

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/9/2016 2:39:03 AM

Subject: American Airlines Boarding Pass(es).

Attachments: XBGDVV.pdf

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Thank you for choosing American Airlines.

From: "Nicole Aro, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/29/2008 3:05:53 AM

Subject: Help Barack win battleground states

 Obama for America

John --

You can play an important role in deciding this election in key battleground states.

Supporters like you are gathering at Last Call for Change phonebanks across the country, calling voters in swing states to tell them where their polling location is.

[Find a Last Call for Change phonebank near you and make a difference this weekend.](#)

There are only 6 days left to bring the change we need.

Barack is counting on your incredibly important phone calls. You can make sure Obama supporters know where to vote on Tuesday. Their polling location may have changed, or they may have never voted before.

No experience is required. You'll have a script to work from, and our staff will help you every step of the way.

[Get together with fellow supporters in your community and attend a Last Call for Change phonebank near you this weekend.](#)

Thanks,

Nicole

Nicole Aro
National Phonebank Coordinator
Obama for America

P.S. -- Can you travel to Virginia this weekend, or in the final days before Election Day? There's a volunteer shift with your name on it, and campaign staff are waiting for you.

Sign up for a trip to Virginia and help get out the vote:

<http://my.barackobama.com/cometoVA>

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Date: 11/23/2015 10:12:27 AM

Subject: RE: You in DC tomorrow?

Minyon/m

----- Original message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/22/2015 8:10 AM (GMT-05:00)

To: Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com>

Subject: Re: You in DC tomorrow?

Meet you at the Madison at 1:00 if that still works.

On Sunday, November 22, 2015, Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com> wrote:

Hey John

Wanted to make sure you got the email below

Minyon/m

----- Original message -----

From: Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com>

Date: 11/21/2015 7:58 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Subject: RE: You in DC tomorrow?

Madison Hotel on 15th M. Can meet there. Or if there is a coffee shop you frequent in your neighborhood. 12:30, 1, 2pm. Day is open until 7pm.

Minyon/m

----- Original message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/21/2015 7:43 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com>

Subject: Re: You in DC tomorrow?

I'm best early afternoon. I can come to you. Place and time?

On Saturday, November 21, 2015, Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com> wrote:

Yes I am here. Any time or place

Minyon/m

----- Original message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com >

Date: 11/21/2015 6:33 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: Minyon Moore <Minyon.Moore@deweysquare.com >

Subject: You in DC tomorrow?

Grab a cup of coffee?

From: ["John Pouland" <info@martinomalley.com>](mailto:info@martinomalley.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 1/6/2016 1:11:23 PM
Subject: Help us celebrate Governor O'Malley's birthday

John,

I've known Governor O'Malley for a very long time. He slept under my stairs in Texas back in the '80s while we were organizing the state for Gary Hart. We've stayed friends over the years and through many campaigns. Now, I'm excited to be welcoming Martin to Potomac for a few events to celebrate his 53rd birthday (times have changed since Gary Hart bought him his first legal beer on his 21st birthday) and to send him off to the Iowa caucus on February 1st. See the details below:

[Reception at the home of Haniya Raza & Kashif Firozvi](#)

Wednesday, January 13th

5:30 PM

13105 Piney Meetinghouse Rd.

Potomac, MD

[Reception and birthday party at my home](#)

Tuesday, January 19th

7:00 PM

10516 Stable Ln.

Potomac, MD

Please click on the links above to RSVP or contact Annie Osborne at aosborne@martinomalley.com or 443-552-7621. Thanks, and hope to see you soon.

Best,

John Pouland

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Date: 7/3/2009 2:37:19 AM

Subject: Kristina johnson

John meet kristina johnson. She's the new undersecy of energy. I told her u knew more about energy politics and policy than anyone I know. I thought it would be great for u 2 to meet each other. She's going to be renting our house when lib and I go to romania.

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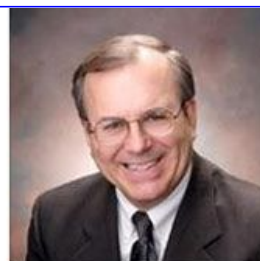
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Why the Cook Political Report has these Democrats smiling

By Rick Smith

There are three Democrats (Desmund Adams, Jim Mowrer, Mike Sherzan) competing in the Third District to replace Republican David Young. They must be excited over this week's Cook Political Report that moved the District from Leaning Republican to a toss-up. The Cook Political Report is one of the leading political authorities. It's a well-respected non-partisan predictor of political trends.

CONTINUE

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Date: 9/6/2008 10:29:21 AM
Subject: Re: tomorrow: Should the three of us try to talk tonight?

If we could get Pete at 5:45 that would be good.

On Sat, Sep 6, 2008 at 5:18 PM, Chris Lu <clu@barackobama.com> wrote:

> If it's possible to do it before dinner, that would be my preference.

>

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

> Sent: Saturday, September 06, 2008 5:18 PM

> To: Chris Lu; Pete Rouse

> Subject: tomorrow: Should the three of us try to talk tonight?

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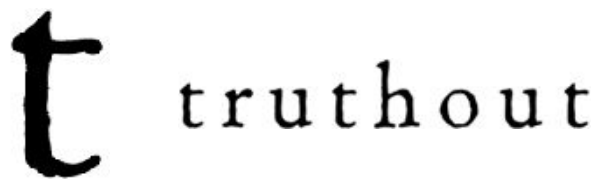
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From: "Ziggy Jeffery, Truthout" <messenger@truthout.org>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 8/20/2014 4:56:07 AM

Subject: Profiteers of Pain



I don't think it's unfair to say that certain news profiteers actively hope for the next cataclysm or catastrophe. Why? Because murder sells. War sells. Earthquakes sell. Human misery and disaster sell. For-profit media is often, in essence, just another form of disaster capitalism.

Media patterns of behavior - like blaming the victim or demonizing those who fight for justice - are carefully constructed strategies designed to exploit a story for ratings and profit. Looking at certain cable news networks it's sometimes difficult to differentiate between institutional prejudice and cynical malice. But whatever lies behind the mask, the end result is too often a loss for humanity and a gain for corporate stakeholders - again and again.

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Date: 1/28/2015 2:11:07 AM

Subject: MUST READ: Lebanon Daily News Op-ed from Ann Lewis: Children's issues close to Hillary Clinton's heart

[Lebanon Daily News: Children's issues close to Hillary Clinton's heart](#)

By Ann F. Lewis

January 27, 2015 6:24 p.m. EDT

What do Hillary Clinton, former Republican Whip Tom DeLay, and the founder of Wendy's have in common?
Hint: It isn't politics.

This unusual coalition worked together to make a better life for children in orphanages and foster care; work that has made a real difference for tens of thousands of young people.

Orphans and foster care children are not a high-powered political group in Washington. There were no lobbyists; no one demanding Clinton take this on. I was working in the White House at the time, so I got to watch up close, but otherwise I might never have known.

So why did she do it? Because Clinton believed it was the right thing to do.

From working at the Children's Defense Fund right after law school to her efforts to expand early learning for children today, Hillary Clinton has worked throughout her adult life — in and out of public office — to improve the lives of children. Her work on behalf of orphans and foster care children is not an exception, but an important example.

As First Lady, Clinton made adoption and foster care one of her priorities. She worked across the partisan aisle, with two unlikely partners: former Republican Minority Whip Tom Delay of Texas and business leader Dave Thomas of Wendy's, a lifelong Republican.

Together, they held events at the White House to raise awareness, and built support for legislation that would encourage adoptions, provide more aid for foster families, and help foster children find permanent, safe, loving homes.

The first piece of legislation was the Adoption and Safe Families Act of 1997, which provided support and services for adoptive families and increased foster adoptions by 64 percent by 2002. The Washington Post called the law "the most significant change in federal child-protection policy in almost two decades."

The second piece of legislation, the Foster Care Independence Act of 1999, was focused on children who "age out" of the foster care system when they turn 18. Too often, these children leave their foster home with only a green plastic bag of their belongings — and too little hope. The purpose of this legislation was to make the transition easier for these kids and to give them, as President Bill Clinton said, "the tools they need to make the most of their lives." Access to health-care, education, housing assistance and counseling services are just some

of the tools this law provided.

Clinton introduced legislation in the Senate to help interested adults learn more about adoption. She was also a member of the Congressional Coalition on Adoption and partnered with Democrats and Republicans alike to remove barriers to adoption and support the adoption of children in foster care.

At the State Department, Clinton brought the issue to the world stage. She appointed the first ever special adviser on international children's issues and worked with other countries to improve foster care programs worldwide.

Adoption and foster care are not likely to be an issue in any political campaign. But they're important to Hillary Clinton. That is what her life has been about: building coalitions, working with partners, doing whatever it takes to make a real difference on issues that make a real difference in people's lives — beginning with the very youngest among us.

That's the Hillary Clinton I know.

Lewis served as White House director of communications from 1997-2000.

From: "Iowa Daily Democrat" <editor@iowadailydemocrat.com>

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Date: 8/24/2015 1:07:23 AM

Subject: Guest Opinion: Iowa has a long history as a welcoming place that values equality, families, and human rights

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Guest Opinion: Iowa has a long history as a welcoming place that values equality, families, and human rights

***Give me your tired, your poor,
Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free-***

This caucus season, we Iowans find ourselves at the epicenter of a national discussion about the intersection of immigration policy, race, families, and the economy. As a state that is experiencing a relatively new growth to our immigrant population (from 1.6% of the population of the state in 1990 to 4.8% in 2013), outsiders may not recognize Iowa's unique and potentially powerful place in the conversation.

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Subject: FW: HRC's Anti-BDS Letter / Impact on Campus

Interesting

Sarah we should Talk about how to capitalize on this.I have some ideas and would appreciate your thoughts when we talk next.

From: [Amitai Raziel](#)
Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 6:06 PM
To: [Haim Saban](#) ; [Tanya Saban](#) ; [Alex De Ocampo](#) ; [Laura Hartigan](#)
Subject: HRC's Anti-BDS Letter / Impact on Campus

Hi All – I thought you might find this of interest: the Israel on Campus Coalition held a recent call regarding polling that they conducted this past semester. I'll send a fuller sum later, but there was one statistic that I think you would appreciate:

Once informed about Hillary Clinton's letter opposing BDS, the favorable/unfavorable views held by students regarding pro-BDS arguments shifted 11 points in the right direction.

Just a reflection that she remains a trusted source to students on these issues, and I'm glad to see she is out there conveying this viewpoint.

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From: ["Tom Harkin" <info@progressiowa.org>](mailto:info@progressiowa.org)
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Date: 8/16/2015 3:14:18 PM
Subject: See you at the Corn Feed?

John,

Will I see you at the [Progress Iowa Corn Feed?](#)

I'm looking forward to getting together with progressive friends at the Corn Feed on Sunday, August 30 in Des Moines, to talk about how we can move our country forward, and I hope you can be there!

[Congressman Dave Loebsack, Governor Lincoln Chafee, Congressman Joaquin Castro, Ben & Jerry, and a number of Iowa's progressive leaders will all be there too --- get your ticket today!](#)

Tickets are just \$30 each, and every dollar raised will help Progress Iowa continue their outstanding work. Since Progress Iowa was founded in March of 2012, thousands of grassroots activists like you have come together in support of the organization, to keep advancing our state's tradition of strong progressive values.

In just a short few years, Progress Iowa has worked with allies to achieve legislation for an increased minimum wage, an expansion of Medicaid, and an environment that is protected for generations to come. These achievements have been made on a shoestring budget and in the face of massive outspending on the other side.

It just goes to show you -- when Iowa progressives stand up for what we believe in, we can make a difference.

The [Progress Iowa Corn Feed](#) will be a great chance to get together and talk about how we can keep up the fight for our shared progressive values. Iowans are always eager to hear from local and national leaders about positive solutions, and I'm excited to be part of that discussion.

[John -- be sure to buy your ticket today -- I hope to see you there!](#)

See you at the Corn Feed,
Tom Harkin
U.S. Senator (Ret.)

P.S. [The Progress Iowa Corn Feed will get started at 2:00 PM on Sunday, August 30, at the Simon Estes Amphitheater in downtown Des Moines --- will I see you there?](#)

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From: "Sean Patrick Maloney" <sean@seanmaloney.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/21/2012 10:00:18 AM

Subject: huge news



John,

I just saw the latest independent poll and wanted you to know first. We've pulled even with Rep. Hayworth, at 43-43!

In the face of all her attacks and special-interest cash, it's our message that's breaking through. We've seized momentum and people are rallying to our side.

But make no mistake: this will only enflame the other side. Their attacks are going to intensify, but we can't let that stop us. I need your help right now to build on these numbers. Can you make a contribution to my campaign today?

[Give \\$5 or more to help us take the fight right back to Rep. Hayworth.](#)

This poll proves what I'm seeing every day when I talk to voters: we can win. And with your continued support, I know we will.

Sean



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Date: 6/23/2015 12:48:27 PM
Subject: Re: letter to the Daily Mail

Should we say we find them disturbing and hope that you will take steps to end this behavior?

On Tuesday, June 23, 2015, Jennifer Palmieri jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Elias – we would like to do a call with you to discuss the letter pasted below that we are considering sending to the Daily Mail.

Varun – can you set up a call with Marc sometime tomorrow or Wednesday?

Thanks, Jen

I am writing to make you aware of some concerning incidents we have experienced with your reporter David Maratosko.

On two separate occasions during trips to Iowa and New Hampshire, David attempted to trail the motorcade between event stops, getting dangerously close to the point where the state police escorting the motorcade had to pull him over on more than one occasion.

He also made a false report about the speed of the motorcade, claiming that it was traveling at speeds higher than it was, and posted video that indicated he was speeding in pursuit of the vehicles, which the Iowa Department of Transportation and others refuted and cited concerns about.

We strive to run an open campaign that facilitates journalists' ability to cover us in a safe and professional environment. At times David has conducted himself perfectly professionally at our events. At times he has been disruptive – shouting over and disrupting other reporters to the point that other journalists have complained to the campaign. We expect that kind of exchange during the rough and tumble of a presidential campaign. But we find the motorcade incidents disturbing and wanted to bring them to your attention.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Palmieri

Communications Director, Hillary for America

From: "Dominic Lowell" <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com>
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Date: 3/12/2016 12:12:23 PM
Subject: Re: FINAL STATEMENT: HIV and AIDS

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On Saturday, March 12, 2016, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Thank you!! Will post on medium ASAP -- please shout if anyone has objections.

On Mar 12, 2016, at 7:10 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

+ Speech drafts for everyone's visibility

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 7:09 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
The Secretary approved the statement, with small tweaks. Attached are two versions, tracked and clean. This is good to go. Thanks all.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 5:06 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Apologies, this is the correct version.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 5:00 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Updated here.

Thank you!

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 4:59 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Megan can you send back? Need to print.

On Mar 12, 2016, at 4:51 PM, Maya Harris <mharris@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Pls make one small change. Swap this out for current PEPFAR sentence:

We should increase global funding for HIV and AIDS prevention and treatment.

On Mar 12, 2016, at 4:39 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Also + Corey!

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 4:15 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
OK everybody -- here is the latest revised draft. New first graf. Everything else is the same.

Nick is getting this to her.

HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON
STATEMENT ON HIV AND AIDS

Yesterday, at Nancy Reagan's funeral, I said something inaccurate when speaking about the Reagans' record on HIV and AIDS. Since then, I've heard from countless people who were devastated by the loss of friends and loved ones, and hurt and disappointed by what I said, and I understand why. I made a mistake, plain and simple.

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I want to use this opportunity to talk not only about where we've come from but where we must go in the fight against HIV and AIDS.

To be clear, the Reagans did not start a national conversation about HIV and AIDS. Unfortunately, the opposite was true. That distinction belongs to generations of brave men and women who started not just a conversation but a movement that continues to this day.

The AIDS crisis in America began as a quiet, deadly epidemic. Because of discrimination and disregard, it remained that way for far too long. When many in positions of power turned a blind eye, it was groups like ACT UP, Gay Men's Health Crisis and others that came forward to shatter the silence. They organized and marched, held die-ins on the steps of city halls and vigils in the streets. They fought alongside a few courageous voices in Washington, like U.S. Representative Henry Waxman, who spoke out from the floor of Congress.

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If not for those advocates, activists and ordinary, heroic people, we would not be where we are in preventing and treating HIV and AIDS. Their courage – and their refusal to accept silence as the status quo – saved lives.

We've come a long way. But we still have work to do to eradicate this disease for good and to erase the stigma that is an echo of a shameful and painful period in our country's history.

This issue is important to me. At the 1992 Democratic National Convention, when my husband accepted the nomination for president, we marked a break with the past by having two HIV-positive speakers -- the first time that ever happened at a national convention. As First Lady, I brought together world leaders to strategize and coordinate efforts to take on HIV and AIDS around the world. In the Senate, I put forward legislation to expand global AIDS research and assistance and to increase prevention and education. And as Secretary of State, I launched a campaign to usher in an [AIDS-free generation](#) through prevention and treatment, targeting the populations at greatest risk of contracting HIV.

The AIDS crisis looks very different today. There are more options for treatment and prevention than ever before. More people with HIV are leading full and happy lives. But HIV and AIDS are still with us. They continue to disproportionately impact communities of color, transgender people, young people and gay and bisexual men. There are still 1.2 million people living with HIV in the United States today, with about 50,000 people newly diagnosed each year. In Sub-Saharan Africa, almost 60 percent of people with HIV are women and girls. Even though the tools exist to end this epidemic once and for all, there are still far too many people dying today. That is absolutely inexcusable.

I believe there's even more we can – and must – do together. For starters, let's continue to increase HIV and AIDS research and invest in the promising innovations that research is producing. Medications like PrEP are proving effective in preventing HIV infection; we should expand access to that drug for everyone, including at-risk populations. We should call on Republican governors to put people's health and well-being ahead of politics and extend Medicaid, which would provide healthcare to those with HIV and AIDS. We should call on states to reform outdated and

stigmatizing HIV criminalization laws. We should increase funding for the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR). And we should cap out-of-pocket expenses and drug costs, and hold companies like Turing and Valeant accountable when they attempt to gouge patients by jacking up the price of lifesaving medications.

We're still surrounded by memories of loved ones lost and lives cut short. But we're also surrounded by survivors who are fighting harder than ever. We owe it to them and to future generations to continue that fight together. For the first time, an AIDS-free generation is in sight. As president, I promise you that I will not let up until we reach that goal. We will not leave anyone behind.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 4:09 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
I am on the phone with Nick now

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 4:06 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Nick what do we have to do to get this out?

On Mar 12, 2016, at 4:04 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Edits, rather -- they updated a few of the numbers. Sorry!

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 4:02 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Here is an updated version with a few notes from research.

I think we really should do everything we can to get this up today, if at all possible (fingers crossed). Does not seem to be dying down online, either.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 4:01 PM, Xochitl Hinojosa <xhinojosa@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Flagging that there was a whole segment on MSNBC where someone with HIV/AIDS said that HRC's apology wasn't enough. BuzzFeed is also writing a follow up piece on whether our supporters and activists were satisfied. While I pointed them to folks who can be helpful, I'm sure they'll find supporters who aren't satisfied. LGBT media is also hearing from angry people.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 3:56 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Adding Maya.

On Mar 12, 2016, at 3:26 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

OK everyone --

Here is a revised draft of a statement. It does include the words "I made a mistake" in the first line.

We need a strategy for getting her to approve this. I don't know if that means someone who is traveling with her (Maya?) making the case... or something else.

File attached as well.

Nick -- I am officially handing this off to you!

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On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 3:01 PM, Megan Rooney

<mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

HIV and AIDS is way more elegant, too.

I think the chances of her OK-ing this statement with that top are slim. Lauren is walking that back a little. We will have a revised draft to send around shortly.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 2:33 PM, Kristina Schake

<kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Chad's suggestions in all caps. We always need to say HIV and AIDS not HIV/AIDS.

YESTERDAY I MADE A MISTAKE IN SPEAKING ABOUT NANCY REAGAN'S record on HIV AND AIDS. I've heard from countless people who are hurt and disappointed by what I said, WHO WERE DEVASTATED BY THE LOSSES OF THEIR FRIENDS AND LOVED ONES. I'M SORRY FOR THE PAIN MY COMMENTS CAUSED AND I WANT TO USE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO TALK ABOUT NOT ONLY WHERE WE'VE COME FROM BUT WHERE WE MUST GO IN THIS FIGHT AGAINST HIV AND AIDS. TO BE CLEAR, The Reagans did not start a national conversation about HIV AND AIDS – unfortunately, the opposite was true. That distinction belongs to generations of brave men and women who started not just a conversation, but a movement that continues to this day. The AIDS crisis in America began as a quiet, deadly epidemic. When many in positions of power turned a blind eye, it was groups like ACT UP, Gay Men's Health Crisis, and others that came forward to shatter the silence. They organized and marched, held die-ins on the steps of city halls and vigils in the streets. They fought alongside a few courageous voices in Washington, like U.S. Representative Henry Waxman, who spoke out from the floor of Congress.

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On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 2:08 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Sure.

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Subject: Re: looping back on yesterday

Could we delete "and I said so right away"? Don't think that gets us any extra credit and think it just sounds a hair defensive.

On Saturday, March 12, 2016, Megan Rooney

<mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Per Jake, we're tweaking the opening graf here. Otherwise no changes yet to the rest of this statement. To create a process here, please send Lauren and me your edits by 230pm. Then we'll get this out.

I've heard from countless people who are hurt and disappointed by what I said yesterday at Nancy Reagan's funeral about the Reagans' record on HIV/AIDS, and I understand why. The comment was just wrong, and I said so right away.

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On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 1:15 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Adding Megan to work with our team to get something good cranked out. Shouldn't be too hard. Megan, you might also enlist Baer.

From: Robby Mook [mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com]
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2016 1:06 PM
To: Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com >
Cc: Teddy Goff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com >; Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com >; Dennis Cheng <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com >; Jessica Morales Rocketto <jmoralesrocketto@hillaryclinton.com >; Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com >; Jenna Lowenstein <jlowenstein@hillaryclinton.com >; Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com >; Xochitl Hinojosa <xhinojosa@hillaryclinton.com >; Maya Harris <mharris@hillaryclinton.com >; Zac Petkanas <zpetkanas@hillaryclinton.com >; Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com >; Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com >; Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com >; Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com >; Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com >; Aditi Hardikar <ahardikar@hillaryclinton.com >; jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com
Subject: Re: looping back on yesterday

Jake/Maya can someone on your team draft ASAP?

On Mar 12, 2016, at 1:03 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

I support doing this today.

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 12, 2016, at 12:59 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Could she do a medium post or something like that on AIDS policy? She could open it by saying she misspoke and apologizes for that and wanted to make sure people understand what she will do.

On Mar 12, 2016, at 12:43 PM, Teddy Goff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

And Robby whom I apparently did not successfully loop earlier.

On Saturday, March 12, 2016, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

+Aditi

Definitely a both / and.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 12:38 PM,
Dennis Cheng
<dcheng@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

My two cents – I think this will be helpful, but don't think it will be enough. I think a lot of our people (esp those who are older who lived through the 80s) want to see and hear her address it directly, given that they saw and heard her Reagan remarks on TV. And I think they are looking for more of an explanation, as Teddy mentioned, because they are just so dumbfounded by the comment. But agree that it can then be an opportunity for HRC to talk about her policy agenda for an AIDS free generation, etc.

From: Jessica Morales Rocketto
[<mailto:jmoralesrocketto@hillaryclinton.com>]
Sent: Saturday, March 12, 2016 12:32 PM
To: Teddy Goff
<tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>
Cc: Kristina Schake
<kschake@hillaryclinton.com>; Christina Reynolds
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<bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: Re: looping back on yesterday

Have floated this idea in a couple of places, but putting it on this thread as well--we have two places online that we could respond to in terms of digital organizing perspective. There is an Out for Hillary group with 14k members that I

think some kind of extended engagment over this would be helpful--an AMA with Dominic/Robby/Dennis, a special Note (which is a long form format over Facebook), re-purposing the Medium piece there, etc would go a long way. Our other option is Reddit, which has an extremely vocal core of LGBT members, but I would prioritize this Facebook group, which is the largest LGBT community of Hillary's supporters I know. These are friendlies, they are already carrying water for us making sure the apology is out there, and they firmly sit in groups 1 and 2 that Dom identified.

Whatever we did to send our LGBT talking points to folks has really worked, they are popping up everywhere on the supporter Facebook groups.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 11:39 AM, Teddy Goff
<tgoff@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

+ Robby too for visibility

On Saturday, March 12, 2016, Kristina Schake
<kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I agree something more is needed. A Facebook or Medium post would be good. Also I agree with Dom that we should lean into her policy more.

I stayed with Chad last night who was receiving lots of angry calls and notes from people that he didn't call her out by name. He wouldn't do that to her and kept stressing she just made a mistake, but suggested we need to do something more today to protect her. She has a great record and we lost a lot of ground messaging-wise.

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 12, 2016, at 10:53 AM,
Teddy Goff
<tgoff@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

+ a few from both digital and
comms

I think our lingering problem
on this is that people just
don't understand, on a fact
level, what happened and how
she could have gotten so
mixed up. And in the absence
of any explanatory
information, they assume the
worst -- like that this was
some cynical political strategy
of ours. (Which, I would note,
makes no sense -- why would
our strategy be to piss
everyone off? -- but
regardless.)

So I would vote to do a little
something just to give people
an understanding of how this
happened, and then pivot to
something else -- maybe
that's celebrating the people
who really did start a national
conversation on AIDS, or
something else.

Believe LP is working on a
draft that could be a
Facebook note or a Medium
post, just to give something to
react to.

On Sat, Mar 12, 2016 at 9:25
AM, Christina Reynolds
<creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

And Jen and Teddy. This is
helpful--thanks Dom!

On Mar 12, 2016, at 10:18 AM, Xochitl Hinojosa <xhinojosa@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Adding Dennis

On Mar 12, 2016, at 10:13 AM, Dominic Lowell <dlowell@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi all,

I wanted to start a new thread to give a brief update about what I'm hearing from folks and get up to speed on how we're thinking of responding in the short and long term. (Sending to a smaller group from yesterday's call but please do loop in others who should be a part of this convo.)

First, as you can imagine, most people are expressing palpable anger and hurt over the comments. I won't belabor the point because I'm sure we all fielded calls, texts, tweets in the last 24 hours over this. But

suffice to say, we aren't in a good place with the community right now.

If I had to break things down, I'd put people into three categories: 1) supporters who were horrified at the comment but accept the apology; 2) supporters who are angry and can only be mollified with a longer statement, tv appearance, roundtable, or something else big that shows she "gets it." They will continue to make hay in the meantime; and 3) Bernie folks who are happy to have a new line of attack.

What concerns me is that in that second group are a lot folks from Queer Nation, ACT UP, and other activists who are out, loud, and not afraid of direct action or aggressive confrontation. Given that, I'd love if we could build on yesterday's response -- and

quickly. I don't want this to fester.

I assume we're prepping an answer for tomorrow's town hall, but has there been talk in the office of doing more today?

Looking ahead, is it possible to bump up an HIV / AIDS policy rollout? Is there any interest in putting a roundtable conversation or OTR together? (Robbie Kaplan has already volunteered GMHC.)

Would love to know where your heads are at and to be a part of the conversation today about next steps and moving forward.

Thanks,

D.

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From: admin@schneiderforcongress.com <info@schneiderforcongress.com>

To: ["John Podesta"](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu) <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 10/5/2014 6:39:33 PM

Subject: re:

Brad’s one of the most vulnerable Democrats in the country. See below:

----- Original Email -----

There’s no sugar coating this:

- Polls show the race for IL10 is a TOSS UP
- Republicans are spending \$4 MILLION to defeat Brad
- and now *Roll Call* named Brad one of the MOST VULNERABLE members of Congress.

Our race will go down to the wire: There’s 32 days to go, and we have a huge grassroots goal for October: \$250,000.

So John, we need you: Will you pitch in \$5 or more for Brad’s progressive campaign?

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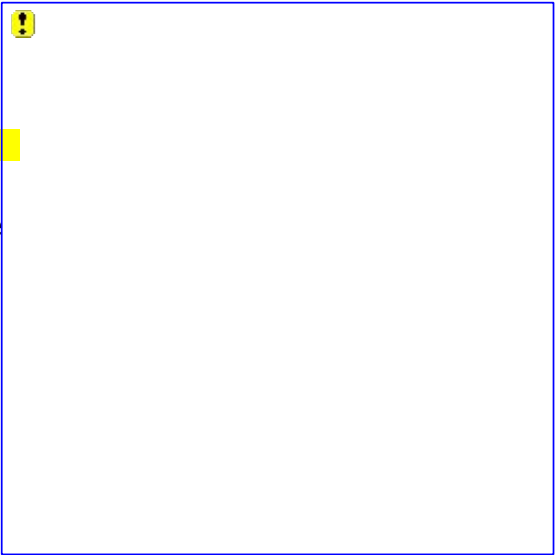
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From: ["Dustin Dekle" <dustin@dmainsurance.com>](mailto:dustin@dmainsurance.com)

To: press@hillaryclinton.com

Date: 9/18/2015 12:08:25 PM

Subject: Invitation For Support --- Scholarship Fundraising Event To Support School Which Suffered Tragic Shooting --- Please forward to proper party.

Mrs. Clinton,

Throughout my childhood and early adult years I've grown up watching and admiring your rise to become one of the most influential women on the planet. At a time when you are entrenched in battle with other candidates and the press, seeking any sort of positive momentum for your campaign is pivotal. I believe I may have an opportunity to help not only your campaign, but to give our next generation a real shot at being successful individuals who positively contribute to society.

On October 24th 2014 my former high school Marysville Pilchuck in Marysville, Washington suffered a tragic shooting which took the lives of many promising young students. Since the tragic event the community has pulled together but still needs help and positive's to rally around as school is newly back in session. I've come up with a scholarship fundraising event which would provide \$1,000 to EVERY graduating senior as a way to help offset costs they may encounter when seeking continuing education. Achieving this fundraising target would require the raising of \$265,000. Funds would then be distributed by established 401c3 MP Memorial Fund.

In my initial planning phases I've gained support from a large Seattle radio station along with securing support from a tribal partner who is more than happy to provide a 3,000 seat amphitheater at no cost for our event. We just need the talent and support!

We could use your help!

At the end of the day I truly believe that this fundraiser will receive nothing but positive press which could only bolster Mrs Clinton's poll numbers as she continues her historical career.

Please consider running this fundraising idea up the flag pole, before one of your fellow running candidates do...

Thanks for your time and consideration.

Best,

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From: ["Judd Legum" <jlegum@gmail.com>](mailto:jlegum@gmail.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 2/3/2016 9:03:28 AM
Subject: Bernie tweets

The series of tweets where he defines what it means to be a progressive seems really consequential to me because they exclude Obama from being a progressive. He's turning this into a referendum on Obama which seems like a really really bad place for him.

From: ["Gene Karpinski" <feedback@lcv.org>](mailto:feedback@lcv.org)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/13/2012 2:00:46 AM

Subject: Thank you, Robert Redford



LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS

[LCV is honoring Robert Redford with a Lifetime Achievement Award – will you add your name to our “thank you” card?](#)

John,

Most people probably know Robert Redford from his incredible movie career. But to me, he's always been an inspiring environmental leader and a great friend of the League of Conservation Voters.

For more than two decades, Robert has worked with LCV to elect environmental champions to Congress, defeat members of the “Dirty Dozen” and pass laws that protect the air we breathe and the water we drink.

That's why I'm excited to announce that LCV will be honoring Robert with a Lifetime Achievement Award at our annual New York dinner later this month. Additionally, we also plan to give him a “thank you” card signed by LCV supporters.

[Will you join us in thanking Robert Redford for his fierce commitment to protecting our environment? Add your name to our “thank you” card and we'll present it to him at our annual dinner.](#)

Robert is an ardent conservationist and environmentalist who stands for social responsibility and political involvement. His life-long passion for nature and issues of justice have resulted in Robert being widely acknowledged as a highly effective and dedicated political and environmental activist.

But for Robert, actions speak louder than words – and over the years he's been deeply involved in many of LCV's most important campaigns. From recording radio ads that appear in congressional districts around the country to helping LCV raise money to ensure we have the resources we need to run hard-hitting campaigns, Robert has been with us every step of the way.

[Please join me in thanking Robert Redford for being a dedicated and inspiring environmental leader by adding your name to our “thank you” card.](#)

Thanks,

Gene Karpinski
President
League of Conservation Voters



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From: "Sepp, Eryn" <Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov>

To: "Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>
"Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>
"Robby Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>

Date: 1/23/2015 1:28:52 PM

Subject: RE: REMINDER: SUNDAY, January 25, 8:00am EST - Standing Call

Just talked with John. Proceed without him for this week's call as the schedule is pretty tight. If there are any questions upon which you'd like him to opine, please send to his gmail tonight.

From: Huma Abedin [mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com]

Sent: Friday, January 23, 2015 3:07 PM

To: Cheryl Mills; Robby Mook

Cc: Joanne Laszczych; Sepp, Eryn; John Podesta; Huma Abedin; Marissa Astor

Subject: RE: REMINDER: SUNDAY, January 25, 8:00am EST - Standing Call

I am flexible Sunday too

Have a 4-6pm kids party but free otherwise.

From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, January 23, 2015 2:18 PM

To: Robby Mook

Cc: Joanne Laszczych; Sepp, Eryn; John Podesta; Huma Abedin; Marissa Astor

Subject: Re: REMINDER: SUNDAY, January 25, 8:00am EST - Standing Call

I have flex

cdm

On Jan 23, 2015, at 1:41 PM, Robby Mook <robbymook@gmail.com> wrote:

Is there a better time for John? Sorry to be a pain but I have an 8am start on Sunday. I can do Sunday after or Sat evening if that's better

On Jan 23, 2015, at 12:35 PM, Joanne Laszczych <jlaszczych@cdmillsGroup.com> wrote:

Yes, the number works internationally

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 23, 2015, at 12:34 PM, Sepp, Eryn <Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Noting that's 5:30 pm Delhi time. Not sure John will be able to call in, but I'll note it on the schedule for him.

Joanne, this number works for dialing in from abroad right? Most do, but don't want to assume so.

From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, January 23, 2015 12:33 PM

To: Robby Mook

Cc: Joanne Laszczych; John Podesta; Huma Abedin; Marissa Astor; Sepp, Eryn

Subject: Re: REMINDER: SUNDAY, January 25, 8:00am EST - Standing Call

I can

cdm

On Jan 23, 2015, at 12:32 PM, Robby Mook <robbymook@gmail.com> wrote:

Would it be possible to move this to 7?

10/18/2016

On Jan 23, 2015, at 11:29 AM, Joanne Laszczyh <jlaszczyh@cdmillsGroup.com> wrote:

REMINDER

8:00am EST call on Sunday, January 25

Dial-in: 1-530-881-1000

Code: 742374#

Best,

Joanne

From:	"Mary Pat Bonner" < mpbonner@bonnergrp.com >
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	10/9/2008 8:48:41 AM
Subject:	Jeanne Levy-Chruch

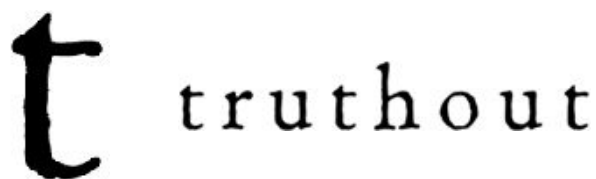
John, Good news Jeanne Levy Church did \$2M to the field groups this week. She did funding to Acorn and WVWV which I kow you are particularly interested in. Frank was instrumental in getting the money done, but certainly your memo to her earlier in the year laid out the framework. So all is good!!

From: "Ziggy Jeffery, Truthout" <messenger@truthout.org>

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 9/23/2014 1:39:45 PM

Subject: You Are Not Alone



You probably noticed the bold declaration that's currently at the top of our homepage: **YOU ARE NOT ALONE.**

To me, those words bring to mind the workplace recycling memo that I pinned to the office door of the small record store I worked in when I was twenty. They bring to mind the courage it takes to broach a topic of conversation at a family gathering, or on Facebook, that you know full well no one wants to talk about. They remind me of every person who ever dared to swim against the tide, whether as an individual or as part of a broader community of activists.

I know first-hand that it's not always possible to join a march or investigate an issue oneself. **There are many ways to be involved and show solidarity, one of which is through [supporting an organization like Truthout](#).**

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From: "Mitch Stewart, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 9/1/2010 8:45:12 AM

Subject: A promise kept

 Organizing for America

John --

Last night President Obama marked the end of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

As the President said, the struggle for peace is not over, but the progress we've made is undeniable.

This moment also represents a promise kept. As a candidate, President Obama laid out a vision for this country -- and bringing our troops home from Iraq was a defining part of that vision. It was one of the reasons that all of us knocked on doors, made phone calls, and voted.

Keeping that promise is important, not only for our brave women and men in uniform, but also for their loved ones, and for all Americans who have hoped and prayed for a resolution to this war.

Please take a moment to watch the President's speech if you missed it last night:

 [Watch the President's address.](#)

Watch the President's Oval Office address:

<http://my.barackobama.com/IraqAddress>

Thanks,

Mitch Stewart
Director
Organizing for America

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To: "Eli Pariser" <eli@moveon.org>
justin@moveon.org
"Noah T. Winer" <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>
Date: 8/7/2008 12:34:56 AM
Subject: [big campaign] Fwd: Big Oil - AIF files

Hey folks,

Here are the audio files for the ads in the six districts. I need help loading them onto a moveon web page so that they are accessible to press (and to members obviously). The front needs to be cropped off and then I think that we need a page with all 6 ads that is something like:

Representative Roy Blunt, Missouri 7th District

[Hear the ad](#)

[See the facts](#)

And so on. I will send the substantiation for each soon. I am listening to each ad and making sure it matches the substantiation correctly.

Can someone let me know they are on this and that they will get me the link for the press release once we have it?

Thanks,

Ilyse

Begin forwarded message:

From: Julia Cotts <julia@zimark.com >
Date: August 7, 2008 1:49:58 AM EDT
To: Ilyse Hogue <ilyse@moveon.org >
Cc: Roberta Green <roberta@zimark.com >
Subject: Big Oil - AIF files

In case you need them for tomorrow's press conference, I've put up the .aif files on our server. It's the same link and same user info as the other files, except they're in a separate folder ("aif files"):

<http://webfiles.zimark.com/Moveon/Big%20Oil%20Radio/>

username: moveon

password: moveon3412

To download, press "option" + click on a mac
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From: ["Rebecca Hardcastle Wright" <rhardcastlewright@gmail.com>](mailto:rhardcastlewright@gmail.com)

To: ["Sepp, Eryn" <Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov>](mailto:Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov)
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/29/2014 4:53:14 AM

Subject: Re: Apollo Astronaut, Dr. Edgar Mitchell's, Request for Meeting to discuss Disclosure

Dear Eryn:

Dr. Mitchell is available for a meeting with John Podesta the week of August 11, but will not be able to come to DC.

He would like me to attend the meeting and then we patch him in via skype.

Thanks for getting back to me on this with a date and time.

My phone is 301-915-4660.

Regards,

Rebecca

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On Fri, Jul 18, 2014 at 12:42 PM, Sepp, Eryn <Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Received! Thanks Rebecca. Sorry for the delay—it's been a heck of a month.

John would likely take this meeting alone first before involving the President, so let me ask him if he can do this in August. He'll be in town Aug 11 – 22. Is Dr. Mitchell planning to be in town then?

Thanks,

Eryn

10/18/2016

Eryn M. Sepp

Special Assistant to the Counselor to the President

[202-456-1404](tel:202-456-1404)

Eryn_M_Sepp@who.eop.gov

From: Rebecca Hardcastle Wright [mailto:rhardcastlewright@gmail.com]

Sent: Wednesday, June 25, 2014 8:08 AM

To: Sepp, Eryn

Subject: Apollo Astronaut, Dr. Edgar Mitchell's, Request for Meeting to discuss Disclosure

Re: Apollo Astronaut, Dr. Edgar Mitchell's, Request for Meeting to discuss Disclosure

Dear John Podesta:

As we move into the last half of 2014, the need for extraterrestrial disclosure intensifies. Thank you for your kind consideration and response to my email.

This 4 July weekend I will meet with President Obama's friend, Ambassador Hamamoto, at the US Mission in Geneva during their Independence Day Celebration. While in Geneva I will also speak at the UN and the European Space Agency regarding why we must move forward with disclosure and specific programs such as manned moon missions, since some scientists and others are calling for moon colonization due to what they perceive is happening on Earth.

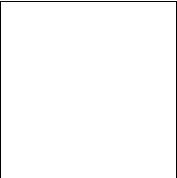
John, with this email I am requesting a conversation with you and President Obama regarding the next steps in extraterrestrial disclosure for the benefit of our country and our planet.

Fifty years ago Battelle, Brookings and RAND studies on UFOs convinced the government to remove knowledge of the extraterrestrial presence from the citizens of our country. These organizations advised with their best information. However, today much, if not most, of the extraterrestrial reality they examined is known by our citizens. These organizations' resultant strategies and policies of 50 years ago no longer hold credibility or benefit.

Five decades of UFO information have dramatically shifted the public awareness of an extraterrestrial presence. And yet, our government is still operating from outdated beliefs and policies. These are detrimental to trust in government transparency, science, religion, and responsible citizenry embracing the next step in our country's space travel and research.

Three disclosure issues are prominent: 1) planet sustainability via next generation energies such as zero point energy, 2) galactic travel and research undertaken as an advanced species aware of the extraterrestrial presence, not as uninformed explorers who revert to colonialism and destruction and 3) the example of a confident, engaged government who respectfully regards the wisdom and intellect of its citizens as we move into space.

I respectfully receive your response to my request for conversation on disclosure.



Warmest Regards,

Edgar D. Mitchell, ScD
Chief Science Officer & Founder, Quantrek
Apollo 14 astronaut
6th man to walk on the Moon

cc:

Rebecca Hardcastle Wright, PhD
Washington DC Representative, Quantrek

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From: ["National Constitution Center" <education@constitutioncenter.org>](mailto:education@constitutioncenter.org)

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 8/23/2015 10:35:25 PM

Subject: Constitution Day is Less Than One Month Away!

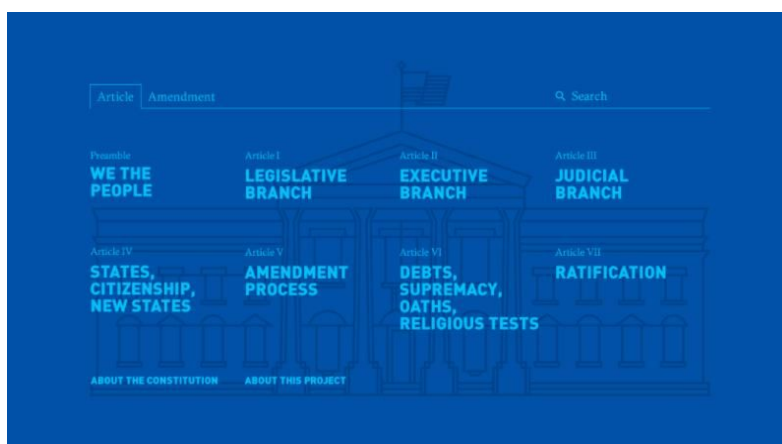


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[Coming Soon: The NEW Interactive Constitution](#)

The best interactive, nonpartisan Constitution on the web will debut this September, made possible through the generosity of the John Templeton Foundation, and developed in partnership with the College Board.

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Explore the Bill of Rights with this interactive, online resource! Discover historical influences on early drafts of the Bill of Rights with [Writing Rights](#) and compare constitutional expressions of liberty from around the globe with [Rights Around the World](#).

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Watch live as Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer joins us for a town hall conversation about his work with the Constitution and the ins and outs of his job! The live stream will be found [here](#) on September 17. The program begins at 12 PM EDT.

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Just in time for Constitution Day, we are releasing the newest edition of our free, award-winning

video series! The Fifth Anniversary Edition will feature clips from our most popular episodes - it's the ultimate Constitution Day lesson! You and your students can also join our experts for a live discussion about Constitution Day and the nation's governing document. The chat is open weekdays, from September 10 to 23, from 7 AM to 6 PM EDT. Archived episodes of Constitution Hall Pass [are available](#).



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From: "Lona Valmoro" <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/20/2014 6:44:46 PM

Subject: Re: TOMORROW -- Meeting with Secretary Clinton on Friday, November 21st

I gave to Eryn but will find and resend.

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, November 20, 2014 8:23:30 PM

To: Lona Valmoro

Subject: Re: TOMORROW -- Meeting with Secretary Clinton on Friday, November 21st

Call in number?

On Nov 20, 2014 4:00 PM, "Lona Valmoro" <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

We are looking forward to seeing everyone tomorrow at 2:30pm.

Please come to the lobby of the building and check in with security (your names will be on a list).

We will meet you in the lobby and escort up to our conference room.

Lona Valmoro

Office of Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton

(202) 365-2934 (cell)

From: Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>

Date: Friday, November 14, 2014 4:24 PM

To: Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>, "gbsperling@gmail.com" <gbsperling@gmail.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>, Tom Nides <Tom.nides@gmail.com>, Ann O'Leary <Ann.oleary@thenextgeneration.org>, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>, "ccj@jenningsps.com" <ccj@jenningsps.com>

Cc: "Ethan Gelber (HRC)" <egelber@hrcoffice.com>, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>, Joanne Laszczyc <jlaszczyc@cdmillsGroup.com>, Huma Abedin <huma@clintonemail.com>, Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>, Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>

Subject: TIME CONFIRMATION -- Meeting with Secretary Clinton on Friday, November 21st

We are confirmed for Friday, November 21st from 2:30pm-5:00pm.

Thanks everyone, enjoy the weekend!

Lona Valmoro

Office of Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton

(202) 365-2934 (cell)

From: Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>

Date: Monday, November 10, 2014 2:27 PM

To: Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>, "gbsperling@gmail.com" <gbsperling@gmail.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>, Tom Nides <Tom.nides@gmail.com>, Ann O'Leary <Ann.oleary@thenextgeneration.org>, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>, "ccj@jenningsps.com" <ccj@jenningsps.com>

Cc: "Ethan Gelber (HRC)" <egelber@hrcoffice.com>, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>, Joanne Laszczyc <jlaszczyc@cdmillsGroup.com>, Huma Abedin <huma@clintonemail.com>

Subject: DATE CHANGE -- Meeting with Secretary Clinton on Friday, November 21st

Please let me know if you would have a significant conflict with a meeting on Friday, November 21st in the early afternoon — thank you.

Lona Valmoro

Office of Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton

(202) 365-2934 (cell)

From: Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>

Date: Monday, November 10, 2014 9:58 AM

To: "gsperling@gmail.com" <gsperling@gmail.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org>, Tom Nides <Tom.nides@gmail.com>, Ann O'Leary <Ann.oleary@thenextgeneration.org>, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>, "ccj@jenningsps.com" <ccj@jenningsps.com>

Cc: "Ethan Gelber (HRC)" <egelber@hrcoffice.com>, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>, Joanne Laszczych <jlaszczych@cdmillsGroup.com>, Lona Valmoro <lvalmoro@hrcoffice.com>, Huma Abedin <huma@clintonemail.com>

Subject: Meeting with Secretary Clinton on Wednesday, November 19th

Friends, we would like to invite you to a small meeting with Secretary Clinton on Wednesday, November 19th at 3:00pm.

The location will be the HRC's personal office in New York City:

120 West 45th Street
Suite 2700 (27th Floor)
New York, NY 10036

If you have any logistical questions about the meeting, please ask me. I will send out final confirmation and information about building access to the building on the 17th.

Please let me know if you will/will not be able to attend the meeting.

If you have any content/agenda questions about the meeting, please be in touch with Dan Schwerin (copied here).

Thank you!

Lona Valmoro
Office of Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton
(202) 365-2934 (cell)

From: Nancybk@aol.com

To: CDR-MembersXchange@yahoogroups.com
adapt-cal@yahoogroups.com
ihss.consumers.union@gmail.com

Date: 9/13/2013 12:06:48 PM

Subject: LTC Commission - ADAPT calls on the Disability Community - establish federal pol

Attachments: ADAPTLTCCSept2013[1].doc

Although the ADAPT Community had hoped the Federal Commission on Long Term Care would produce important recommendations improving the lives of people with disabilities who use long term services and supports, we are deeply disappointed with the recommendations the Commission has released which fail to address critical issues.

The report:

- fails to address Medicaid's institutional bias in any substantive and actionable way, instead talking vaguely about promoting "options for people who would prefer to live in the community";
- demonstrates a complete lack of awareness about the Olmstead rights of people with disabilities to live in "the most integrated setting" by using language from IDEA;
- fails to address the need for affordable, accessible integrated housing which forces people to remain in institutions;
- promotes unwanted medicalization and over-regulation of home and community-based services which undercuts the availability and intent of consumer-directed services;
- assumes people with disabilities are passive, establishing the expectation that family members and attendants should be part of the person- and family-centered planning approach and included on "treatment teams," but never acknowledging the role that people with disabilities should have in developing their own person-DIRECTED plan; and
- fails to provide any specific, actionable recommendation for moving forward to develop a system that meets the needs of people with disabilities who want to manage their own services and live independently in the community, but including a specific recommendation to increase available funding to nursing facilities.

It is notable that Henry Claypool and Lynnae Ruttledge - the two representative who come from the Disability Community - voted "no" on this plan. From what we have read, it seems clear why they did. If it doesn't do anything else, this report reaffirms the need for fundamental change in the systems that provide Long Term Services and Support and demonstrates that people with disabilities cannot rely on others to advocate for such change.

ADAPT calls on the Disability Community to work together so we finally establish federal policies which will FREE OUR PEOPLE!

The ADAPT Community

From: "Emily Aden" <eaden@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Ben Krauss" <bakrauss@gmail.com>

Date: 3/20/2016 8:42:36 AM

Subject: Re: Talking Points for Event with Arizona Tribal Leaders

good for research

On Sun, Mar 20, 2016 at 3:35 PM, Ben Krauss <bakrauss@gmail.com> wrote:

++ Drafts

Need any edits before 4:45pm please. Thank you!

On Sun, Mar 20, 2016 at 3:06 PM, Michael Stennis <mstennis@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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Michael J. Stennis

MStennis@hillaryclinton.com | [206.226.3177](tel:206.226.3177)

On Sun, Mar 20, 2016 at 2:12 PM, Ben Krauss <bakrauss@gmail.com> wrote:

Attaching a brief topper for this event. Please send any edits in the next couple hours as the book is closing at 5 today.

Thanks!

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Benjamin A. Krauss

[+1 \(914\) 299-6480](tel:+19142996480)

bakrauss@gmail.com

From: ["Andrew Kessel" <akessel@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:akessel@clintonfoundation.org)
To: ["Valerie Alexander" <valexander@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:valexander@clintonfoundation.org)
["Fred Poust" <fred.poust@clintonglobalinitiative.org>](mailto:fred.poust@clintonglobalinitiative.org)
["Robert Harrison" <bob.harrison@clintonglobalinitiative.org>](mailto:bob.harrison@clintonglobalinitiative.org)
Date: 11/21/2011 10:00:03 AM
Subject: RE: Pritzker

Thank you all!

Andrew Kessel
Chief Financial Officer
William J. Clinton Foundation
610 President Clinton Ave.
Little Rock, AR 72201
501-951-4461 (Cell)
501-748-0473 (Office)

-----Original Message-----

From: Valerie Alexander
Sent: Monday, November 21, 2011 3:59 PM
To: Fred Poust; Andrew Kessel; Robert Harrison
Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com; Kelsey Nasworthy
Subject: Re: Pritzker

Perfect

----- Original Message -----

From: Fred Poust
To: Valerie Alexander; Andrew Kessel; Robert Harrison
Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Kelsey Nasworthy
Sent: Mon Nov 21 16:59:25 2011
Subject: RE: Pritzker

All-

Keeping Val in the loop, we will work with JB and team on the following for CGI America:

- 1) Potential speaking/welcoming role for JB at the meeting
- 2) Opportunity for JB/MK to spend time with WJC at/around meeting
- 3) Ensuring the sponsor reception occurs when JB/MK are available
- 4) Soliciting input (no guarantees) around topics of importance to JB
- 5) Soliciting relevant panelist input (again, no guarantees)
- 6) Drafting our standard 2-3 page agreement

I think that is it. Val, let me know what I missed.

Thanks.
Fred

-----Original Message-----

From: Valerie Alexander
Sent: Monday, November 21, 2011 4:51 PM
To: Andrew Kessel; Robert Harrison
Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com; Fred Poust
Subject: Re: Pritzker

Yes. Adding. Fred and I discussed.

----- Original Message -----

From: Andrew Kessel

To: Valerie Alexander; Robert Harrison

Cc: 'john.podesta@gmail.com' <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Sent: Mon Nov 21 16:50:06 2011

Subject: RE: Pritzker

Valerie (adding Bob and John)

So that is verified?

Do we need CGI to do an agreement?

What are the next steps?

Andrew Kessel

-----Original Message-----

From: Valerie Alexander

Sent: Monday, November 21, 2011 3:31 PM

To: Andrew Kessel

Subject: Re: Pritzker

He is funding at 1M

----- Original Message -----

From: Andrew Kessel

To: Valerie Alexander

Sent: Mon Nov 21 15:45:29 2011

Subject: Pritzker

Any update with them for CGI America 2012

Andrew Kessel

501-951-4461

From: "Luke Quandt" <info@baronhillforindiana.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/30/2015 12:08:00 PM

Subject: Baron needs you



YEAR-END FUNDRAISING GOAL: \$2,311 LEFT TO GO. [Contribute \\$5 now >>](#)

John --

I'm Luke, Baron's campaign manager.

I wanted to take a minute to tell you where we are with our big year-end fundraising push. Folks across Indiana are stepping up in a big way, and we're almost there. Right now we're only \$2,311 away from hitting our goal.

It's my job to keep the campaign on track and to make sure we're hitting all of our goals. That's why we send emails like this -- so we will have what we need to start next year strong.

[Pitch in \\$5 right away and help us hit our year-end goal.](#)

Reaching this goal will keep us on pace so we can win next year. Each goal we hit helps us be in the best possible position. If we fall short, we'll have to make some tough choices. Let's not go down that road.

If you've ever wondered why you get so many emails asking for contributions, it's because grassroots supporters like you are what makes a winning campaign. We can't do this without you. Baron isn't going to call on folks like the Koch brothers to help him out. He's going to win this because folks like you pitched in what they could.

[Can Baron count on you in our final push of the year? Contribute \\$5 or whatever you can today.](#)

Thanks,

Luke Quandt
Baron for Indiana

DONATE

This message was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com.
If you'd no longer wish to receive updates from our campaign, please [click here](#) .

PO Box 30675
Indianapolis, IN 46230



From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 11/20/2015 7:26:46 AM

Subject: Re: TWEETS 11/20

Naa

On Friday, November 20, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Also this RT:



On Fri, Nov 20, 2015 at 11:24 AM, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Great scheduling now.

On Fri, Nov 20, 2015 at 11:08 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Instead of proud of in first one let's just say Go @Hillary...

On Friday, November 20, 2015, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

TWEETS 11/20

Proud of @HillaryforIA: "They came in and they made friends and they recruited" #iacaucus <http://fw.to/Ov0SIAU>

Re-imagining our world's energy future will take a shared sense of urgency. Great video from @NatGeo @unfoundation <http://on.natgeo.com/1T3FicL>

RETWEET RESPONSES 11/20

Hard to believe. Even from @therealDonaldTrump.



Hillary Clinton ✓
@HillaryClinton



Following

This is shocking rhetoric. It should be denounced by all seeking to lead this country. -H

The New York Times @nytimes

Donald Trump says he'd "absolutely" require Muslims to register in a database
nyti.ms/1X2aGhv

RETWEETS 11/20



Christina Reynolds @creynoldsnc · 17h

Thanks @realDonaldTrump. I'm fighting to elect @HillaryClinton, who actually cares about these issues. #ImWithHer

Zeke Miller @ZekeJMiller

Trump gets equal pay question: "People have to go out there and fight for themselves."



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From:	"Patti Paule-Carres" <paulecarres@comcast.net>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> roymanvsp@yahoo.com
Date:	2/3/2016 3:10:59 PM
Subject:	RE: Lane 50th reunion

I'm in.

-----Original Message-----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, February 03, 2016 6:22 PM
To: roymanvsp@yahoo.com; Glenn & Patti Paule-Carres
<paulecarres@comcast.net>
Subject: Lane 50th reunion

Are we going? October 15.

Sent from my iPhone

From: "[Federico de Jesús](mailto:fdejesus@fdjsolutions.com)" <fdejesus@fdjsolutions.com>

To: "[John D.](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 12/24/2015 1:44:19 PM

Subject: Happy Holidays! ¡Feliz Navidad!

Happy Holidays from FDJ Solutions.

[View this email in your browser](#)



Happy Holidays! ¡Feliz Navidad!

Thank you for making 2015 a successful year for our company and the causes we championed together.

We wish you a prosperous 2016 and hope we can continue to work with you in the new year.

From all of us at FDJ, we wish you the best in this holiday season and all year round. ¡Felicidades!

Federico de Jesús
Principal
FDJ Solutions LLC



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FDJ Solutions
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First Floor
Washington, DC 20007

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MailChimp

From: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
To: deblasio@att.blackberry.net
Date: 4/28/2015 8:10:39 AM
Subject: Re: Email we are sending out today

Grazie!

On Apr 28, 2015 2:55 PM, "Bill de Blasio" <deblasio@att.blackberry.net> wrote:

I am pleased to note that I have used the specific word "hopeful" (along with the word "optimistic") many times recently with our friends in the media who have asked about Hillary.

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, 28 Apr 2015 14:39:17 -0400
To: <deblasio@att.blackberry.net>
Cc: Neera Tanden<ntanden@americanprogress.org>; Robby Mook<re47@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: Re: Email we are sending out today

Thanks. Lots of overlap. Remember when it comes to us future and hopeful.

Following up on my conversations with each of you last week, I want to keep you updated on the next steps in our efforts to organize progressives nationally to take on income inequality. Below is an email going out today for an event coming up in 2 weeks. I believe you will agree with much of this content. Please let me know if you want to discuss. Thanks - Bill

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

From: John Del Cecato <jfdc@akpdmmedia.com>
Date: Tue, 28 Apr 2015 13:21:58 +0000
To: Bill de Blasio<deblasio@att.blackberry.net>
Subject: Email we will be sending out

On Tuesday, May 12 at 3:00pm, national progressive leaders will gather at the U.S. Capitol Building's **House Triangle** to declare their support for **The Progressive Agenda to Combat Income Inequality**.

The group of supporters will include federal and local elected officials, labor officials, cultural leaders, and progressive thought leaders.

The Progressive Agenda – a progressive alternative, of sorts, to the 1994 Republican Contract with America – will include specific proposals to lift the floor for working people, support working parents, and promote tax fairness – policies that **reward work rather than just wealth**.

The event stems from a summit that Mayor de Blasio convened in New York City in early April, where a small group of national progressive leaders gathered to discuss ways the country could combat the crisis of our time -- **income inequality**.

The Progressive Agenda builds upon the work of dozens of economists, lawmakers, think tanks, and progressive activists. It is not meant to be seen as a comprehensive collection of how to combat income inequality, but rather a bold collection of policy proposals around which progressives can organize and mobilize.

You are cordially invited to join us at 3pm on May 12!

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If you cannot attend in person, we'd still urge you to [sign on to the document](#).

To sign on, please email me back as soon as possible, but no later than this Friday, May 1.

Thanks for your consideration, and feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

The Progressive Agenda

To Combat Income Inequality

1. Lift the Floor for Working People

- Raise the federal **minimum wage**, so that it reaches \$15/hour, while indexing it to inflation.
- Reform the National Labor Relations Act, to enhance workers' **right to organize** and **rebuild the middle class**.
- Pass comprehensive **immigration reform** to grow the economy and protect against exploitation of **low-wage workers**.
- **Oppose trade deals** that hand **more power to corporations** at the expense of American jobs, workers' rights, and the environment.

2. Support Working Families

- Pass national **paid sick leave**.
- Pass national **paid family leave**.
- Make **Pre-K, after-school programs** and **childcare** universal.
- Expand the **Earned Income Tax Credit**.
- Allow students to **refinance student loan debt** to take advantage of lower interest rates.

3. Tax Fairness

- Close the **carried interest loophole**.
- End tax breaks for companies that **ship jobs overseas**.
- Implement the **"Buffett Rule"** so millionaires pay their fair share.

- Close the **CEO tax loophole** that allows corporations to exploit “performance pay” write-offs.

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From: "Christina Reynolds" <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>

"Kristina Schake" <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>

"Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 5/30/2015 10:12:38 AM

Subject: Fwd: Tweet: Photo of O'Malley event in Davenport, IA

Bless his heart. Bernie got 400 in Iowa City today.

Also, Daily Beast story about O'Malley launch is brutal--headline calls it embarrassing.

<http://www.thedailybeast.com/articles/2015/05/30/martin-o-malley-s-embarrassing-announcement.html>

Begin forwarded message:

From: Lily Adams <ladams@hillaryclinton.com>

To: HRCRR <hrcrr@hillaryclinton.com>

Subject: Re: Tweet: Photo of O'Malley event in Davenport, IA

 Inline image 1

On Sat, May 30, 2015 at 2:50 PM, Lily Adams <ladams@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
event starts in 15 minutes or so

<https://twitter.com/EvanMcSan/status/604736000640753665>

Sanders Iowa crowds today have been very big.

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Lily Adams

Iowa Communications Director

Hillary for America

c: [202-368-4013](tel:202-368-4013)

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Lily Adams
Iowa Communications Director
Hillary for America
c: 202-368-4013

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To unsubscribe from this group and stop receiving emails from it, send an email to

hrcrr+unsubscribe@hillaryclinton.com .

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Robert Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)

Date: 3/22/2015 2:41:40 PM

Subject: Re: memo

To what end? What's in your craw?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Mar 22, 2015, at 9:38 PM, Robert Mook <robbymook@gmail.com> wrote:

Well, there we are! That's great. You ok if I discuss with Jen and Kristina tomorrow?

On Sun, Mar 22, 2015 at 9:33 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

She already signed off.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Mar 22, 2015, at 6:26 PM, Robby Mook <robbymook@gmail.com> wrote:

Send to the boss?

On Mar 22, 2015, at 6:24 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

This is now good to go. Do you want me to send out or do you want to attach a cover and send it from you?

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

Subject: memo

<2015-03-22 Memo for Senior Personnel - rev.docx>

From: "[Kristina Schake](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)" <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "[Jennifer Palmieri](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 1/10/2016 4:50:10 AM
Subject: Re: 12:45pm pre-call

I figure Jen and John won't be able to make this call for the Black Brown Forum. We have a 1 pm call with HRC - this is the pre-call. Karen is doing the agenda and will walk the group through everyone's roles for the HRC call. We know the debate prep team might not be able to join.

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 11:43 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Can't do - now have a 1230 pm Boston globe call with her.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 10, 2016, at 11:40 AM, Comms Admin <commsadmin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Hi all,

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> We are setting up a 12:45pm pre-call before the 1:00pm call with HRC. Karen will be running through the agenda and a dial-in will be sent shortly.

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> Thanks!

>

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Kristina Schake | Communications
Hillary for America



From: ["Daniel Lashof" <dlashof@nextgenamerica.org>](mailto:dlashof@nextgenamerica.org)
To: ["Lauren Terrazas" <lterrazas@nextgenamerica.org>](mailto:lterrazas@nextgenamerica.org)
Date: 4/1/2015 8:42:21 AM
Subject: Breaking: Global Warming Hoax Confirmed

I'm very sorry to be sending a second mailing this week, but with [apologies to John Oliver](#) , this one really couldn't go out on any other day.

It turns out global warming is a hoax after all. Watch the shocking video produced by my friends at NextGen Climate Action:
<https://nextgenclimate.org/hotseat/>

This is a huge relief because it means we don't have to worry about the Third Stir of the Dragons:
<http://www.nature.com/.../jou.../vaop/ncurrent/full/520042a.html>

Best,
-Dan

Note: You have received this message because you are on my personal distribution list. Please let me know if you have any comments. Please contact Lauren Terrazas <lterrazas@nextgenamerica.org> if you would like to be removed from my distribution list.

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Please note: My assistant has access to my inbox and calendar.

From: ["Charles Pruett" <pruettc@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:pruettc@law.georgetown.edu)
To: [Announcements <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 10/16/2015 1:17:38 PM
Subject: The Second Annual Georgetown Law Halloween / Fall Decoration Contest

Dear Community Colleagues,

Put on your thinking caps this weekend - the Building Community Committee is pleased to announce the Second Annual Georgetown Law Halloween / Fall Decoration Contest!

All Georgetown Law community members may participate. You may choose either a Halloween or a fall seasonal theme and you can partner with other staff/offices if you wish. There are three broad groupings: Individual Workspace/Office, Door Decoration, Offices/Teams.

The "Rules"

Decoration can begin at any time. To encourage the opportunity for the entire community to view the decorations, please put up your decorations as early as possible. The decorations will be judged on October 30th.

Our Georgetown Law Communications colleagues may wish to incorporate the decorations into various messages for our internal and external communities. Obviously, if your decorations are done earlier, your work has a better chance of being memorialized.

Please keep costs in mind – our prior decoration contests were offered at minimal cost by staff donating or bringing from home most of the materials used outside of a small amount of office supplies. The decorations are for everyone and they are greatly enjoyed by the students and the enhanced community spirit benefits all. In my other role as Assistant Dean for Financial Aid, I thank you in advance for balancing both fun and finances.

Finally – HAVE FUN!

Online registration information will be provided next week so everyone will have the opportunity to see who is participating! A viewing guide will be provided as well.

Happy Fall from the Building Community Committee!

Charles

Charles W. Pruett
Co-Chair Building Community Committee

From: "Emily Aden" <eaden@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Karen Finney" <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 9/18/2015 8:58:49 AM
Subject: Re: DRAFT: bullets for CBC Foundation reception tomorrow

Good for research

On Fri, Sep 18, 2015 at 3:57 PM, Karen Finney <kfinney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

A couple of suggestions - thematically confronting race and inequity is repeated a couple of times, can we pull one and have her talk a bit more about her ideas - many of the people in the room don't know that she's been talking about criminal justice reform, college, voting rights, increasing wages, support for small businesses, women's health; would be good to have a riff in there and I think folks need to hear some substance. Doesn't have to be long or overly detailed.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 18, 2015, at 3:45 PM, Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hey all – attached are bullets for the CBC reception tomorrow. All the content will be familiar from previous events (the Foundry sermon, the Urban League remarks). Marlon, LaDavia, De'Ara and Maya have already signed off (though if you guys have more edits, hit me!)

Please send edits by 530pm. Thanks.

<2015-09-18 draft CBC reception 330pm.docx>

From:	"Kristina Costa" <kcosta@hillaryclinton.com>
To:	"Speech Drafts" <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com>
Date:	9/15/2015 3:32:13 AM
Subject:	For edits/approval: Letter to DNC members
Attachments:	2015-09-15 DNC letter 1030am.docx

Attaching a draft letter from HRC to DNC members that reiterates key themes from her Minneapolis speech and goes a little deeper into some key policy areas. Political would like to have this ready to send this out by the end of the week, so please send edits/approvals today. Thanks all.

From: "Stern, Todd" <Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com>
To: "Carol Browner" <cbrowner@thealbrightgrouppllc.com>
john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 10/29/2008 10:04:53 AM
Subject: RE: Foreign Climate Delegations

I think that as of Nov. 5 this has to stop as a Frank and Nigel show and that everything ought to route through David and you, to handle as you see fit. I suppose you could still use Frank and/or Nigel to the extent you wanted to, but that on Nov. 5 it becomes a transition call because the campaign is over. And there should be no freelancing at that point. My view.

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From: Carol Browner [mailto:cbrowner@thealbrightgrouppllc.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 29, 2008 4:12 PM
To: john.podesta@gmail.com; Stern, Todd
Subject: Foreign Climate Delegations

Frank Loy and Nigel Purvis continue to hear from and meet with foreign delegations on climate at Jason's request. They now have a list of 5 or more that have requested meetings with the transition team post Tuesday. Can we, should we, designate two or three folks to handle all of these requests.

From:	"Karen Tumulty" <TumultyK@washpost.com>
To:	"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date:	8/1/2011 2:16:09 AM
Subject:	You reachable today?

From:	jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	7/21/2015 9:08:26 AM
Subject:	Declined: Chuka Umunna w/ Matt Browne @ Thu Jul 23, 2015 12pm - 1pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com has declined this invitation.

Chuka Umunna w/ Matt Browne

Thu Jul 23, 2015 12pm – 1pm Eastern Time

When

John's Office ([map](#))

Where

john.podesta@gmail.com

Calendar

Who

- John Podesta - organizer
- jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com

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From: [DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>](mailto:DMCOS@who.eop.gov)

To: John.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 10/10/2015 7:13:01 PM

Subject: Re: If I haven't been PNG'd

Great.

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, October 10, 2015 10:10 PM

To: DMCOS

Subject: Re: If I haven't been PNG'd

Yes I'll bring with me

On Oct 10, 2015 4:51 PM, "DMCOS" <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Roger. Will do.

Do you have an extra bib, by chance?

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, October 10, 2015 04:34 PM

To: DMCOS

Subject: Re: If I haven't been PNG'd

I'll be ready. Give me an eta.

On Saturday, October 10, 2015, DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Swinging by your house if easy.

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, October 10, 2015 12:49 PM

To: DMCOS

Subject: Re: If I haven't been PNG'd

Great, but if easier I can make my way to WH.

On Saturday, October 10, 2015, DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov> wrote:

How about we pick you up on our way in?

We'll have Anna (sister), Jimmy (brother), Paul (bro-in-law). And we can pick you up en route.

Cool?

If yes, I'll send a note later on exact time. And would be great if you could send address.

DM

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, October 10, 2015 12:03 PM

To: DMCOS

Subject: If I haven't been PNG'd

Want to try to meet up for the race tomorrow? I can come to your house or meet you at 17th and Penn and go over to the Pentagon together. I could try to meet you over there too, but that's more of a zoo.

From: "Sarah Russell" <info@baronhillforindiana.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/30/2015 4:08:02 AM

Subject: Your support (Baron Hill)



John --

I'm going through all of our supporter records for 2015, and I wanted to send a quick note to say thank you for being a part of Baron's campaign.

We've got a real shot at winning this race and taking back the majority in the Senate. But, we can't do this without your help.

I was hoping we could count on you to become an official Baron for Indiana donor before our big deadline on December 31st.

Email Address: john.podesta@gmail.com

Supporter ID: 73810819

Suggested Support: \$5 ([contribute](#))

Thank you for standing with Baron,

Sarah Russell
Baron for Indiana

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This message was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com.
If you'd no longer wish to receive updates from our campaign, please [click here](#).

PO Box 30675
Indianapolis, IN 46230

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From: ["Sara Latham" <Sara.Latham@ptt.gov>](mailto:Sara.Latham@ptt.gov)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 12/12/2008 11:56:37 AM

Subject: Lockhart's address!

Sorry, I managed to leave without leaving you the address for tonight - 2122 Bancroft Place

It's the first left off of Conn. after you cross FL Ave.

Sara

From: "Sara El-Amine, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 5/4/2013 6:13:23 AM

Subject: Petition status: Unsigned



John --

This week, OFA volunteers are hand-delivering a petition to Congress with the names of every OFA supporter who's fighting to reduce gun violence.

According to our most recent records, it looks like you haven't signed it yet:

-- **Petition status:** Unsigned

-- **Suggested action:** [Add your name here](#)

It's not too late -- add your name today:

<http://my.barackobama.com/Sign-the-Petition>

We have to keep the pressure on Congress to move on background checks -- and only you can hold your members of Congress accountable.

It's a make-or-break moment for our movement -- a real test of our commitment to keep fighting, even when it gets hard, for the things we believe in.

Thanks for all your help,

Sara

Sara El-Amine
National Organizing Director
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From: ["Sara Latham" <Sara.Latham@ptt.gov>](mailto:Sara.Latham@ptt.gov)
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Date: 12/2/2008 5:45:02 AM
Subject: VPE / Senator Graham meeting, tomorrow 2pm

Elisabeth and Elizabeth,

Connecting you to Govr. Napolitano's staff, Dennis Burke, to coordinate on logistics for tomorrow.
The Governor can attend the 2pm meeting.

Dennis Burke - cell 602 697 7208

Unfortunately, General Jones cannot make the VPE/Graham meeting, but is happy to do a phone call with Sen. Graham,
if team cc'd on this email think that he should? His COS Sarah Farnsworth has spoken to Mark/Denis about this, and is also cc'd above.

thanks,
Sara

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/10/2016 8:18:13 AM

Subject: ROUNDUP: FYIs // Call Reqs

Just a few notes/calls today!

FYIS:

India Track II Dinner Arrival

Doors open tonight at 6:30 PM, but Pete & co won't be there until 6:45-ish, so no need to rush. Dinner is at 7:00.

Sunday Call

Still trying to get the call on the books for you, Robby, Jen, Jake, Huma, but proving difficult with Huma/HRC travel schedule. We may have to do an evening call instead.

Winnie S. sent you a resume

Younger guy who is looking for a job on the campaign.

Do you want me to pass on to Nat?

CALL REQs:

Kathleen Sebelius

Cell: (785) 554-4422

Asked if you had five minutes to catch up. (in gmail)

Judith McHale

Cell: 301-367-1412

Asked if you have time for a call. (in jp66)

Tracy Maitland:

Cell: [212-482-1608](tel:212-482-1608)

From Finance-- HRC is going to do a roundtable with top African American donor/bundler-types on the afternoon of March 30th in NYC. We are starting to make calls now. It would be really helpful if you could call Tracy to invite him – he attended the first dinner that Frank White organized for you at the beginning of the campaign. Tracy raised a lot for Obama but has not done anything for us yet.

He needs to hear that this meeting is an important one and coming from you, the message will be clearer. We expect to keep the roundtable to no more than 25 people – all who have a history of raising significant political dollars but have not yet stepped up for HRC yet.

Michael Polsky

Cell: [\(312\) 593-1406](tel:312-593-1406)

From Finance-- Michael is one of the campaign's top targets to contribute \$353,400 to the Hillary Victory Fund in 2016. At the least, we think a call back from John could help us get Michael's \$33,400 to HVF, Michael's wife's \$33,400 to HVF.

From: ["Anderson, Kim \[NEA-GR\]" <KAnderson@nea.org>](mailto:KAnderson@nea.org)

To: [bigcampaign <bigcampaign@googlegroups.com>](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)

Date: 7/24/2012 6:04:02 PM

Subject: [big campaign] Fwd: Which of your kids would you put up for sale? (Spotlight on ALEC)

Wanted to make sure you saw this new video about all the corporate money behind privatization of public education--through a variety of pieces of ALEC legislation.

We hope you find this useful and encourage you to share it with others in your organization, post on Facebook and tweet out — or retweet our post this morning from Education Votes -- "@edvotes: Great video on #ALEC helping private companies and CEOs loot millions of dollars from public schools and students - <http://t.co/41bQp5WT> "

From: Robert Greenwald [\[mailto:info@bravenew01.org\]](mailto:info@bravenew01.org)

Sent: Monday, July 23, 2012 2:22 PM

Subject: Which of your kids would you put up for sale?



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Public education is essential to our democracy — but big corporations and their front group ALEC see it as just another way to make money. They're working to ensure your tax dollars get diverted to private companies that skimp on quality, sometimes foregoing school buildings and classrooms altogether, to maximize profits. They might as well put a dollar sign on students' foreheads.

Is that the kind of world we want? [Watch the video](#) to understand how ALEC is trying to put students up for sale.

Thanks as always for your support,

Robert Greenwald

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To: ["Shervin Pishevar" <shervin@sherpa.com>](mailto:shervin@sherpa.com)

Date: 1/4/2016 2:34:42 PM

Subject: Re: Happy New Year

Working on it.

On Monday, January 4, 2016, Shervin Pishevar <shervin@sherpa.com> wrote:

Happy new year John.

Yes let's make history.

Any word on the idea of hosting all 3 presidents?

Sent from my brain

On Jan 2, 2016, at 10:39 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Wishing you a happy New Year. 2015 was challenging, but we ended in a good place thanks to your help and support. Look forward to working with you to elect the first woman President of the United States.

Have a great New Year.

-John

From: ["O'Hanlon, Simone" <Simone_OHanlon@hks.harvard.edu>](mailto:Simone_OHanlon@hks.harvard.edu)
To: ["Noubar Afeyan \(Flagship Ventures\)" <nafeyan@flagshipventures.com>](mailto:nafeyan@flagshipventures.com)
podesta@law.georgetown.edu
Date: 8/12/2015 1:29:28 PM
Subject: Graham Allison phone call with Noubar Afeyan and John Podesta

To Mr. Afeyan and Mr. Podesta,

Graham Allison has asked that I schedule a three-way phone call for next week. Can you please let me know if you have any availability on the afternoon of Tuesday, August 18?

Thank you,
Simone

Simone C. O'Hanlon

Executive Assistant to Graham Allison

Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, Harvard University

617-496-6098

From: "Sara Du Bois" <sdubois@progressivemediainusa.org>

To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com

Date: 6/6/2008 11:02:48 AM

Subject: [big campaign] Tracking Update: McCain Press Avail in Everglades, FL 06/06/08

Hello BigCampaign,

We were not able to get a tracker to McCain's exotic event today in the Everglades. However, we were able to monitor his press avail via streaming video. Below are notes from the event.

Big Highlights

- McCain says Bush did not overstep his authority by wiretapping
- McCain spent most of the event defending his opposition to Everglades preservation bills; also his cap-and-trade proposal and catastrophe insurance
- McCain also took questions on unemployment #s and yesterday's report on Iraq

Everglades, FL: McCain Press Avail 06/06/08

Background Details

- Gov. Crist and Congressman Diaz-Balart were with McCain.
- Small- to mid-sized gaggle of national/traveling and local press
- Event took place on site of the Everglades Safari Park near Miami. McCain did not appear to weather the heat too well—appeared very sweaty.

Opening Remarks

MCCAIN: On the topic of FISA. I've always said I'd obey any law that's passed by the US congress. Right now the courts are taking up issues of powers of President. Unfortunately FISA bill is hung up in the House – hopefully they'll be able to get something good done. Our ability to counter terrorists acts is impeded by our failure to pass the FISA bill. Therefore it is a priority. I believe the telecoms companies shouldn't be retroactively held liable for cooperating with our govt's requests to monitor communications from and with other countries. We need to pass the FISA bill that went through the Senate – this clears up a lot of the ambiguities.

Press Avail

- Q1) KELLY O'DONNELL: Prior to this revamping of FISA, do you feel Pres Bush overreached his authority?
MCCAIN: No. one court said he was legal in what he did. Other courts have said he was not. the whole issue can be resolved by passing this FISA bill. I'm not interested in going back... let's move forward. Let's address the challenge we face today to counter individuals that threaten this country.
- Q2) Dems have been critical of you for not supporting the WRDA (Water Resources Development Act)?
They said you didn't get it, that it wasn't an appropriations bill; it was an authorization bill.
MCCAIN: I'm astonished that they are critical of me. Yeah it was a bill with 900 projects on it, with \$58B already on the books. They added another \$23B. this is the game in DC. And then the appropriators pick which one of those projects that are authorized to fund. That's how you get museums funded rather than the Everglades restored. I'm glad that Feingold and I worked on it. And McCaskill. I'm disappointed that Obama became part of the same old system, not only authorizing pork-barrel projects but seeking 10s of millions of dollars in earmarks in his short time in the Senate. They don't get it. The American people are fed up with wasting money and out of control spending. We've spent trillions that have exceeded our budget.
- Q3) That water bill as an example. If you're elected, the authorizations committee isn't going to change. How are you going to work with them?
MCCAIN: I'll make them famous. They'll know their names. The American people resoundingly reject this practice which has mortgage our childrens futures.
- Q4) jobless numbers. How can you convince Americans that you're better to help than Obama?

MCCAIN: I should've mentioned that in my intro comments. This is the worst # in 22 years, I'm told. Americans are hurting.

- o (1) Get spending under control.
- o (2) We need to give people FHA loans so they can stay in their homes,
- o (3) don't raise taxes, eliminate our dependence on foreign oil because it's hurting us on gas prices,
- o we have to restore trust and confidence in our govt ability to restrain spending.
- o (4) Invest in job training and education programs to help people that have lost their jobs or those that are about their jobs.
- o It's going to require change, the right kind of change. Obama wants to go back to big govt of 1960s. we will recover. The question is how long and how hard it's gonna be. I have fundamental optimism about the economy.

- Q5) What's your position on whether Jerusalem should be the undivided capital of Israel? Reaction to Obama's comments on the subject.

MCCAIN: I can't react to every comment by Obama because it will probably change, as it did with sitting down with Ahmadiyad. Jerusalem is undivided, it's the capital. We should move our embassy to Jerusalem before anything else happens. The subject will be addressed by the Israeli govt and people.

- Q6) Response to Obama's criticism that cap and trade program didn't go far enough? And what more would you do?

MCCAIN: I've been heavily engaged on this issue since 2001. I know of none on Obama's part. I have fought this administration tooth and nail about this. I've done everything I can to make my constituents and America aware of the problems of global warming. McCain – Lieberman was not perfect, but it's far better than a carbon tax.

- Q7) Reporter apologizes for hoarse; stumbles.

MCCAIN: – I get that way myself.

- Q7) How do you get money to Everglades. Crist has lobbied DC far for this in Washington.

MCCAIN: There are 900 projects proposed in this bill. Isn't the Everglades of sufficient urgency that it shouldn't be tied with all these other projects, like museums? It should be a stand-alone appropriation. I'll encourage Congress to care. I'll try to educate the American people that we're all in this together.

- Q8) follow up on emissions trading. Obama's criticism is not about the overall aim of your plan, but rather the plan auction permits to factories instead of giving them away. How do you feel about that?

MCCAIN: I have worked in bipartisan effort for years. We don't come up with perfect solutions. I know of no record of Obama's. I'd like to see him come up with his own proposal and I'll examine it. I am committed to this issue and have a clear record, so people can have confidence.

- Q9) On employment numbers, everything you talk about are long-range plans. Do you think there is short-term relief, like extension of unemployment benefits and insurance benefits?

MCCAIN: Yes I think we have to do all of those things. Also, This brings me to the gas tax holiday. All I wanted to do was give Americans a little relief. Obama opposed that as a "gimmick." I've talked to a lot of Americans, especially older Americans, who wish they had this. I think it's out of touch with average Americans not to want this. We need to examine every option, short-term and long-term.

- Q10) Start of hurricane season, and Floridians are worried about skyrocketing property insurance. Obama campaign says they support national catastrophic insurance and say you oppose it.

MCCAIN: I discussed this in the primary with straight talk. The bill that passed the House would never pass the Senate. We will establish risk pools and ways to provide insurance to all states at risk of hurricanes. I don't think it's fair just to do this for the state of FL. We'll come up with comprehensive insurance that will take care of a risk for all people of Gulf states.

- FOLLOWUP- but you voted against the WRDA bill.

MCCAIN: And I'm so happy that I did. It was littered and filled with pork projects. And there's a ton of projects that have been authorized that haven't been funded. We've fought to get it prioritized but it's not.

- Q11) yesterday's report on Iraq. What is your feeling about that and does that change your early support on Iraq?

MCCAIN: Every intelligence agency in the world concluded that Saddam had WMDs and was planning to use them. The sanctions were breaking down, American planes were being shot down, there was a multibillion oil for food scandal in the UN, the world is better without Hussein. The problem was the early mishandling of the war. I warned against that. I proposed the strategy that is now succeeding. Obama has never acknowledged this. And has never arranged a meeting with Petraeus, which is especially bad since he doesn't have experience in military. We're winning. If we'd done what Obama had wanted, we'd have had chaos and genocide in the region and elevation of Iran. I'll stand on my record and I'm proud of it and I'm proud of the people serving who will tell obama he was wrong.

- Q12) Can Congressman Diaz and Gov. Crist comment on McCain's opposition to the WRDA bill?
 - o CONGRESSMAN DIAZ: McCain has always been consistent. it was a \$23B bill out of which \$2B was for Everglades. McCain has been consistent not supporting pork. Everglades was part of a big bill. McCain has been very consistent on Everglades restoration.
 - o CRIST: McCain is right. If they'd been able to separate it out and prioritize it, much more important to a museum in MS...
 - o MCCAIN: You want to say something in Spanish?
 - o DIAZ: [in Spanish] "gang leader" on the restoration of Everglades. He's been very consistent.
 - o MCCAIN: "I agree with every word he just said."

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Date:	12/21/2015 12:47:03 PM
Subject:	Updated Invitation: Climate Policy Discussion @ Mon Dec 28, 2015 3pm - 3:30pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)
Attachments:	invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Climate Policy Discussion

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Changed: Mon Dec 28, 2015 3pm – 3:30pm Eastern Time

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718-737-9168 // no pin ([map](#))

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https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/climate-policy

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- John Podesta

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To: "[John Podesta](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 12/24/2015 8:47:54 AM

Subject: Have you taken our survey John?

END CITIZENS UNITED YEAR END SURVEY

JOHN PODESTA

RESPONSE: **0% COMPLETE**

TAKE THE SURVEY >>

John --

We know that from Washington to Atlanta, from Seattle to Chicago to Phoenix to Kansas City, ECU supporters are FIRED UP about taking on Big Money Republicans in 2016.

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This is just the start, John. We're planning to expand our advocacy campaign in the Election Year.

But first, we want to hear from you:

John, answer a few quick questions immediately >>

<http://act.endcitizensunited.org/Year-End-Survey>

Onward,

-the entire End Citizens United team

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
["Matthew Browne" <browne_mj@hotmail.com>](mailto:browne_mj@hotmail.com)
Date: 3/13/2016 3:56:45 PM
Subject: Fwd: CNN Town Hall Full Transcript

Renzi for the win!!

But one argument that I am uniquely qualified to bring, because of my service as Secretary of State is what his presidency would mean to our country and our standing in the world. I am already receiving messages from leaders, I am having foreign leaders ask if they can endorse me to stop Donald Trump. And I say no, this is up to Americans, thank you very much, but I get what you're saying, where you're coming from.

JAKE TAPPER: Can you tell us who?

HILLARY CLINTON: Well some have done it publicly, actually. The Italian Prime Minister, for example.

JAKE TAPPER: How about the ones that have done it privately?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Melissa Cantrell <mcantrell@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: March 13, 2016 at 10:19:11 PM EDT
To: Clips <clips@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: CNN Town Hall Full Transcript

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From: ["Environmental Justice EPA" <environmental-justice@epa.gov>](#)

To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu

Date: 8/12/2014 5:49:49 AM

Subject: [epa-ej] Blog: Climate Justice Hits Home

Environmental Justice Mailing List

Blog: Climate Justice Hits Home

Check out our latest blog post, [Port Arthur Texas - Climate Justice Hits Home](#) , by Hilton Kelley of Community In-Power Development Association. Hilton talks about the massive industrial pollution that plagues low-income and minority communities in Port Arthur, and discusses how climate change will only make conditions worse in this hurricane hotspot.

Also, check out our new [Climate Justice in Action Series](#) , which focuses on reframing the conversation on climate change to include environmental justice issues. Read our kickoff post featuring a video from Administrator McCarthy, and contribute success stories from your local area on our interactive [climate justice map](#). In the [most recent post](#) in the series, Rev. Lennox Yearwood discussed why it is so imperative for us to act on climate in terms of the economic, environmental, and public health benefits of action and the costs of inaction. He also highlighted EPA's Clean Power Plan and how you can engage in this critical dialogue.

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Link: <http://blog.epa.gov/ej/2014/08/climate-justice-hits-home/>

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From: ["Alex Karras" <akarras@danmarassociates.com>](mailto:akarras@danmarassociates.com)

To: ["Tony Podesta" <tpodesta@podesta.com>](mailto:tpodesta@podesta.com)

Date: 2/14/2010 10:52:51 AM

Subject: Re: My daughter's visit to DC

Tony thanks again and my mother sends her blessings to and John's family.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 14, 2010, at 1:32 PM, Tony Podesta <tpodesta@podesta.com> wrote:

> Alex. Love to see her
> We are off to venice tomorrow
> Back sunday
> Tell her to email me
> John is above
>
> Tony Podesta
> Office: 202-879-9300
> Cell: 202-352-4645
> tpodesta@podesta.com
> 1001 G St. NW, Suite 900 East
> Washington, DC 20001
>
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: Alex Karras <akarras@danmarassociates.com>
> To: Tony Podesta
> Cc: Alexis Karras <alexis.cragle@gsa.gov>
> Sent: Sun Feb 14 13:00:09 2010
> Subject: My daughter's visit to DC
>
> Tony,
> My daughter Alexis will be traveling to DC for the next 3 weeks. She
> works for GSA and will there for business. She expressed an interest in
> seeing you both and I believe the last time she there she stopped in
> to see you at your office. I was hopeful that she could hook up with
> you and John during her visit. She will also reach out to you.
> I don't have John's email address can you please forward this to him
> and also pass on his email address to me if you don't mind.
> Thanks and hello to all.
>
> Sent from my iPhone

From: "Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 5/22/2014 11:27:34 PM

Subject: Fwd: Podesta goes for a walk

Who's the tall guy with John?

Note the number of views.

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Steve Phillips <steve@powerpac.org>

Date: May 22, 2014 at 11:20:40 PM PDT

To: Herb Sandler <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>, Susan Sandler <ses@sandlerfoundation.org>, "Sandler, Jim" <james@sandlerfoundation.org>, Steve Daetz <sdaetz@sandlerfoundation.org>

Subject: Podesta goes for a walk

and for some reason there's all this media coverage of it:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gZR1CvSQntE>

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Steve Phillips

<http://www.stevephillips.com>

<https://www.facebook.com/PAC.Plus>

twitter.com/StevePtweets

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 6/27/2015 7:39:32 AM

Subject: Re: HRC Meetings

When is the call "tomorrow" you're referring to?

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Jun 27, 2015, at 2:06 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Team,

There will be two meetings with HRC on Tuesday--the first will be about debate prep program and timeline and the second will be to discuss our latest thinking on strategic imperatives and message (agenda below).

Joel is going to send us a revised strategic imperatives document today to discuss on our call tomorrow morning. This will also help with our media planning, per Jim's comments yesterday. Joel and Anzo--it would be helpful to have as much insight as possible from the IA and NH polls on demographics and vulnerabilities to inform imperative(s) related to the primary. I assume these imperatives will evolve slightly after we have more time with the data.

After our discussion tomorrow morning, Joel is going to work with Jen and Dan on a draft message document for HRC. They're going to circulate for comments, but for efficiency and sanity, we're going to want them to drive this.

Let me know if there are any questions or flags--otherwise, I'm looking forward to our discussion tomorrow and the meeting Tuesday!

TUESDAY AGENDA

1. Feedback on post-launch stump
2. Discuss draft strategic imperatives and message docs

From: "John Graham" <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 12/22/2015 12:33:53 PM

RE: FW: Merry Christmas from Fairview Insurance Agency Associates!/ CHRISTMAS ,PEACE ON
Subject: EARTH , JUST ASK SANTA AND LIAM GRAHAM FITZPATRICK..LOOK AT THE WORLD THRU
THEIR EYESMUCH LOVE AND HAPPINESS .

Thank you John. Merry Christmas..

John F.X. Graham, CEO
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From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, December 22, 2015 9:49 AM

To: John Graham <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com>

Subject: Re: FW: Merry Christmas from Fairview Insurance Agency Associates!/ CHRISTMAS ,PEACE ON EARTH , JUST ASK SANTA AND LIAM GRAHAM FITZPATRICK..LOOK AT THE WORLD THRU THEIR EYESMUCH LOVE AND HAPPINESS .

Merry Christmas John.

On Tuesday, December 22, 2015, John Graham <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com> wrote:

So this is Christmas! AND a Happy New !

From: Lindsay FitzPatrick [mailto:patty@fairviewinsurance.ccsend.com]] On Behalf Of Lindsay FitzPatrick

Sent: Friday, December 18, 2015 2:51 PM

To: John Graham <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com> >

Subject: Merry Christmas from Fairview Insurance Agency Associates!

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Monday, December 28th - Office will reopen at 8:30 am

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Monday, January 4th - Office will reopen at 8:30 am

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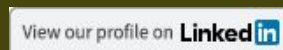
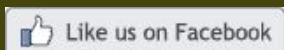
All the best to you and your family,

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Anthony "Tony"
Podesta <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:Anthony%20Tony.Podesta@podesta.com)

Date: 4/17/2015 7:42:22 AM

Subject: Re: Peter huffman

Yes. Still on. 6:30. You coming alone?

On Apr 17, 2015 2:28 PM, "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com> wrote:

Spoke to him

Can come Sunday if still on

Sent from my iPhone

> On Apr 17, 2015, at 1:49 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

>

> [858-525-3166](tel:858-525-3166)

> peter.huffman@gmail.com

>

> JP

> --Sent from my iPad--

> john.podesta@gmail.com

> For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

From: ["Andrea Besmehn" <dre@fb.com>](mailto:dre@fb.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 8/3/2015 7:16:32 PM
Subject: RE: in case you have time

Sheryl – thank you for the intro, to bcc for scheduling.

Hi John,

If 4-5pm Thursday afternoon on our campus in Menlo Park would work for you, that also works great for Mark.

Please let me know and I can send the specifics over.

My best,
Andrea

From: Sheryl Sandberg
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2015 4:52 PM
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Cc: Andrea Besmehn <dre@fb.com>; Elliot Schrage <elliott@fb.com>
Subject: RE: in case you have time

We would love to make it work for this trip or another. Andrea here to coordinate with you.

From: John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, August 03, 2015 4:33 PM
To: Sheryl Sandberg
Subject: Re: in case you have time

Sheryl,
Happy to do. My schedule is a little squeezed on this trip probably my best times are Wednesday evening or late afternoon Thursday, but I'm back often and could get on his schedule in a more reasonable way. Looking forward to seeing you.
John

On Monday, August 3, 2015, Sheryl Sandberg <sheryl@fb.com> wrote:
John,

I hope you are well – thinking of all of you often and following every move!

I can't imagine you have any free time at all, but in case you do on this trip to the Bay area or another, wondering if you would be willing to spend some time with Mark Zuckerberg.

Mark is meeting with people to learn more about next steps for his philanthropy and social action and it's hard to imagine someone better placed or more experienced than you to help him. As you may know, he's young and hungry to learn — always in learning mode — and is early in his career when it comes to his philanthropic efforts. He's begun to think about whether/how he might want to shape advocacy efforts to support his philanthropic priorities and is particularly interested in meeting people who could help him understand how to move the needle on the specific public policy issues he cares most about. He wants to meet folks who can inform his understanding about effective political operations to advance public policy goals on social oriented objectives (like immigration, education or basic scientific research).

In case you have time on any trip, Andrea can schedule. And if it has to wait until after the campaign, we will all understand.

Sheryl

From: ["Amitabh Desai" <adesai@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)
To: ["John Podesta \(john.podesta@gmail.com\)" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 1/11/2012 7:27:28 AM
Subject: FW:

Just FYI

From: Amitabh Desai
Sent: Wednesday, January 11, 2012 1:11 PM
To: Julie Wang
Cc: Laura Graham; 'Justin Cooper'
Subject:

Julie, you know far more about this than I do, but just passing along something I heard that seems – if true – could be an interesting / relatively easy thing for WJC to fix that would impact/improve several million households in the US. is it true that when you use a debit card (as opposed to credit card), it doesn't impact/get reported to credit reporting agencies?

So in a perverse way, you have to use credit cards in order to improve your credit score, but you can't use your debit card (although ironically of course debit behavior is more responsible than using credit cards)

If that's true, maybe there's some way for WJC to get the credit agencies and card issuers to hammer out a deal (perhaps announceable at CGI America, or as a standalone event), that would help millions of credit card debt-laden US households improve their credit ratings by using debit cards rather than using their credit cards?

It would be impactful and is something that probably only someone like WJC could get done. Just a random thought and of course defer to you completely on this. We know VISA well.

Sincerely,
Ami

From: ["Lyons, James M." <JLyons@lrrlaw.com>](mailto:JLyons@lrrlaw.com)
To: ["Amanda Renteria" <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)
Date: 10/25/2015 6:28:34 PM
Subject: Re: Editorial: Wednesday's alternative - Boulder Daily Camera

Will follow up with Him

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 25, 2015, at 5:43 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

No update.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 25, 2015, at 7:22 PM, Lyons, James M. <JLyons@lrrlaw.com> wrote:

Amanda, any word on the WJC visit? Jim

From: Amanda Renteria [<mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>]
Sent: Sunday, October 25, 2015 1:12 PM
To: Salazar, Ken
Cc: John Podesta; Brad Komar; Lyons, James M.
Subject: Re: Editorial: Wednesday's alternative - Boulder Daily Camera

Thank you and we are looking forward to hearing the readout from this. As we think through our organizing efforts on Nov. 24 and other dates going forward, we'd love to hear how we can keep the momentum going on this. The key nuggets that fired folks up on the ground will be really helpful for our communications/press strategy.

On Sun, Oct 25, 2015 at 2:51 PM, Salazar, Ken <Ken.Salazar@wilmerhale.com> wrote:
John, Amanda, and Brad,

Note the Boulder Editorial on the immigration rally led by Federico the day of the Republican debate. I think it will go very well.

Also, tomorrow we'll have about 300 of Colorado's political democratic political leadership here at our house with the Governor, Jim Lyons and others as a major organizing effort for Hillary.

All the best,

Ken

http://www.dailycamera.com/editorials/ci_29019259/editorial-wednesdays-alternative

Sent from my iPad

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Michael Morell" <:mmorell@bgsdc.com>](mailto:mmorell@bgsdc.com)

Date: 3/11/2016 8:39:47 AM

Subject: Re: Touching Base

I'm at Tenley Circle. Want to just come to my house? 3743 Brandywine St NW. Anytime works. Or I can come to you.

On Friday, March 11, 2016, Michael Morell <mmorell@bgsdc.com> wrote:

I'm in McLean. Happy to come your way at anytime that works for you. Are you close to Saxby's in Georgetown?

On Mar 11, 2016, at 11:45 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Where do you live? I'm in NW DC. Want to get a cup of coffee? I am pretty flexible.

On Friday, March 11, 2016, Michael Morell <mmorell@bgsdc.com> wrote:

Yes. All day.

On Mar 11, 2016, at 11:38 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Any chance you are in DC tomorrow?

On Friday, March 11, 2016, Michael Morell <mmorell@bgsdc.com> wrote:

John,

I hope this note finds you well. A very important Tuesday coming up.

I'm thinking that you are undoubtedly extremely busy, but I was hoping to come by and see you for 30 minutes. There are a couple of things that I would like to put on your radar screen.

Let me know.

Have a great weekend.

Michael Morell

From: "Matt Higginson" <matt@medium.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/4/2015 10:06:43 AM

Subject: Welcome to Medium, John

Hello John-

I lead on outreach to high-profile political figures, policy makers, and advocacy organizations here at Medium and just wanted to reach out and say hello.

We are thrilled to have you and others from Hillary's campaign publishing on Medium.

"The Briefing" sounds very interesting and smart. We are happy to help integrate Medium as seamlessly as possible and share some thoughts on how best to do so.

As you may be aware, Medium is a self-publishing platform and network started by Twitter co-founder Ev Williams. You can read about Ev's vision [here](#).

We believe Medium will play an increasingly important role in how individuals and campaigns tell their stories, publish op-eds, and communicate with the American electorate.

We have some big plans for the 2016 cycle.

It has been a pleasure to connect with Teddy Goff, Brian Fallon, and Jenna Lowenstein to share some ideas and best practices for the campaign to deploy Medium during the election.

Best,
Matt

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Matt Higginson

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From: "Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 1/23/2016 12:55:47 PM
Subject: Re: DRAFT: Remarks at Jewish Federation of Des Moines

I would lay off.

On Jan 23, 2016, at 7:54 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

That's the question on the table. Guidance from Podesta and group yesterday was that we don't want her to be the attack dog in her remarks except for core high level contrast. So that's why I'm asking if we should do the Iran hit or not.

On Jan 23, 2016, at 7:49 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

Also, shouldn't we be doing Iran troops in Syria-- weakening our coalition and putting troops on Israel's doorstep?

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 23, 2016, at 7:44 PM, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

We are doing so much on national security the graph on headwinds of global economy seem obtuse. Can we get more in the lane of economic progress we need close to home: good paying jobs, raising incomes, minimum wage and equal pay.

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 23, 2016, at 7:30 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Let's not say naive or uninformed.

On Jan 23, 2016, at 7:29 PM, Sarah Bard <sbard@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Laura and team - Suggestion back was not name him specifically. Reference ideology, without using the exact language Bernie used, and making it very clear what she's referencing.

Something like, "those who suggest that we looks past human rights violations, blatant disregard of international law and ... by the leading state sponsor of terrorism, Iran, are dangerously naive or who largely uninformed about how the world works."

Thank you
Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 23, 2016, at 6:39 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

10/18/2016

Let me know if we should add a Bernie hit on Iran in here. Right now its pretty straight.

Thanks

Dan

<2016-01-23 Jewish Federation of Des Moines - 630pm.docx>

From: ["Lauren Peterson" <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)
["Speech Book" <speechbook@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:speechbook@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 12/20/2015 10:07:49 AM

Subject: FOR THE BOOK: TPs for AFSCME Teletown Hall

Attachments: 2015-12-20 AFSCME call 5 pm.docx

These are ready for the book. Thank you!

On Sun, Dec 20, 2015 at 4:47 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
Yes please!

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 20, 2015, at 3:43 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Great on SCOTUS - let me know if we should add second responders!

On Sun, Dec 20, 2015 at 3:58 PM, Maya Harris <mharris@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Nikki and Corey - just double-checking it's ok to say just 9/11 first responders. Thought we usually add second responders, too?

Re SCOTUS bullet, might revise last sentence to say, We can't allow this crop of Republicans to be the ones making those decisions.

> On Dec 20, 2015, at 3:08 PM, Emily Aden <eaden@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Good for research

>

> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Dec 20, 2015, at 3:00 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

>>

>> Hi everyone --

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>> Sending along these draft talking points for an AFSCME teletown hall tomorrow. These reflect input from Nikki.

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>> Also adding Troy for awareness on the shout out to AFSCME's work in Iowa.

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>> Please send any edits by 5pm.

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>> Thank you!

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>> Lauren

>> <2015-12-20 AFSCME call 1030 am lp.docx>

From:	"Carlos Del Toro" <cdeltoro@sbgts.com>
To:	"Carlos Del Toro" <cdeltoro@sbgts.com>
Date:	3/13/2016 2:58:05 PM
Subject:	A Special Event with Congressman Don Beyer
Attachments:	Beyer Mt Vernon Invitation 3 24 16.pdf

Dear Friends,

Please join us as we honor this great Member of Congress this week!

With warmest regards,

Carlos

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To: John.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 4/16/2014 7:16:19 AM

Subject: Follow Up on PACE

John,

I hope you are well. Congratulations (I think!) on the return to the White House. I think we are all very fortunate that you've taken on your role there.

My brother mentioned that you ran into each other recently and that you were following the PACE rebirth. I'd love to be in touch about this as I think we are at a pivotal moment with the potential for real scale.

Let me know if you'd like me to send some more information, get on the phone, and/or meet next time I am in DC.

Looking forward to it!

Cisco

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Date: 9/23/2015 11:02:22 AM

Subject: Debating the Future of Encryption Technology

Experts addressed the future of encryption technology with a panel discussion hosted at the Law Center on September 21.

Read and watch here: <http://bit.ly/1jaSws1>

From: ["Tina Flournoy" <Tina@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:Tina@presidentclinton.com)
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)
Date: 3/29/2015 7:33:09 AM
Subject: NY Times

not happy about this

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Date: March 29, 2015 at 10:34:01 AM EDT
To: Tina <tina@presidentclinton.com >
Reply-To: <tfournoy11@gmail.com >

WILL BILL GET A MINDER? NYT A1, "Clinton Team Hopes to Keep Bill at His Best," by Patrick Healy and Amy Chozick: "In hopes of collaborating with Mr. Clinton better than in 2008 ... advisers to Mrs. Clinton are involving him more closely in early campaign planning, and they are discussing whether to deploy a senior aide to travel with him to keep him focused on his wife's central message. ...

"Mr. Clinton has ... brushed up on ... modern campaigns ... 'The Victory Lab: The Secret Science of Winning Campaigns,' a 2012 book by Sasha Issenberg about how data and analytics have upended presidential campaigns, caught Mr. Clinton's eye in an article he read." <http://nyti.ms/1Hdft3l>
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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)
["Teddy Goff" <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:tgoff@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 2/17/2016 8:20:25 AM

Subject: Fwd: Fw: Army dogs& soldiers reunited

See this? Worth doing anything?

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From: Jack Brown <jckmbrown@yahoo.com> >
Date: Wednesday, February 17, 2016
Subject: Fw: Army dogs& soldiers reunited
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >, Robin Metz <emetz@knox.edu> >

John:

Realize you are busy. Soldiers and their trained and valiant companion dogs form a unique bond. Keeping them together after service seems like the right thing to do. PTSD is often reduced. The bond that is formed in danger and combat deserves to be enjoyed in relative peace and recovery.

If you can look into this and make an inquiry it would be deeply appreciated.

Jack Brown
Knox 68

SEE Piece below Link



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From: Jack Brown <jckmbrown@yahoo.com> >
To: Jack Brown <jckmbrown@yahoo.com> >
Sent: Tuesday, February 16, 2016 9:43 AM
Subject: Army dogs

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Troops betrayed as Army dumps hundreds of heroic war d...

By then, Daniel had been in Afghanistan two months. It was July 2012, his third tour of duty and his first with Oogie, his military working dog. They were leading t...

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From: ["Stan Greenberg" <sgreenberg@gqrr.com>](mailto:sgreenberg@gqrr.com)
To: ["Stan Greenberg" <sgreenberg816@gmail.com>](mailto:sgreenberg816@gmail.com)
Date: 1/17/2016 8:03:30 PM
Subject: Re: Build on the progress

She's doing great.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 17, 2016, at 8:55 PM, Stan Greenberg <sgreenberg816@gmail.com> wrote:
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>
> That will hurt you in the primary and prove even more harmful in the general. A huge mistake.
>
> She will look so out of touch.
>
> Good luck tonight.
>
> Stan
>
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> Sent from my iPhone

From: "Cassandra Butts" <cbutts.obama08@gmail.com>
To: john.podesta@gmail.com
Date: 10/29/2008 6:07:04 AM
Subject: Re: transition counsel?

Sure.

On Wed, Oct 29, 2008 at 1:02 PM, <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:
How about doing the Friday call at CAP and we can do right after.

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

From: "Cassandra Butts" <cbutts.obama08@gmail.com> >
Date: Wed, 29 Oct 2008 10:13:24 -0400
To: John Podesta<john.podesta@gmail.com> >
Subject: Re: transition counsel?

John, can we follow up on my role this week? While I think we have done a pretty good job of managing the legal issues, we do need to make decisions on who will manage this piece post-election. I have one volunteer ethics lawyers who is interested in coming in-house as a deputy or could take the lead. Also, we need to add to the ranks of our volunteer lawyers to manage the ethics vetting process. Thanks, Cassandra

On Mon, Oct 20, 2008 at 2:43 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> > wrote:
let's talk.

On Mon, Oct 20, 2008 at 10:46 AM, Cassandra Butts
<cbutts.obama08@gmail.com> > wrote:

> John,
>
> We haven't discussed this directly, but should I assume that you'd like me
> to continue to serve in a counsel capacity in the post-election transition?
> If so, it would be helpful to get your thinking on how you see the role, and
> I could share my thoughts on staffing and structure. While I'm fine with
> continuing in the role, I would be interested in maintaining some advisory
> role in the personnel process. While I don't need an official role in that
> operation, I'd like to maintain some input into how the process moves
> forward.
>
> Let me know if you'd like to catch up on this.
>
> Best,
> Cassandra
>

From: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Teddy Goff" <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 8/26/2015 7:40:49 AM

Subject: Re: That was our next president!

Should we add guns to DNC speech?

On Aug 26, 2015, at 2:34 PM, Teddy Goff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We're going to post the gun segment to social.

On Wed, Aug 26, 2015 at 3:32 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Just absolutely pitch perfect, top to bottom.

On Aug 26, 2015, at 2:29 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

She really practiced and she delivered. She did great.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 26, 2015, at 2:25 PM, Margolis, Jim <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com> wrote:

She was terrific.

Love to get some surrogates jumping on that too

From: Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>

Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2015 at 3:22 PM

To: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>, "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>, "dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>, "ekriegel@hillaryclinton.com" <ekriegel@hillaryclinton.com>, "tgoff@hillaryclinton.com" <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>, "bfallon@hillaryclinton.com" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>, "nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com" <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>, "kschake@hillaryclinton.com" <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>, GMMB GMMB <jim.margolis@gmmb.com>

Subject: Re: That was our next president!

WOW.

The gun answer was as powerful and heartfelt a moment as you get.

Lets get that everywhere.

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
202 973-9400

-----Original Message-----

From: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

To: ha16 <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>; john.podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>; dschwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>; ekriegel <ekriegel@hillaryclinton.com>; tgoff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>; jbenenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>; creynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>; bfallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>; gruncom <gruncom@aol.com>; nmerrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>; kschake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>; jim.margolis <jim.margolis@gmmb.com>

Sent: Wed, Aug 26, 2015 3:21 pm

Subject: That was our next president!

10/18/2016

Press team--thoughts?

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From: ["wendy Abrams" <wabrams1@gmail.com>](mailto:wabrams1@gmail.com)

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/26/2015 2:28:33 PM

Subject: Re: carbo-loading

you are so nice. thanks. i'd love to come to dinner, but i have to help cook or do something. if you have a spare bedroom (with no historical chairs from the cabinet room or anything that I can possibly spill a glass of water on!) that sounds great!

On Mar 26, 2015, at 9:25 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Yup. Come to the house. Want to stay here?

On Mar 26, 2015 7:59 PM, "wendy Abrams" <wabrams1@gmail.com> wrote:

| want to have dinner april 11 before the race on the 12th?

From: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
Date: 7/28/2015 1:47:21 PM
Subject: Re: Call Request: Senator Feinstein

Great, thank you. I will let her assistant know.

Milia Fisher
(858) 395-1741

On Jul 28, 2015, at 8:46 PM, John Podesta john.podesta@gmail.com > wrote:

I'll call tomorrow.

On Tuesday, July 28, 2015, Milia Fisher mfisher@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:
Senator Feinstein's assistant reached out to me and Eryn and asked if you have time for a call tonight or tomorrow.

Timing:

She is flexible this evening after 5:30 pm pt/8:30 pm et or anytime tomorrow.

Numbers:

TONIGHT-- at home (202) 243-0163
TOMORROW-- office via assist. Shaeda (202) 224-9636

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From: "Leslie de Leon" <ld333@law.georgetown.edu>

To: "All Faculty and Staff" <AllFacultyandStaff@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 12/21/2015 3:17:29 PM

Subject: Georgetown Law Staff Appreciation at SoulCycle Mt. Vernon

Attachments: Georgetown Law Staff SoulCycle Promotion.pdf

Dear All,

I'm pleased to announce that the new SoulCycle location in Mt. Vernon (601 Massachusetts Avenue NW) has invited the Georgetown Law staff to try out its classes for free, between now and January 9, 2016.

This promotion is only available at the Mt. Vernon location and only covers the cost of a regular SoulCycle class (SoulSurvivor classes are excluded). Please remember to bring your own spin shoes or you may rent a pair on site for \$3. More information for first time cyclist can be found online at: <https://www.soul-cycle.com/about/how-it-works/>

To take advantage of this treat, please read the attached form carefully and click on the icon to set-up your SC account. **You must show your Georgetown Law staff/faculty/fellow ID.** Please email me with any questions. Hope to see you on a bike soon!

Best,
Leslie



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Date: 8/20/2014 7:30:00 AM
Subject: Understand International Legal Systems

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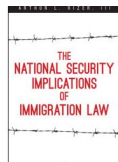


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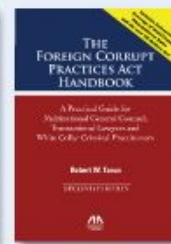
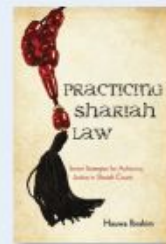


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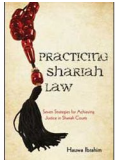
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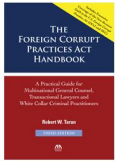


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To: bigcampaign@googlegroups.com
Date: 10/15/2010 1:01:09 PM
Subject: [big campaign] TP: Rupert Murdoch's News Corporation Donates Again To The Republican Governors Association: \$250,000

Along with a list of the other usual GOP megadonors—Adelson, Bob Perry, Bill Koch...

<http://thinkprogress.org/2010/10/15/news-corp-republican/>

Rupert Murdoch's News Corporation Donates Again To The Republican Governors Association: \$250,000



In June, Fox News' parent company News Corporation gave a \$1 million donation to the Republican Governors Association. This evening, IRS disclosures reveal that News Corporation gave another check, time for \$250,000, bringing his total donation amount to \$1,250,000. Other donors include Bill Koch, who donated \$100,000, Swift Boat-funder Bob Perry, who gave \$3.5 million, and right-wing casino billionaire Sheldon Adelson, who gave \$1 million to the Republican campaign group.

News Corporation chief Rupert Murdoch recently stated that he directed his company's donation in order to help his friend John Kasich, the Republican nominee for governor in Ohio. As ThinkProgress' Ian Millhiser noted, there actually are laws against corporate managers treating a publicly-traded corporation as if it were their own personal bank account. Although News Corporation was founded in Australia, it was recently reincorporated in Delaware and thus must comply with key Delaware court decisions. Significantly, the Delaware Supreme Court determined over 70 years ago that "[c]orporate officers and directors are not permitted to use their position of trust and confidence to further their private interests."

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To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/11/2011 6:23:54 AM

Subject: Invite: Countdown to the Progressive Party

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"Karen Dunn" <KDunn@bsfllp.com>

"Karen Dunn" <karen.l.dunn@gmail.com>

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/14/2015 12:01:30 AM

Subject: RE: Last thought

I really like the right wingers angle – good call on that.

From: Ron Klain [mailto:ron.klain@revolution.com]]

Sent: Saturday, November 14, 2015 1:19 AM

To: Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> ; Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> ; Karen Dunn <KDunn@BSFLLP.com>; Karen Dunn <karen.l.dunn@gmail.com> ; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> >

Subject: Last thought

To quote Jake Sullivan, less is more. She can really command tomorrow night, as long as she doesn't over do it, needlessly inflame our base, or overplay 9/11. She should convey the gravity of the situation, but also, show her moderation in response. She should stare down the terrorists, but also, the right wingers in Europe and the US who will spew hatred, and those who want to overreach.

Ron

From: "Natalie Foster, BarackObama.com" <info@barackobama.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/29/2010 12:11:16 PM

Subject: John -- this is huge on Facebook

 Organizing for America

John --

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Thanks,

Natalie

Natalie Foster
New Media Director

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Date: 12/28/2015 7:11:36 AM

Subject: good... GREAT news!

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Date:	4/21/2015 1:44:34 PM
Subject:	Bill De Blasio
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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: [Julie <nevakitka@aol.com>](mailto:nevakitka@aol.com)

Date: 10/5/2015 8:16:31 AM

Subject: Re: Thank you!

Thanks Julie for all that you do. It was great catching up.

On Monday, October 5, 2015, Julie <nevakitka@aol.com> wrote:

John,

Thank you for your time today. You will never know how many Alaska Native lives you have impacted and continue to impact.

It is safe to say that Alaska Native peoples life opportunities expand based on your work. (as so many other people's around the world)

Wishing you a great life with the knowledge you have really made a difference.

Sincerely,

Julie

Julie Kitka, President
Alaska Federation of Natives

Ps watch April 16th Peruvian Presidential elections. Tell Hilary about this too.
She knows Hernando.

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3. CIA
4. CPO
5. DOD announcement
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There is no 9:15 pm central/10:15 pm eastern call tonight (Saturday) with the President Elect.

~Katie J.

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| Attachments: | 2015-12-03 Dover town hall topper 1pm.docx                                                                                                                                                                     |

Revised Dover town hall topper with a slightly shortened version of Megan’s new gun language attached

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Date: 4/9/2013 7:28:26 AM

Subject: Would you have some time to talk?

John --

I'm looking (again) for an opportunity to join the Obama administration and could use your advice and help.

DOI seems to be the best opportunity at present and people know of my interest there.

Would you have some time to talk on the phone or in your office?

Thanks,

Jim

From: "Team Kirkpatrick" <info@kirkpatrickforsenate.com>

To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 10/25/2015 3:05:20 PM

Subject: Keeping up the fight



John,

Our race in Arizona is starting to take shape.

- MSNBC's Rachel Maddow said the map is "looking good for Democrats," and Arizona is one of the top races.
- Larry Sabato's *Crystal Ball* changed our race rating to make it more competitive.
- Even a Republican member of Congress has come out and said Ann can win. This race is close. Everyone knows it. **[Help us keep up the power we need to win by hitting our \\$15,000 October goal. Make a contribution today.](#)**

Unfortunately, no competitive race these days would be complete without the special interests.

**Dark money groups are already attacking Ann.** And they'll keep up a steady stream of attacks from now through Election day.

There's one critical piece of this campaign that determine our success: You.

Your contributions help us fight these attacks and stand with Ann. **[Let's make sure we have everything we need to keep it up and win this competitive race.](#)**

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Thanks.

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Can we chat about this?

Sent from my iPad

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Date: August 25, 2014 at 11:51:57 PM EDT  
To: "Sandler, Herbert" <[hms@sandlerfoundation.org](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)>  
Subject: Fwd: Documents for your Dad's Podesta Meeting

Hi Pop,

I told Andy that you were going to see John and asked if he could provide a bit of background on a couple of topics.

The one that I had contacted John about concerned the use of air guns by oil companies in their search for oil on the sea floor. There are two issues here. One is that the air guns themselves kill and injure marine mammals as well as other marine life at high rates. The other issue regards the dangers of oil spills surrounding offshore drilling.

Andy also included something on seafood fraud. It seems overly detailed for the purpose of giving you a brief overview, but you may find it interesting none the less. The take home I believe is that Oceana is very pleased with the White House's position and actions they have taken on this issue and wants to thank John for being a champion on this topic. He is, however, nervous that the momentum could flag and wants to encourage John to keep up the pressure.

Let me know if you want to talk about any of these.

Also, please inquire if it would make any sense for John or somebody else at the White House to talk with Andy on either of these topics.

Thanks.

♥Jim

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Sharpless, Andrew" <[ASharpless@oceana.org](mailto:ASharpless@oceana.org)>  
Date: August 25, 2014 at 3:07:15 PM PDT



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Cc: "Haro, Cheryl" <[CHaro@oceana.org](mailto:CHaro@oceana.org)>  
Subject: Documents for your Dad's Podesta Meeting

Jim:

Here are the two briefers for you. Let me know if they are what you expected. I'm really glad that you and your Dad are following up on this with John. Bottom line, the message on seafood fraud to John is "You did a really important thing, thank you," and on Atlantic Ocean seismic testing, is "especially after BP and the Deepwater Horizon disaster, why are you taking these extraordinary risks, and expanding into an area that had been off limits to international oil companies for thirty years?"

Best,

Andy

**Andrew Sharpless**  
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Date: 2/15/2016 2:06:32 PM  
Subject: \*Friends and Allies Surrogates Briefing Call 2.16.16\*

Hi Friends,

Please join HFA Senior Campaign Officials for a Surrogates Briefing Call **tomorrow (2/16) at 12:00 PM EST** in advance of Hillary Clinton's speech tomorrow afternoon in Harlem.

**Please RSVP for the call at the link below:** <http://myaccount.maestroconference.com/conference/register/JPBD6FYCYDJI4KX>

Please see the advisory for the speech below.

Best,  
Alex



## **Hillary Clinton to Deliver Address on Breaking Down Barriers for African Americans**

On Tuesday, February 16th, Hillary Clinton will deliver remarks on how we must break down all the barriers holding Americans back and her agenda to combat systemic racism and build ladders of economic opportunity for African American families.

**WHEN:** Tuesday, February 16, at 3:00 PM EST  
Doors open: 2:00 PM ET

**WHERE:** Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture  
Langston Hughes Auditorium  
515 Malcolm X Boulevard  
New York, NY 10037

This event will be open to press. **Members of the press please [RSVP here](#) by February 16th at 7:00 AM ET.**

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Subject: I'm honored to be a father

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Dear Friend,

My daughter, Samariah, is about to turn 14. It's an honor to be her father, and it's a lot of fun. But fourteen is such a vulnerable age. It's the age at which many of the young women I work with are first sexually exploited. Most of these young ladies have never had a strong male role model in their life. And the men they've spent time with—solicitors and pimps—have destroyed their ability to trust.

I remember the first time Ciara, a young woman in the program, casually called me 'Poppa Darian.' It happened within my first week at Not For Sale and it reminded me of what a privilege it is to work with these ladies every day. Helping them perfect their cover letters, chatting about life, talking about where they are and who they're going to become—I love every minute of it.

These bright young women have come so far in such a short time. It's a constant reminder of how much one person, one man, one father can impact someone's life. This Father's Day, you can be that person to young women like Ciara. By taking part in the [Not For Sale Throwdown](#) and working free for a day so that others can be free for a lifetime, you can also turn the lives of young people around.

Please show these young ladies that you care. We're doing real work here, but we just can't do it without you.

Happy Father's Day,

Darian Eastman  
Youth Employment Specialist  
Not For Sale

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**Cc:** Oren Shur <[oshur@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:oshur@hillaryclinton.com)>

**Subject:** Presentations for Poll Briefing

Dear all,

See the attached slides for this morning's NH/IA poll briefing, from 10-12pm EST. The call-in number is 718-441-3763.

Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks!

Kate

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Date: 1/16/2016 1:31:33 PM

Subject: Prep Call with HRC, Sunday January 17th

We will have a prep call tomorrow at approximately 7:15am ET to prepare for the morning shows.

Sunday, January 17th

Approximately 7:15am -- please note this COULD be as early as 7:00am so please watch email in the morning.

[718-406-9705](tel:718-406-9705)

Passcode 14417

Please let us know if you have any questions -- thank you.

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"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
"Stephanie Cutter" <scutter@barackobama.com>

Date: 11/3/2008 1:50:32 AM

Subject: Re: This week - transition block for November

Wed: do we need to note paper release announcing transition co-chairs?

**From:** Alyssa Mastromonaco <amastro@barackobama.com>

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**Sent:** Monday, November 3, 2008 10:52:37 AM

**Subject:** This week - transition block for November

This is the block updated from our conversation Saturday. A few things:

it sounds like getting a picture of taking the girls to school would involve a waiver. What is a 2<sup>nd</sup> option for a photo that day?

Do we have a podium sign with the seal being printed somewhere?

We have locked a ballroom at the Hyatt for avails. We are trying to lock an additional ballroom for the meeting followed by avail for Friday.

We are close to having office space locked for Wed-Friday. Adam Hitchcock will update later today. Hopefully Ariel Cap which is one block from our HQ and one block from Hyatt.

We should get this to BO if no one has issues.

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Alyssa Mastromonaco  
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/30/2016 4:08:09 PM

Subject: Re: A thought

Who knows, I might have to say it tomorrow on ABC.

Sent from Donna's iPad. Follow me on twitter @donnabrazile

On Jan 30, 2016, at 6:03 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I like this although I would probably say not because he was born in Canada rather than not because of his birthplace.

On Saturday, January 30, 2016, Donna Brazile <[donna@brazileassociates.com](mailto:donna@brazileassociates.com)> wrote:

Donald Trump says that, if the Republicans nominate Cruz, "the Democrats" will file a lawsuit challenging Cruz' eligibility.

DSW -- or, more ambitiously, DSW, Clinton, Sanders and O'Malley -- should issue a statement saying that, If Cruz is nominated, the Democratic Party will not challenge his eligibility and that the voters should reject him because of his views and record, not his birthplace.

Sent from Donna's iPad. Follow me on twitter @donnabrazile

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 10/31/2008 1:03:03 PM  
Subject: Re: Should we add no paid speeches to ethics form?

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This has come up most recently with Samantha Power. We have allowed it for volunteers if it was scheduled prior to their involvement with the transition and we can include specific language in the code to that affect.

A related question is whether we should have a specific bar on volunteers accepting travel and accommodations to conferences and events. We've interpreted this as barred by the gift ban.

On Fri, Oct 31, 2008 at 6:53 PM, <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: [mae\\_podesta@mckinsey.com](mailto:mae_podesta@mckinsey.com)

Date: 4/23/2015 1:09:23 PM

Subject: Re: You home?

I don't want to go out that late. But am happy to whip up some pasta if you are in the mood and want to eat when you get home.

On Apr 23, 2015 8:01 PM, <[mae\\_podesta@mckinsey.com](mailto:mae_podesta@mckinsey.com)> wrote:  
I probably wont be home til around 930

▼ John Podesta ---04/23/2015 07:51:52 PM---Dinner?

From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> >  
To: [mae\\_podesta@mckinsey.com](mailto:mae_podesta@mckinsey.com)  
Date: 04/23/2015 07:51 PM  
Subject: You home?

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/2/2015 10:33:44 AM

Subject: Your Vanguard statement is ready



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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 2/29/2008 3:01:49 AM  
Subject: Touching base this AM

I told Caitlin I just need a few minutes of your time this AM.

I want to talk about CDA- I know they are still working with there lawyers for a plan to give to FFA BOard (Marc has not seen a draft yet). But I am sensitive that they are looking for some grant money next week. Frank had also asked for a line item accounting of the previously sent \$ but we have not seen that yet- I believe Tom is working on it)

I wanted to talk to you about getting approval from the Board today to move \$2 million dollars on Monday March 3rd. Then considering moving the additional \$2 million mid month.

If we can talk first, I would then like to email the Board as soon as possible to get sign off today. This is time sensitive so I was hoping to move on this early today. Unless you think the money should not be moved forst thing next week.

This is what I expect our expenses will be in March-

|                                  |              |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Campaign to Defend America       | 4,000,000.00 |
| March 3                          | 2,000,000    |
| March 15                         | 2,000,000    |
| America Votes                    | 500,000.00   |
| Voter Mobilization Groups        | 500,000.00   |
| The Bonner Group                 | 43,117.95    |
| SEIU                             | 13,931.24    |
| The Waverly Group                | 10,050.00    |
| CAP Action Fund                  | 10,061.00    |
| Future Strategies (Frank Smith)  | 12,500.00    |
| ATLAS                            | 45,000.00    |
| Rob Stein (Feb and March)        | 16,000.00    |
| Katherine Lister (Feb and March) | 9,000.00     |
| American Express                 | XXX          |
| FFA Legal Reserve Fund           | 150,000.00   |

Total \$5,309,660.19  
Ind \$4,159,660.19  
Labor \$1,150,000.00

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Amy K. Dacey  
Executive Director  
Fund for America  
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From: "Opinion Miles Club" <info@opinionmilesclub.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/13/2015 4:18:26 PM

Subject: "You're our expert for this survey"

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Date: 12/19/2014 7:29:47 PM

Subject: California Climate Leaders Commit to Keep Moving Forward and other news from Dan Lashof, NextGen Climate America

On Monday NextGen Climate America hosted the California Climate Leadership Forum. California's top political leaders, business innovators, and community leaders all showed up and we had a great time. Here is my review of the policy roadmap that emerged:

<https://nextgenamerica.org/climate-change/california-climate-leaders-commit-to-keep-moving-forward/>

For a more complete recap of the play-by-play via Storify check out:

<https://nextgenclimate.org/climatechange/the-california-climate-leadership-forum/>

And if you prefer all your news in the form of a list, here's the top 12 things we learned at the forum:

<https://nextgenclimate.org/ca/12-reasons-californians-should-be-excited-about-2015/>

Also this week my colleague Aaron Burgess posted on the short-term extension of the wind production tax credit:

<https://nextgenamerica.org/clean-energy/blowing-in-the-wind-the-economic-realities-of-a-short-term-extension-of-the-wind-ptc/>

Have a very happy New Year!

Best,

-Dan

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Please note: My assistant has access to my inbox and calendar.

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Date: 9/30/2015 7:03:43 PM

Subject: URGENT: FEC Deadline in 5 hours



**"McCain can't beat Democrat, GOP congressman says"**

- 12 News, 9/27/15

John,

We've been through a lot of change this quarter. We were ranked one of the top races in the country. I've been attacked online.

Now, Rep. Schweikert has said that he doesn't think John McCain can beat us.

While we've got the momentum, we need to remember that John McCain has a lot of resources and a lot of allies. **But we will not back down.**

Our FEC deadline is in 5 hours. And this is no time to start missing goals.

**We're only \$217 away from our \$35,000 goal. Please, before the deadline hits, give \$5, \$10, or whatever you can.**

Yes, this race is heating up. Let's make sure we're up to the challenge.

Thanks for your help.

Ann

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To: [tflournoy11@gmail.com](mailto:tflournoy11@gmail.com)

Date: 2/19/2016 12:28:00 PM

Subject: Re: Tallahassee

Do you have contacts?

On Friday, February 19, 2016, tina <[tflournoy11@gmail.com](mailto:tflournoy11@gmail.com)> wrote:

WJC has a great conversation with the Mayor and he wants you to follow-up with him. That's why he's calling.

I can give you greater context on it

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

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Date: 1/15/2016 11:30:19 AM

Subject: TIME ADJUSTMENT -- Debate Prep on Saturday, January 16th

\*\* Our debate one-pager with hold room information will be done tonight/early tomorrow. We will circulate when it is completed.

Debate prep tomorrow will start at 10:30am

Saturday, January 16th

10:30am ET until approximately 2:30pm ET

Doral Arrowwood

Room 2003 (Doral's executive center wing)

Rye Brook, NY

Lunch will be served.

If you have any issues on site, please reach out to Jason Chung ([jchung@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jchung@hillaryclinton.com) ,  
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/22/2015 10:34:46 AM

Subject: HRC and the Business Council

Attachments: Business Council Members.pdf

John,

Great to see you on New Year's Day.. so glad you could join us...

As you might know, one of my clients is the Business Council — 120+ of the biggest CEO's in the US. The new Chairman is Jeff Bezos, CEO of Amazon... the past two Chairs have been Andrew Liveris of Dow and Jamie Dimon of JPMorgan. Their next meeting is going to be in Silicon Valley on Feb. 27-28. We usually get a good group of approximately 100 CEO's at each meeting. The meetings are for CEO's and their spouses only and off the record.

I saw a blurb on Politico a few days ago saying that Hilary Clinton was going to be in the area a few days before the meeting. (--"Hillary ... to Deliver Keynote Address at Inaugural 2015 Watermark Lead On Silicon Valley Conference for Women" on Feb. 24).

There are two key speaking spots open on the agenda of the Feb. 27-28 meeting — one for the dinner on Thursday, Feb. 27, and one for the closing spot at 11:00am on Friday, Feb. 28th. I would love to see if Ms. Clinton could join the meeting and speak in one of those spots. I think it would be a great group for her to talk with and because it is private, think she could engage in real conversations with them. I would also be delighted to help set up some one off meetings for her with some CEO's if that would be helpful.

I am pretty sure the Business Council will not be able pay her normal speaking fees - but could pay her hotel room/expenses etc if she can stay in the area for a couple days to be able to participate in the meeting.

Do you think she would be interested/able to attend the meeting? And if so, how should I proceed from here?

I am attaching a list of the Business Council member for you here..

Many thanks and I look forward to getting your feedback, best, Melissa

From: "Robby Mook" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>  
To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>  
Date: 7/14/2015 1:16:25 PM  
Subject: Re: 8 am call to discuss Iran?

AMEN!

On Tue, Jul 14, 2015 at 8:16 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
I could not see, only hear. So will watch it when I get home.

Thought she made cogent and commanding case. My takeaway was that, my friends, is the next POTUS.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 14, 2015, at 7:58 PM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

how do you think she did at her press conf talking about iran deal? shes curious

On Tue, Jul 14, 2015 at 7:18 AM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
Yes.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 14, 2015, at 7:07 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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> Joel can you join?

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Jul 14, 2015, at 6:39 AM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>> Ok

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>>> On Jul 14, 2015, at 6:38 AM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>>> Yup

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>>>> On Jul 14, 2015, at 6:34 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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>>>> Can folks get on the phone at 8 am to talk about Iran and whether we

>>>> do a statement, etc?

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>>>> Sent from my iPhone

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To: ["Varney, Christine A." <cvarney@hhlaw.com>](mailto:cvarney@hhlaw.com)

Date: 10/9/2008 2:50:29 AM

Subject: Re: meet tomorrow before the 9:30 to nail down last items for deep dive

Works for me.

On Thu, Oct 9, 2008 at 9:44 AM, Varney, Christine A. <[cvarney@hhlaw.com](mailto:cvarney@hhlaw.com)> wrote:  
At john's suggestion, we would like to get together for half an hour or so before the 9:30 to nail down the final details as we launch the deep dive. We still have a few details outstanding before we go. As I have said to each of you we need to tell the subject exactly what will happen to the information and who it will be shared with. We need to go over this one more time and be in agreement before I start taking the subjects through the process. If it is convenient we can meet at my office, or where ever you like. Let me know if 8:30 or so works for all of you and if you would like to do it at my office. thanks C

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Date:

6/24/2015 6:45:25 PM

Subject:

Pope Francis "The poor and the earth are crying out." Who are the poor in the US and CA?

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# Pope Francis "The poor and the earth are crying out." Who are the poor in the US and CA?

Pope Francis calls for action to care about climate, care about creation, and care about the poor in his encyclical on caring for our common home. Climate change and environmental degradation disproportionately impact the poor and disadvantaged, and cannot be solved without addressing poverty and inequality. The Pope intricately weaves moral and spiritual teachings with science, economics, and politics, addressing environmental values as well as human dignity and human rights.

"A true ecological approach," writes the Pope, "*always* becomes a social approach; it must integrate questions of justice in debates on the environment, *so as to hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.*" ¶ 49 (original emphasis).

Who are the poor and disadvantaged in the U.S. and in California?

## Poverty, Race, and Ethnicity

People of color disproportionately suffer from poverty and income inequality. The official poverty level in the US from 2007 to 2011 is about 25% for African Americans, 26% for Native Americans, and 22% for Hispanics, compared to 11% for non-Hispanic whites, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

Figure 1.  
**U.S. Poverty Rates by Race and Hispanic or Latino Origin: 2007-2011**  
(For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [www.census.gov/acs/www/](http://www.census.gov/acs/www/))

| Race or Hispanic origin                          | Percent below poverty |
|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| White alone                                      | 11                    |
| Black or African American alone                  | 25                    |
| American Indian and Alaska Native alone          | 26                    |
| Asian alone                                      | 11                    |
| Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone | 18                    |
| Two or More Races                                | 19                    |
| Hispanic or Latino                               | 22                    |

Note: Persons who report only one race among the six defined categories are referred to as the race-alone population, while persons who report more than one race category are referred to as the Two or More Races population. This figure shows data using the race-alone approach. Use of the single-race population does not imply that it is the preferred method of presenting or analyzing data. The Census Bureau uses a variety of approaches. Because Hispanics may be of any race, data in this figure for Hispanics overlap with data for race groups.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007-2011 American Community Survey.

According to the Stanford Center on Poverty and Inequality, 22.0% of Californians lived in poverty in 2011, using the California Poverty Measure. There is wide variation in poverty rates across California, with especially high rates in counties with high housing costs, such as Los Angeles County (26.9%).

## Wealth Inequality, Race, and Ethnicity

Pope Francis writes about economic inequality:

[W]e should be particularly indignant at the enormous inequalities in our midst, whereby we continue to tolerate some considering themselves more worthy than others. We fail to see that some are mired in desperate and degrading poverty, with no way out, while others have not the faintest idea of what to do with their possessions, vainly showing off their supposed superiority and leaving behind them so much waste which, if it were the case everywhere, would destroy the planet. In practice, we continue to tolerate that some consider themselves more

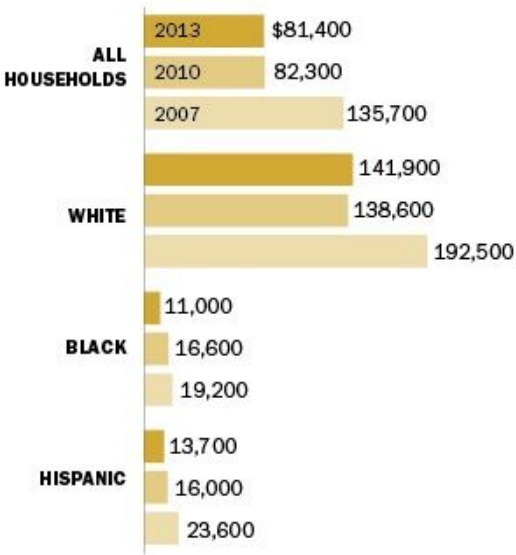
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human than others, as if they had been born with greater rights. ¶ 90.

There are wealth inequalities based on race, color, and national origin. According to Prof. Thomas Piketty, “The United States to this day is a country of extremely brutal inequality, especially in relation to race, whose effects are still quite visible. [B]lack people were deprived of civil rights until the 1960s and subjected to a regime of legal segregation . . . . This no doubt accounts for many aspects of the development – or rather nondevelopment – of the U.S. welfare state.”

### Wealth by Race and Ethnicity, 2007-13

Median net worth of households, in 2013 dollars



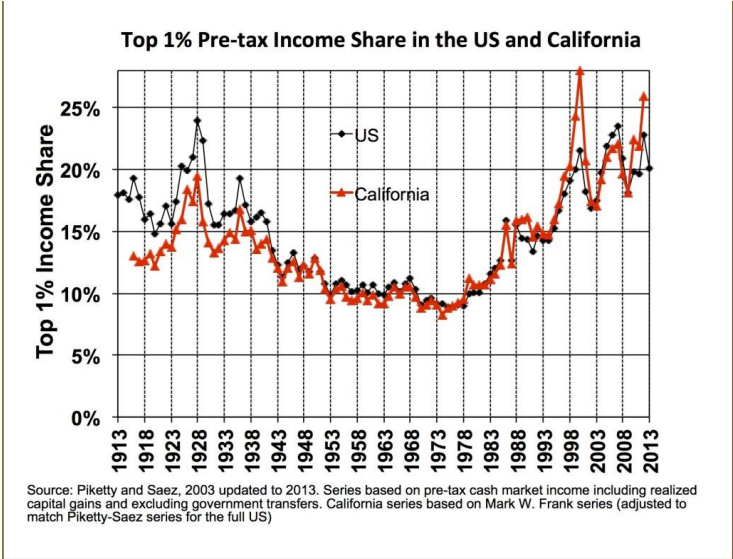
Note: Blacks and whites include only non-Hispanics. Hispanics are of any race.  
Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of Survey of Consumer Finances public-use data

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The wealth of **non-Hispanic white households** was 13 times the median wealth of **black households** in 2013, compared with eight times the wealth in 2010, according to the Pew Research Center. The wealth of non-Hispanic white households is now more than 10 times the wealth of **Hispanic households**, compared with nine times the wealth in 2010. The Great Recession, fueled by the crises in the housing and financial markets, was universally hard on the net worth of families in the U.S. Although asset prices have started to recover, not all households have benefited alike, and wealth inequality has widened along racial and ethnic lines.

### Income Inequality

Income inequality has exploded in the U.S. and in California since 1980. There are extreme income inequalities for the top 1% and the 10% in the U.S. Income inequality is even worse in California, as shown in the following chart. A large portion of this increase in inequality is due to an upsurge in the labor incomes earned by senior company executives and successful entrepreneurs.



The share of the top 1% in the U.S. national income rose dramatically from less than 10% in the 1970s to about 17-23% in the 2000s-2010s. The pattern of inequality is generally similar in California, with the top 1% receiving over 25% of the income in 2012. The top percentile included families with income above \$394,000 in 2012. The bottom half includes families whose income falls below about \$50,000. Blacks and Latinos are disproportionately excluded from the top incomes.

**Pope Francis writes: "Hence every ecological approach needs to incorporate a social perspective which takes into account the fundamental rights of the poor and the underprivileged." ¶ 93. We agree.**



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Date: 3/5/2015 9:14:04 AM

Subject: Your plans

On track for getting home?

And no problem with Verizon. We have unlimited talk and text and last month both of us together used only one half of one GB of data (we get 3GB of monthly data in our plan.)

From: ["Tony Carrk" <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com)  
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["Speech Drafts" <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 12/14/2015 9:01:05 AM  
Subject: RE: DRAFT: Minnesota speech - 4pm

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We're scrubbing right now.

**From:** [speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com) [mailto:[speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)] **On Behalf Of** Dan Schwerin  
**Sent:** Monday, December 14, 2015 4:00 PM  
**To:** Speech Drafts <[speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com)>  
**Cc:** Oren Fliegelman <[ofliegelman@hfaintern.com](mailto:ofliegelman@hfaintern.com)>  
**Subject:** DRAFT: Minnesota speech - 4pm

Latest homeland security speech draft attached. Would love a scrub from Research!



From: ["Melissa Cantrell" <mcantrell@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mcantrell@hillaryclinton.com)

To: [hrcrapid@googlegroups.com](mailto:hrcrapid@googlegroups.com)

Date: 5/14/2015 12:06:13 PM

Subject: May 14 Evening News Roundup

Attachments: 5.14.15 Evening News Roundup.docx

Document attached, 2016 highlights below:

**ABC:** Jeb Bush is clarifying his answer as to whether or not he would have done the same thing as his brother in Iraq. Bush said he misrepresented the original question; this is the fifth time in one week he has clarified his position.

**NBC:** Jeb Bush attempted to answer a question about whether he would authorize the Iraq War again today; reporters noted this was different than what he said Monday and Tuesday; showed clips of Cruz and Christie criticizing Bush's answer; used footage of the college student telling Bush that George W. Bush created ISIS; used footage of Bush's slip of the tongue that he may run for President, yesterday, and footage from today of Bush demurring when he was asked if he would run.

**CBS:** Jeb Bush adjusted his answer to the predictable question about whether he would have invaded Iraq knowing what we know now; mentioned Bush changing his answer throughout the week; interview with CBS News Political Director John Dickerson; Dickerson said that the GOP candidate would face the likely nominee HRC who voted to authorize the Iraq War.

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["Zach Schwartz" <zschwartz@shangrila.us>](mailto:zschwartz@shangrila.us)  
Date: 12/3/2007 3:31:15 PM  
Subject: Negative Narratives  
Attachments: Rudy Negative Narratives.doc  
Romney Negative Narratives.doc

Hey:

I am working through line edits on the poll, but the first draft ignores some of what I think are the most devastating hits on the GOP candidates (eg: Mitt laid off hundreds of workers, invested in firms that do business in Iran; Rudy protected a child molesting priest, his kids won't speak to him because he divorced their mom on TV, etc.) This is, of course, not the fault of GQR, rather, we presented them with very limited research.

Attached are potential negative narratives on Rudy and Romney (I'll get to Huckabee on the long flight to San Francisco tomorrow). My belief is that this poll should tell us how to define the opponent; what the frame through which we attack him should be -- not merely which specific charges hurt the most. To that end, I thought it would be useful to collect up a lot of the discrete, scattershot charges and try to put them into a narrative, then test the different narratives, and run against the guy who polls the worst. Maybe the best way to go after Mitt is as a phony. But maybe it's as a multimillionaire who screwed the middle class. I don't know. But that's what I hope to learn from the poll.

Will send line edits on the poll tomorrow, as well as my best efforts at Huckabee narratives.

All best,

Paul

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Mike Berman" <MBerman@dubersteingroup.com>](mailto:MBerman@dubersteingroup.com)  
Date: 11/28/2011 5:27:49 AM  
Subject: Re: Fw: I said yes!

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Sorry we missed the party. Quite eventful!

On our sad news front, we put Mary's mom in hospice saturday night. We spent some good time with her, but she is now fading quickly.

On Mon, Nov 28, 2011 at 11:59 AM, Mike Berman  
<MBerman@dubersteingroup.com> wrote:

> Thanks

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> ----- Original Message -----

> From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

> Sent: Monday, November 28, 2011 11:58 AM

> To: Mike Berman

> Subject: Re: Fw: I said yes!

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> Mazel Tov.

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> On Sun, Nov 27, 2011 at 7:48 AM, Mike Berman

> <MBerman@dubersteingroup.com> wrote:

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>> ----- Original Message -----

>> From: Debbie Cowan [mailto:debbcowan@gmail.com]

>> Sent: Sunday, November 27, 2011 07:33 AM

>> To: Mike Berman

>> Subject: I said yes!

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From: "Opinion Miles Club" <info@opinionmilesclub.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 5/17/2015 10:28:03 AM

Subject: A New Survey Opportunity For You

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-The Opinion Miles Club Team

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To: ["Lucy Rodriguez" <lucy@rpnalaw.com>](mailto:lucy@rpnalaw.com)

Date: 3/11/2016 2:00:00 PM

Subject: Re: Luxor Cabs, Inc. v. Applied Underwriters re: Supplemental Authority

You sent this to the wrong John Podesta.

On Friday, March 11, 2016, Lucy Rodriguez <[lucy@rpnalaw.com](mailto:lucy@rpnalaw.com)> wrote:

Good afternoon Mr. Podesta:

Please see attached correspondence on behalf of Joe. Please feel free to respond to Joe via this email.

Thank you,



**Lucy Rodriguez**

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To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
"Tom Matzzie" <[tom@moveon.org](mailto:tom@moveon.org)>  
Date: 10/2/2007 9:58:34 AM  
Subject: RE: Call to plan next steps?

Sounds good. Looping in Lindsay Shulman on my end. Thx!

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**From:** John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 02, 2007 4:41 PM  
**To:** Tom Matzzie  
**Cc:** Susan McCue  
**Subject:** Re: Call to plan next steps?

Hi Tom and Susan,

This is Natalie Ondiak, writing on behalf of John Podesta. John said he would like to discuss next steps with you on Thursday, October 4th. John will be in California on vacation so the call should not be too early. What timing works for you? Is there a call-in number for the call?

Thanks!

Best wishes,

Natalie Ondiak

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On 10/1/07, Tom Matzzie <[tom@moveon.org](mailto:tom@moveon.org)> wrote:  
John, Susan-

We need to talk to plan next steps. Can we talk on the phone? Who else should be in the discussion? I see this as a nuts and bolts discussion for jump-starting the work.

-Tom



From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Joanne Laszczych" <[jlaszczych@cdmillsGroup.com](mailto:jlaszczych@cdmillsGroup.com)>

Date: 1/31/2015 2:54:38 PM

Subject: Re: REMINDER: SUNDAY, February 1, 8:00am EST - Standing Call

Assume we are still on for tomorrow. Need to get off by 8:40

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Jan 30, 2015, at 4:29 PM, Joanne Laszczych <[jlaszczych@cdmillsGroup.com](mailto:jlaszczych@cdmillsGroup.com)> wrote:

**REMINDER**

8:00am EST call on Sunday, February 1

Dial-in: 1-530-881-1000

Code: 742374#

Cheryl is traveling and unable to join this week's call. She will be on the call scheduled for February 8.

Best,

Joanne

From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

["Daetz, Steve" <sdaetz@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:sdaetz@sandlerfoundation.org)

["Sandler, Susan" <ses@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:ses@sandlerfoundation.org)

["Sandler, Jim" <james@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:james@sandlerfoundation.org)

Date: 2/11/2014 7:30:24 AM

Subject: How Much Does It Cost to Be Ambassador to Hungary? - Bloomberg

Ugh!

<http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2014-02-11/how-much-does-it-cost-to-be-ambassador-to-hungary-.html>

Sent from my iPad

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Tara McGuinness" <tara.mcguinness@gmail.com>](mailto:tara.mcguinness@gmail.com)  
Date: 2/18/2015 5:15:15 AM  
Subject: Re: Working from brandywine?

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Dinner this weekend? Bring the baby?

On Feb 18, 2015 11:30 AM, "Tara McGuinness" <[tara.mcguinness@gmail.com](mailto:tara.mcguinness@gmail.com)> wrote:

John-

Happy Ash Wednesday! If you are working from brandywine these days and need a break, let me know and the gal and I will arrange a visit.

I don't have a car but we do walk in rock creek, near pierce mill.

Hope all is well. Life is incredibly busy, savoring my days before my return.

Best to you and Mary,

Tara

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Liza Magley" <lrn53@georgetown.edu>  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 2/19/2015 9:50:25 AM  
Subject: Magley Congressional Investigation Topic

Good afternoon,

Please see below my proposed topic for the Congressional Investigations paper. I will also bring a hard copy to class.

Best,  
Liza

Liza Magley  
Congressional Investigations  
Spring 2015

#### Topic Selection and Description

In July 1861, the U.S. House of Representatives created the Select Committee on Government Contracts.<sup>[1]</sup> The Committee arose out of allegations that numerous government contracts granted in connection with the Union Army during the Civil War were entered into fraudulently.<sup>[2]</sup> During the Committee's tenure, its work was the subject of media and political interest.<sup>[3]</sup> The Committee issued three reports after numerous hearings that demonstrated the truthfulness of the allegations.<sup>[4]</sup> As a result of this Committee's work, the House passed the False Claims Act in 1863.<sup>[5]</sup>

The False Claims Act remains an important tool in the government's toolbox to investigate and deter fraudulent government contracting. Therefore, the work the Select Committee on Government Contracts did, in light of media attention and political rivalries, can provide a benchmark for other Select Committees today, such as the recent Select Committee on Benghazi. For my paper topic, I would like to evaluate the Select Committee on Government Contracts, comparing and contrasting where possible with recent Select Committees, in order to see what lessons can be learned for future committees that wish to make a lasting impact in the area they investigate.

<sup>[1]</sup> National Archives, "Chapter 22. Records of the Select Committees of the House of Representatives," *Guide to the Records of the U.S. House of Representatives at the National Archives, 1789 – 1989*, <http://www.archives.gov/legislative/guide/house/chapter-22-1847-1909.html> (last visited 19 Feb 2015).

<sup>[2]</sup> See Richard F. Miller, *States at War, Vol. 2: A Reference Guide for New York in Civil War* (Univ. Press of New England 2014); see, e.g., "Government Contracts; the Frauds of the Contractors," *New York Times* (Pub. 6 Feb 1862); "Report of the Van-Wyck Investigating Committee," *Richmond Daily Dispatch* (Pub. 25 Dec. 1861).

<sup>[3]</sup> Mark Greenbaum, "The Civil War's War on Fraud," *N.Y. Times Opinion Pages*, [http://opinionator.blogs.nytimes.com/2013/03/07/the-civil-wars-war-on-fraud/?\\_r=0](http://opinionator.blogs.nytimes.com/2013/03/07/the-civil-wars-war-on-fraud/?_r=0) (7 March 2013).

<sup>[4]</sup> Robert Witners, et. al, *An Introduction to Crime and Crime Causation*, p. 244 (CRC Press 2014).

<sup>[5]</sup> *Id.*

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To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>

Date: 11/19/2015 9:08:24 AM

Subject: ☒YES ☐NO: The Next Constitutional Amendment...

## INSTANT POLL

RESPONDENT: JOHN PODESTA [20005]

**Do you Support a Constitutional Amendment to Overturn  
*Citizens United* ?**

YES >>

NO >>

Unsure? [Click here.](#)

John --

Since the Supreme Court's *Citizens United* decision, there has been a flood of money from corporations and the wealthy into our elections.

The *New York Times* found that just 158 wealthy American families are responsible for around 5 out of every 10 dollars donated to a political campaign this cycle.

*Citizens United* gives a few Americans outsized influence on our elections and allows these very wealthy people to "buy" elections. In response, many are seeking a Constitutional Amendment that would undo *Citizens United*.

The most likely paths for changing the Constitution to overturn *Citizens United* require either passage by two-thirds of both the House and Senate or a progressive majority on the Supreme Court to overturn the *Citizens United* ruling itself.

So, no matter what, Democrats need to be elected in strong numbers for *Citizens United* to be overturned.

We want to know what you think, John. Do you support a Constitutional Amendment to undo *Citizens United*?

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Date: 2/8/2016 11:51:18 AM  
Subject: Faculty Lunch/Change in Time/Wednesday, February 10, 11:30 - 1:00 pm

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Dear Colleagues,

This week, the Law Center will host the Board of Directors during its Winter meeting. The meeting will take place Wednesday and Thursday, February 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>, and the Board will be utilizing various spaces on campus, throughout their two day meeting. To accommodate their space needs, we are rescheduling the Faculty Lunch in the Faculty Lounge. It will take place from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm (rather than from noon to 2 pm) to assist facilities in setting up the lounge for a meeting scheduled at 3:00 pm.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best,

Bill



From: ["Melanie Hart" <mhart@americanprogress.org>](mailto:mhart@americanprogress.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 6/21/2015 9:49:52 AM

Subject: Re: CH

Hello John,

Great! We requested three meetings:

(1) ZHANG Gaoli, Executive Vice Premier

(2) LIU He, co-head of the Specialized Group for Economic System and Ecological Civilization System Reform and Minister-Level Vice-Chairman at the National Development and Reform Commission

(3) ZHANG Yong, Vice Chairman, National Development and Reform Commission

CPIFA is handling those requests via official diplomatic channels as per usual. So far, CPIFA heard back from ZHANG Gaoli's office that he will not be available due to travel. We have not yet heard back from LIU He or ZHANG Yong. I can send Lawson at CPIFA a text message to see if there are new updates they haven't shared yet. If anything comes back I'll forward immediately.

I shared the three names above with CH team so they are in the loop. We are also working to confirm a good slot for a breakfast or lunch meeting with you and CH. Details still TBD but that meeting will certainly happen at some point while you are in Beijing.

Melanie

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**From:** John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Sunday, June 21, 2015 12:19 PM

**To:** Melanie Hart

**Subject:** Fwd: CH

Melanie,

I'm going to talk to CH tonight. He can probably be helpful with meetings we are trying to land. Do you have an update on who we have requested and where we stand?

John

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From: **Eryn Sepp** <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)>

Date: Saturday, June 20, 2015

Subject: CH

To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

9 pm tomorrow night. CH will call your cell.

> On Jun 19, 2015, at 5:25 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

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> do you want to see if he could talk Sunday night our time, Monday morning his time?

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

Date: 8/30/2014 5:35:03 AM

Subject: Re: Fwd: Podesta/Wyss

Saw it. Just churns in the Breitbart Free Beacon loop. You around for a call?

On Aug 29, 2014 11:12 AM, "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:  
fysa

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From: Heather Samuelson <[hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com](mailto:hsamuelson@cdmillsgroup.com)>

Date: Fri, Aug 29, 2014 at 10:27 AM

Subject: Podesta/Wyss

To: Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> ,

I happened to come across this yesterday. Wanted to share in case you missed it last month. A couple other similar outlets, such as Free Beacon, picked it up too.

<http://washingtonexaminer.com/three-people-died-in-illegal-human-experiments-carried-out-by-john-podesta-backers-firm/article/2551139>

### Three people died in illegal human experiments carried out by John Podesta backer's firm

BY RICHARD POLLOCK | JULY 23, 2014 | 5:00 AM

TOPICS: WATCHDOG BARACK OBAMA CENTER FOR AMERICAN PROGRESS FDA ACCOUNTABILITY JOHN PODESTA

John Podesta, one of President Obama's closest White House advisers, counts among his key financial supporters Hansjorg Wyss, a reclusive Swiss billionaire whose company conducted illegal human experiments that resulted in the deaths of three elderly patients.

Justice Department attorneys negotiated a \$23.8 million plea deal in 2011 with Synthes Inc., and Norian Corporation, its wholly owned subsidiary, and sent four of its U.S. executives to prison. The money was paid to the federal government.

Two of the victims died in a California hospital and the third perished in a Texas medical facility. One of the California victims was Ryoichi Kikuchi, 83, who died on the operating table at John Muir Hospital in Walnut Creek on Sept. 19, 2009.

He was a prize-winning physicist who analyzed the thermodynamic behavior of liquids and gases and worked at scientific centers at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the University of California at Berkeley, the Max Planck Institute in Germany and the National Bureau of Standards.

The federal judge who heard the case said the company's "pattern of deception is unparalleled."

Synthes was a Swiss medical device firm with U.S. corporate offices in West Chester, Pa. Wyss opened the U.S. office in 1974 and was CEO until the company was bought by Johnson & Johnson in 2012 for \$21.3 billion.

The *Washington Examiner* asked a White House spokesman whether the president was aware of Podesta's relationship with Wyss or of the three deaths when Podesta was invited to join the chief executive's inner circle. The spokesman declined to respond.

Podesta, who was White House chief of staff under President Bill Clinton, and Wyss have been financially linked for years. Among the Swiss billionaire's largest gifts in recent years have been those made to the Center for American Progress.

CAP received \$4.1 million from Wyss during Podesta's tenure as the liberal nonprofit's founding president and chief executive officer. A CAP spokesman declined to respond to the *Examiner's* request for information about the Podesta-Wyss relationship.

The HJW Foundation, which is Wyss's private foundation, hired Podesta in 2013 as a paid consultant, for which he was paid \$87,000 that year, according to the presidential counselor's financial disclosure statement.

A HJW spokesman declined to respond to the *Examiner's* questions about the kind of work Podesta performed for the fee.

Wyss has a seat on CAP's 10-member board of directors, which also includes former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright; former Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D.; and Carol Browner, Obama's first energy czar and administrator of the U.S. [Environmental Protection Agency](#) under Clinton.

Podesta's think tank is the fourth-largest recipient of Wyss money among 27 liberal nonprofit activist groups the Swiss billionaire has supported since 2008, according to the HJW Foundation's [Internal Revenue Service](#) tax returns.

The IRS 990 tax returns for all of the groups can be reviewed via the Examiner's [Citizen Audit database](#).

CAP itself was the largest single recipient of HJW contributions in 2011 and 2012, according to the foundation's IRS filing.

Wyss and other Synthes executives decided to enter the highly profitable field of spinal surgery in 2000 with Norian XR, a cement-like mixture of calcium phosphate with barium sulfate.

Company managers claimed the compound could act like bone when injected in the spine in a procedure called "vertebroplasty."

Federal prosecutors noted that at the time there was "excitement about using Norian for vertebroplasties" at Synthes, even though the [U.S. Food and Drug Administration](#) had not approved its use on the spine. FDA approval could take at least three years.

Company managers, however, decided not to seek FDA approval for Norian XR on the spine. Instead, they conducted unauthorized human experiments over a four-year period that included the three deaths.

FDA officials got wind of the deadly experiments and dispatched Capt. Joseph Despina in May 2004 to conduct an unannounced inspection, which kept him at the company until June 18.

Despina's findings subsequently became the basis for a [federal indictment of the company](#), its subsidiary and four of its officers, which was filed June 16, 2009.

U.S. District Judge Legrome D. Davis said during a 2011 sentencing hearing following the plea agreement that the two firms ran "rogue clinical trials," conducted "illegal training of spine surgeons" and "in search of profits, chose not to tell the FDA the truth."

He also said they "did not stop the testing until three elderly patients had died on the operating table over the period of a year. ... This pattern of deception is unparalleled."

Four Synthes executives went to jail, each for varying terms of less than one year, in the plea agreement. They admitted their company had feloniously conspired "to defraud the United States" in an effort "to impair and impede the lawful functions of the Food and Drug Administration."

Wyss was not named in the indictment but was referred to as "Person No. 7" and the "CEO and a major stockholder of Synthes." Wyss was CEO and major stockholder at the time of the indictment and the experiments.

Wyss, who now lives in [Wyoming](#), is a major donor to scores of liberal groups in this country, with his contributions estimated to total more than \$110 million, according to the HJW Foundation's tax filings with the IRS since 2008.

The Swiss Broadcasting Corp. reported last year that Wyss was the second-richest person in [Switzerland](#). He is the 112th wealthiest man in the world, with a net worth estimated at \$11.2 billion by Forbes magazine.

Despite his relationship with Podesta and active role in funding liberal political activism, Wyss is not well known to the American public.

In fact, [George Soros](#), the high-profile financial supporter of many liberal groups, has given less to CAP than Wyss.

Wyss told a Swiss newspaper in a rare interview in 2011 that "nobody knows me, and I hope that it stays like this," according to Fortune.

But federal court documents paint a graphic description of his firm's brazen decision to ignore the FDA's drug approval procedures, which are intended to assure patient safety.

The FDA had previously approved another Synthes-produced substance for use in treating injured bones in the arm.

But in order for XR to be used in spinal cases, the company had to complete the government's Investigational Device Exemption process.

Regardless of whether the company pursued the IDE process, however, the FDA required Synthes to include a warning label on the XR compound's container stating it was "not intended for the treatment of vertebral compression fractures."

Wyss and his subordinates decided during a Nov. 15, 2001, meeting to forgo the IDE process and to proceed with the unauthorized human experiments, according to the indictment.

"Person No. 7 decided that Synthes would not pursue an IDE study," the indictment said, referring directly to Wyss. The meeting minutes noted the CEO and his subordinates ordered 60-80 test procedures without FDA approval.

In a pre-sentencing report, Assistant U.S. Attorney Mary Crawley described Wyss's role: "After this [November] meeting Wyss, the CEO and major shareholder of Synthes, directed that Synthes would not pursue FDA approval of Norian XR via an IDE," but "would press on with a 'test market'" with surgeons.

Crawley also said the Synthes test market programs "were not slow or cautious, or careful, or motivated by patient safety."

Davis said at a Dec. 13, 2011, sentencing hearing for Michael D. Huggins, one of the convicted Synthes executives, that "the safer and lawful approval route was expressly rejected."

"One of the most offensive things was the little piddly sentence they got for this," complained Eva Sloan, whose elderly mother, Lois Eskind, died during an XR experiment, according to Fortune.

Sloan filed a separate wrongful death lawsuit against the company in 2012 that charged "willful, wanton, malicious and reckless misconduct."

The four executives "could have gone to 7-Eleven and stolen a six-pack of beer and got more time," she said.

Sloan's lawsuit was settled out of court. Laura Feld, Sloan's attorney, said she could not comment because the settlement included a confidentiality agreement.

Defense attorney Brent J. Gurney told Davis at a sentencing hearing he thought Wyss was the missing person at the table.

"There is another person who is not present in this process," he said while representing former Synthes executive Richard E. Bohner, "and that is the former chairman, CEO, controlling shareholder of the company, Mr. Wyss."

Gurney, a former U.S. attorney, said, "Mr. Wyss was a highly involved owner of Synthes. The record shows that at the very beginning, it was he who made some of the very critical decisions that put the company on its ultimate pathway."

From: "Charles Pruett" <[pruettc@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:pruettc@law.georgetown.edu)>

To: [Announcements](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu) <[Announcements@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu)>

Date: 10/17/2014 7:55:09 AM

Subject: Community Committee Announces the Georgetown Law Halloween / Fall Decoration Contest

Dear Community Colleagues,

The Building Community Committee is pleased to announce the First Georgetown Law Halloween / Fall Decoration Contest!

All Georgetown Law community members may participate. You may choose either a Halloween or a fall seasonal theme. If you and your colleagues already do some type of decoration, this is the chance to show it off to the greater Law Center community and possibly up your game a bit. We envision three broad groupings:

Individual Workspace/Office

Door Decoration

Office Team

The decorations should be complete by October 29 and first-round judging will occur on the 30th. The winners will be selected from the finalists on the 31st. Indicate your desire to be included in the competition by posting on the [Community Board thread](#). Pictures will be posted on the community board and the winners will be announced to the community.

Happy Fall from the Building Community Committee!

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: 12/5/2015 10:21:42 AM

Subject: Re: Travel options for tomorrow

On Saturday, December 5, 2015, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
Just tried you. Here are the options for tomorrow:

I have the 6:20 pm regional train on hold, but can book any of the others as well.

- \$45-- Vamoose Bus leaving every hour from Bethesda from 1pm-8pm
- \$126 (w/ senior discount)-- Amtrak Regional at 6:20 pm
- \$184--Flights DCA-JFK on American and Delta (no United available)

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| <b>\$184</b><br><small>one way</small> |  | 6:05 pm – 7:42 pm<br><small>American</small>                           |  1h 37m | Nonstop |
| <b>\$184</b><br><small>one way</small> |  | 6:40 pm – 8:02 pm<br><small>Delta · Gojet Airlines DBA Delta C</small> |  1h 22m | Nonstop |

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**Date:** 4/5/2015 3:35:20 AM  
**Subject:** RE: [MATERIALS] Launch Materials Follow Up Call  
**Attachments:** Longer Campaign Rationale.docx

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**From:** Marissa Astor [mailto:[marissa.astor@icloud.com](mailto:marissa.astor@icloud.com)]

**Sent:** Sunday, April 5, 2015 9:09 AM

**To:** Margolis, Jim; Joel Benenson; Mandy Grunwald; Huma Abedin; Teddy Goff; Oren Shur; Jennifer Palmieri; Kristina Schake; John Podesta; Robby Mook; Dan Schwerin; [jake.sullivan@gmail.com](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com); John Anzalone; Brian Fallon; David Binder; Katie Dowd

**Subject:** Re: [MATERIALS] Launch Materials Follow Up Call

Please find the longer campaign rationale attached to this email.

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**From:** Marissa Astor <[marissa.astor@icloud.com](mailto:marissa.astor@icloud.com)>

**Date:** Saturday, April 4, 2015 at 10:44 PM

**To:** "Margolis, Jim" <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)>, Joel Benenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)>, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>, Huma Abedin <[huma@hrcoffice.com](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)>, Teddy Goff <[teddy.goff@gmail.com](mailto:teddy.goff@gmail.com)>, Oren Shur <[orencshur@gmail.com](mailto:orencshur@gmail.com)>, Jennifer Palmieri <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>, Kristina Schake <[kristinakschake@gmail.com](mailto:kristinakschake@gmail.com)>, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, Robby Mook <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hrcoffice.com](mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com)>, "[jake.sullivan@gmail.com](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)" <[jake.sullivan@gmail.com](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)>, John Anzalone <[john@algpolling.com](mailto:john@algpolling.com)>, Brian Fallon <[brianefallon@gmail.com](mailto:brianefallon@gmail.com)>, David Binder <[David@db-research.com](mailto:David@db-research.com)>, Katie Dowd <[katie.w.dowd@gmail.com](mailto:katie.w.dowd@gmail.com)>, Oren Shur <[shur@dga.net](mailto:shur@dga.net)>

**Subject:** [MATERIALS] Launch Materials Follow Up Call

Attached for your review ahead of tomorrow's 9 AM call are:

Latest candidate talking points

Video script and shoot plan

Please note that we will also discuss the longer campaign rationale—that document will be circulated later tonight or first thing tomorrow morning ahead of the call.

Thank you!

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**From:** [marissa.astor@icloud.com](mailto:marissa.astor@icloud.com)

**When:** 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM April 5, 2015

**Subject:** Launch Materials Follow Up Call

**Location:** Dial-In Number: (202) 794-7025 // No PIN needed

**Dial-In Number: (202) 794-7025 // No PIN needed**

**Agenda**

- Candidate talking points
- Longer campaign rationale
- Video script and plan



From: ["Mary Kay Henry" <marykay.henry@seiu.org>](mailto:marykay.henry@seiu.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/2/2016 9:45:36 AM

Subject: Re: Happy New Year to you and your family!

HRC knows how to meet every challenge! Glad to be on the team!

Look forward to connecting this week. Hope you and Mary had down time?

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 2, 2016, at 1:28 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Wishing you a happy New Year. 2015 was challenging, but we ended in a good place thanks to your help and support. Look forward to working with you to elect the first woman President of the United States.

Have a great New Year.

-John

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["wendy Abrams" <wabrams1@me.com>](mailto:wabrams1@me.com)

Date: 11/8/2014 1:24:33 PM

Subject: Re: Clean Start From CAP Action

Josh screwed up. Don't read anything into that.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Nov 7, 2014, at 12:17 PM, wendy Abrams <[wabrams1@me.com](mailto:wabrams1@me.com)> wrote:

What does this mean about Obama approving a Keystone bill IF and only IF both House and Senate approve? that's like negotiating with my kids that they can have a later bedtime, but only if they all agree to stay up late and eat candy. If he's going to cave on Keystone, why not negotiate for something real on climate (i.e., Republicans commitment to not fight EPA regs)

I am definitely missing something, can you explain?

xo

Begin forwarded message:

From: Clean Start <[cleanstart@thinkprogress.org](mailto:cleanstart@thinkprogress.org)>

Subject: Clean Start From CAP Action: ALEC Loses Yet Another Big Tech Supporter

Date: November 7, 2014 at 9:47:22 AM CST

To: [wabrams1@me.com](mailto:wabrams1@me.com)

Reply-To: Clean Start <[cleanstart@thinkprogress.org](mailto:cleanstart@thinkprogress.org)>

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CLEAN START FROM CAP ACTION

**\*White House Would Consider A Keystone XL Bill\***

The White House said Thursday it would "consider" a rider approving construction of the Keystone XL oil pipeline if it was offered in legislation that was able to pass both houses of Congress. But press secretary Josh Earnest also emphasized that the administration was "committed" to the "firmly established precedent" for such transnational projects, which includes the ongoing review at the State Department, The Hill reported. The new Senate Majority Leader, Mitch McConnell, [promised](#) to push through a bill to approve the controversial pipeline and also said a [priority](#) of his is to "get the EPA reined in." [[The Hill](#)]

**\* House To Vote On "Secret Science" Bills This Month\***

The House will vote later this month on a pair of bills aimed at increasing transparency in the scientific process behind President Obama's environmental rules. One bill would prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from issuing any regulations whose scientific backing is not publicly available. The other would reform the EPA's Scientific Advisory Board to allow public participation in their proceedings and introduce additional peer review. Republicans have long said that the EPA relies on "secret science" to justify its regulations and the agency does not allow public scrutiny of its research. EPA chief Gina McCarthy started to fight back against the allegations this year, saying in a [speech](#) that her agency relies "on real scientists to conduct research, and independent scientists

to peer review it, and scientists who've spent a lifetime studying the science to reproduce it." [[The Hill](#)]

\* QUICK LINKS \*

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The election puts the presidents climate pledge at risk [[Bloomberg](#) ]

Voters in 19 states just committed more than \$13 billion for conservation [[Climate Progress](#) ]

\* CALENDAR \*

8:00 am: LNG Allies hosts a breakfast with EIA chief Adam Sieminski. Capitol Hill Club

10:00 am: IHS The Energy Daily sponsors a press breakfast with FERC Chairman Cheryl LaFleur.  
1300 Connecticut Ave. NW

12:00 pm: The Women's Council on Energy and the Environment hosts a discussion on EPA's proposed climate rules. <http://bit.ly/1yaimgV> . 101 Constitution Ave. NW

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From: "★ FOUST HQ" <info@foustforvirginia.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>  
Date: 10/23/2014 12:56:01 PM  
Subject: DEADLOCKED

We just don't know what else to do:

- The latest polls show we're DEADLOCKED against Barbara Comstock.
- Boehner's spent \$1 MILLION to eviscerate John on Northern Virginia T.V.
- **and now, we're dangerously behind on our fundraising goal.**

This is as bad as it gets: if we don't have the resources to fight back, our chances of winning will drop to ZERO. That might sound grim, but it's the truth.

Tomorrow night marks a critical ad buy deadline for us -- exactly 11 days to go. It's our last chance to turn things around.

John, we're urging you -- please don't wait until tomorrow. We need you to chip in today.

**John Podesta**

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Can you rush an urgent \$5 or more to help us get back on track?

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If we win this race, it'll be because of what you did in moments like this.

Thanks,

Team Foust

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Paid for by John Foust for Congress

10/18/2016

This message was sent to: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu) | Change or update your email address by [clicking here](#) .

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Date: 2/14/2016 4:03:03 PM

Subject: Fwd: Nevada data

fyi

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From: Elan Kriegel <[ekriegel@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ekriegel@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: Sun, Feb 14, 2016 at 11:02 PM

Subject: Nevada data

To: [jerryjoneslr@gmail.com](mailto:jerryjoneslr@gmail.com)

Cc: Simon Vance <[svance@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:svance@hillaryclinton.com)>, Emily Samsel <[esamsel@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:esamsel@hillaryclinton.com)>

Hey Jerry,

I'm the Chief Analytics Officer for Hillary's campaign. John Podesta suggested I reach out regarding Nevada data you might be able to help with.

I know tomorrow is a holiday, but is anyone on your team available to speak with me or my colleague Simon (cc'd) tomorrow. Otherwise, maybe Tuesday?

Thanks!

--elan

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To: ["David Kendall" <DKendall@wc.com>](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)

Date: 5/8/2015 4:44:43 AM

Subject: RE: Gowdy

Sounds good

Cheryl, any reservations?

On May 8, 2015 11:23 AM, "Kendall, David" <[DKendall@wc.com](mailto:DKendall@wc.com)> wrote:

Why don't I wait until 3:00 pm? But happy to do so.

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**From:** John Podesta [mailto:[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) ]

**Sent:** Friday, May 08, 2015 11:22 AM

**To:** Kendall, David; Cheryl Mills

**Subject:** Gowdy

Make any sense to call him directly rather than going through Grooms? Definitely help our planning to get a sense of where we are headed.

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Subject: Re: Haim

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Sorry to miss you . I hope you are getting a bit of downtime. All the best  
Laura

On Jul 13, 2015, at 3:06 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I'll be out West. Sorry.

On Jul 13, 2015 4:04 PM, "Robby Mook" <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Works for me--adding Kate.

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> Hi there. I hope you are well. Haim was wondering if you would like to have dinner in NYC on July 28th? It would be great to see you.

> Love Laura

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> Sent from my iPhone

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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](#)

Date: 1/11/2016 5:33:18 PM

Subject: John hasn't asked the President to do this yet

**John's Signature Missing: [Ask President Obama to call for a Constitutional Amendment to end \*Citizens United\* in the State of the Union >>](#)**

Barack Obama will deliver the final State of the Union of his Presidency [TOMORROW](#). This will be one of his last great opportunities to call for an end to *Citizens United*.

**John, join 100,000 people in asking President Obama to call for a Constitutional Amendment to overturn *Citizens United*:**

Supporter: John Podesta

Signature: [Pending \(click to sign\) >>](#)

**SIGN YOUR NAME →**



**ENDCITIZENSUNITED.ORG**

John --

The issues highlighted by the President during his State of the Union address will become the issues of 2016.

And from gun control to increasing the minimum wage, every issue that we care about *hinges* on getting big money out of politics.

That's why we're trying to reach 100,000 signers asking President Obama to make *Citizens United* a central focus of his speech [tomorrow](#).

**[Sign your name to ask President Obama to call for a Constitutional Amendment during his State of the Union address:](#)**



John, click here to automatically add your name to the  
petition >>

Everything Democrats are fighting for... they all depend on reforming our broken campaign finance system.

**We need your help to reach 100,000 signers to the President.**

Will you add your name right now?

John, sign your name >>

**<http://act.endcitizensunited.org/Ask-Obama>**

Thanks for signing,

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| Attachments: | Economic webinars flyer.pdf                                                                            |

**From:** Silver, Marvin  
**Sent:** Monday, November 24, 2008 12:21 PM  
**Subject:** REGISTER for USAction's Economic Crisis Webinar Series #1 Tuesday November 25th 2pm  
**Importance:** High

Hello all.

Please join us Tuesday November 25<sup>th</sup> for USAction Economic Crisis Webinar Series #1 featuring **Lawrence Mishel and John Irons from the Economic Policy Institute**. These leading policy experts will explain:

- What is happening to the economy?
- The elements of a successful stimulus package.

Register now for November 25<sup>th</sup> USAction Webinar: <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/550501522> .

You can now register for our second in the series where we will feature **Jim Carr from the National Community Reinvestment Coalition and Dean Baker from the Center for Economic & Policy Research**. These leading policy experts will explain:

- The Housing Crisis: How it began and what's next?
- Planning for an Economic Recovery.

Register for December 2<sup>nd</sup> USAction Webinar: <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/303110048> .

And finally, our webinar on **Tuesday December 16<sup>th</sup> 2pm est.** will now feature **Alan Charney, Program Director USAction, and Robert Borosage, Co-Director Campaign for America’s Future**. These leading policy experts will explain:

**The Next “New Deal”;**  
**Making the Case for Public Investments.**

Registration will be available next week for this webinar.

Please share with others. All are welcome to participate

Thanks,

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Subject: 130 million tons of toxic coal ash



## LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS

Dear John,

The League of Conservation Voters and CREDO Action are teaming up to help protect our planet from dangerous coal ash.

Coal-fired power plants are producing more than 130 million tons of coal ash every year. That's enough waste annually to fill train cars from the North Pole to the South Pole!

And you know what is even more alarming? Coal ash contains toxins like arsenic, chromium, lead and mercury. **And there are next to no federal regulations on it.**

Right now, the EPA is considering options that could either reel in Dirty Coal's assault on the environment or maintain the status quo. **Will you let them know which option you support?**

[Click here and tell the EPA: No to the status quo! Set protective and federally enforceable regulations for toxic coal ash disposal NOW!](#)

Coal ash is loosely regulated on a state-by-state basis. In some states, it's less regulated than **household waste**. All too often, coal ash gets dumped into waste ponds and even our landfills— and from there it leaks into our drinking water and fragile ecosystems. The EPA is currently reviewing two options for the regulation of coal ash:

- **Option One: Set federally enforceable standards for coal ash disposal.** The EPA would set storage and handling safeguards and strict pollution prevention and monitoring requirements for coal ash disposal sites. And companies wouldn't be allowed to operate a plant if they couldn't prove they could pay for the consequences of a disaster.
- **Option Two: No federal enforcement.** The EPA would give non-binding "suggestions" instead of enforceable standards - and would maintain today's unsustainable status quo where the states with the greatest amount of coal ash have the weakest regulations. Unsurprisingly, Dirty Coal and the powerful energy lobby are giving their full-throated support to this weaker option.

[Tell the Environmental Protection Agency: Protect the environment, not Dirty Coal profits >>](#)

With your help, we can ensure that the EPA strengthens coal ash regulations and protects the environment from the perils of failed coal ash handling.

Thank you for all that you do for the environment.

Sincerely,

Gene Karpinski  
President  
League of Conservation Voters



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**Option 1:** Federal regulations for toxic coal ash disposal.

**Option 2:** Non-binding "suggestions" that Dirty Coal clean up its act.

[Click here and tell the EPA to protect our planet from dangerous coal ash!](#)



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Strategic Discussion

Purpose: Receive consultants' input on the issues of the day.

Agenda:

- 1. HRC schedule today
- 2. Opponents' activities today
- 3. News today
- 4. Input on response

Wed Jul 8, 2015 8am – 8:30am Eastern Time

When

Iowa (Conference Room 1) / 718-441-3763 (no pin) ([map](#) )

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Do you guys wanna go see David Mamet new play with al Pacino in NYC  
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### **China Doll**

Schoenfeld Theatre  
236 W. 45th St (between 8th & 7th Aves) // Subway: A, C, E to 42nd St.  
Run time: To be announced

**Saturday, December 26, 2015**

2p Matinee prices:

Orchestra: \$227.80 each  
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Date: 12/29/2015 11:26:12 AM  
Subject: My story

John,

My name is Kashif Firozvi, and I am a doctor in Maryland. I had the pleasure to get to know Governor O'Malley this year. In the recent New Hampshire debate, he told my family's story. You can watch it [online here](#) -- my family is referenced at the 45 second mark.

Governor O'Malley gets it. In this age of Donald Trump fear-mongering, it is important that we have somebody like Governor O'Malley fighting for us.

Please join me in supporting Governor O'Malley at my home in Potomac on January 13th as we build a more inclusive country together.

[Click here for details.](#)

Today, we have a choice. We can either sit on the sidelines and complain about the absurdity of the Republican Party's immigration proposals, or we can stand beside a candidate who has the courage to stand up to Donald Trump and his party's bigotry. I have made my choice, and I hope that you will do the same and consider a contribution to this campaign.

Please [RSVP here](#) , or you can contact Annie with the campaign at [aosborne@martinomalley.com](mailto:aosborne@martinomalley.com) or 978-771-1510.

I look forward to welcoming Governor O'Malley and you into my home on January 13th. Thank you.

Kashif Firozvi

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Date: 6/15/2015 2:44:44 AM

Subject: June 15 Morning Network News Roundup

Attachments: 6.15.15.docx

Document attached, 2016 highlights below:

**ABC:** Two-minute report that Jeb Bush planned to enter the 2016 race today; noted HRC had a kickoff rally on Saturday with WJC looking on; interviewed Matthew Dowd; Dowd said Bush tried to raise money instead of momentum which was a problem for him; discussed an ABC News/ WaPo poll that showed HRC beating Bush by only three points; Stephanopoulos noted that was a big drop for HRC from the Spring; Dowd said that's why so many Republicans were running; Dowd said it was an open race; Dowd said Bush and HRC have to figure out how to separate themselves from their presidential families that represent the past.

**CBS:** Jeb Bush is expected to announce his presidential campaign. Bush has stated that he is not trying to distance himself from his family. The report covered his struggle to answer a question about the Iraq War. HRC's first campaign rally. Played a clip of HRC saying that no one has ever called her a quitter.

**NBC:** Jeb Bush spent yesterday relaxing with his family. Today he will give a speech that will announce his bid to the presidency. The introductory videos are rolling, reporters say. After six months of planning, Jeb Bush wants to continue the Bush legacy. There has been a staff shakeup and policy concerns that make his staff nervous. Other politicians claim that his campaign could be impressive. Jeb Bush's logo does not show his family name. He will be talking about his role as governor and the dysfunction in D.C.

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Weekly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting

When  
Mon Mar 14, 2016 2pm – 3pm Eastern Time

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| To:          | <a href="mailto:aphillips@hillaryclinton.com">"Alexandria Phillips" &lt;aphillips@hillaryclinton.com&gt;</a>      |
| Date:        | 7/6/2015 2:58:41 AM                                                                                               |
| Subject:     | H4A State News Clips 7.6.15                                                                                       |
| Attachments: | SC Clips 7.6.15.docx<br>IA Clips 070615.docx<br>New Hampshire Morning Clips 7.6.15.docx<br>NevadaClips7.6.15.docx |

Hi all –

Attached are today's State News Clips.

Regards,  
Alexandria

**Alexandria Phillips**

*Press Assistant | Communications*

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From: ["Julius Genachowski" <jg@rock-creek-ventures.com>](mailto:jg@rock-creek-ventures.com)  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/27/2008 10:11:06 PM  
Subject: Re:

Can't do 9 this morning. Could make 10:15 for up to an hour - then airport. Let me know. If that doesn't work, maybe tomorrow.

----- Original Message -----

From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
To: Julius Genachowski  
Sent: Sat Sep 27 19:24:16 2008  
Subject: Re:

Coffee early tomorrow, like 9:00? I could come to you.

On 9/27/08, Julius Genachowski <[jg@rock-creek-ventures.com](mailto:jg@rock-creek-ventures.com)> wrote:

> Flying out of town tomorrow mid-day, back monday morning 10:30. Could get  
> together monday at noon or at 3. Either work?

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> ----- Original Message -----

> From: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
> To: Julius Genachowski  
> Sent: Sat Sep 27 12:27:07 2008  
> Subject: Re: Re:

>

> Julius, Day got away from me. How are you late tomorrow afternoon?

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> On Thu, Sep 25, 2008 at 9:34 AM, Julius Genachowski

> <[jg@rock-creek-ventures.com](mailto:jg@rock-creek-ventures.com)> wrote:

>> Yes - Saturday good. Mid/late morning? What windows do you have?

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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]  
>> Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2008 5:51 AM  
>> To: Julius Genachowski  
>> Subject: Re:

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>> I'm in nyc. Saturday?

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>> On 9/22/08, Julius Genachowski <[jg@rock-creek-ventures.com](mailto:jg@rock-creek-ventures.com)> wrote:

>>> Time this week for coffee or a meal? I'm on the road tomorrow, but in

>>> DC

>>> Weds-Friday...

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From: "Demastrie, Jesse" <Jesse.Demastrie@gmmb.com>

To: "Jester, Daniel" <Daniel.Jester@gmmb.com>  
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"Margolis, Jim" <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>  
"Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>  
"Robby Mook" <robbymook2015@gmail.com>  
"Teddy Goff" <teddy.goff@gmail.com>  
"Tony Carrk" <tony.carrk@gmail.com>

Date: 2/25/2015 4:03:19 PM

Subject: Crossroads GPS radio in New Hampshire

We've started seeing Crossroads GPS place some radio in New Hampshire to run 2/26-3/7. We're trying to get our hands on content – not sure if it mentions HRC or if it's unrelated – but wanted to send around the details of the buy tonight. As soon as we get the content, we will send it back around to this group.

Total is \$73,350. Around 100 GRPs in each market over the 10 days, Boston is running just a handful of GRPs. Let us know if you have any questions. Thank you.

**Crossroads GPS – New Hampshire RADIO**

**2/26-3/7**

**Total: \$73,350**

Lebanon-Rutland-White River Junction

105 GRPs/\$8,000

Boston

20 GRPs/\$28,000

Manchester

90 GRPs/\$6,000

Portsmouth

80 GRPs/\$11,600

Concord

115 GRPs/\$19,790

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 8/14/2015 11:48:43 AM  
Subject: Re: We need to talk tomorrow

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I have to say, his problem is always whether he can be loyal. I feel like a chump for vouching for him.

On Aug 14, 2015 9:38 PM, "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yes. But we are not f'ing around.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 14, 2015, at 9:35 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

My note to Klain. You think a little overly dramatic?

----- Forwarded message -----

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Date: Aug 14, 2015 9:30 PM

Subject: We need to talk tomorrow

To: "Ron Klain" <[rklain@aol.com](mailto:rklain@aol.com)>

Cc:

the Politico story has people really buzzed up. I must say I feel a little like the Al Pacino character in Donnie Brasco.

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| From:        | "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>                                                      |
| To:          | "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>                                                  |
| Date:        | 1/4/2016 1:41:01 PM                                                                          |
| Subject:     | Fwd: Invitation: Vanity Fair Call @ Mon Jan 4, 2016 8:30pm - 9:30pm (john.podesta@gmail.com) |
| Attachments: | invite.ics                                                                                   |

Is this canceled or happening?

----- Forwarded message -----  
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Date: Monday, January 4, 2016  
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To: john.podesta@gmail.com , aelrod@hillaryclinton.com , mfisher@hillaryclinton.com , bfallon@hillaryclinton.com , nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com , kschake@hillaryclinton.com , tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com , eaden@hillaryclinton.com , tbrody@hillaryclinton.com , creynolds@hillaryclinton.com, jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com , slatham@hillaryclinton.com

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more details »

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To: [John.Podesta@gmail.com](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 6/14/2015 11:14:38 AM

Subject: Don Siegelman case



John-

This is Jack Brown Knox 68. We met this AM while you were running the promenade along the East River. I thank you for your offer to contact the White House Counsel to see where clemency for former Governor Siegelman stands. He is currently incarcerated in Oakdale Correction Facility in Louisiana.

It would be timely to issue a pardon before the accumulation of evidence of prosecutorial and judicial misconduct explodes under the Obama administration. The grotesque railroading of a Progressive and good man who Rove could not legitimately defeat at the polls is clearly a scandalous black mark in the history of American justice. Better to rectify it before it's too late.

On another note-you may be interested in a book by David Wilcock called "The Source Field Investigations". Nominally about the 2012 phrophecies-it incorporate possible explanations for UFO experiences.

Hope it was a good run.

Regards,

Jack Brown

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From: ["Laura Nichols" <lnichols@americanprogress.org>](mailto:lnichols@americanprogress.org)

To: [laurasnichols@yahoo.com](mailto:laurasnichols@yahoo.com)

Date: 12/18/2009 9:24:15 AM

Subject: Party Change

As weather outside is frightful (or predicted to be), I'm moving the Holiday party from Saturday, December 19 to Sunday, December 20 at 5 PM.

12 E Windsor Avenue  
Alexandria, VA 22301

Sorry for the change. Hope you can still make it.

XO

Laura

PS. Ping me to let me know you got this message.

From: ["Kim Glas, BlueGreen Alliance Foundation" <info@bluegreenalliance.org>](mailto:info@bluegreenalliance.org)  
To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 12/1/2015 4:37:34 AM  
Subject: For the first time ever...



Dear John,

Right now leaders from all across the world are convening in Paris for what many believe to be the most important climate change negotiations the world will see. For the first time ever, organizers for the United Nations are seeking a binding, universal agreement to keep global temperature rise less than 2 degrees Celsius—the tipping point at which further increases will have devastating consequences for our planet and humanity.

On this national day of giving—Giving Tuesday—we're excited that the BlueGreen Alliance Foundation will be attending the Paris Climate Talks fighting for climate action that protects both the environment and our workers.

**[Join our chorus of voices this Giving Tuesday, and in honor of the Paris Talks, by making a contribution of \\$25, \\$50, \\$100 or more to the BlueGreen Alliance Foundation.](#)**

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- Support workers and communities affected by our country's transition to a clean energy economy. The BlueGreen Alliance Foundation has been forging common ground to find solutions that will protect workers and their communities, such as in Southwest Pennsylvania. We are on the ground working with unions, environmentalists, community organizations and elected officials to make the transition to the clean economy fair and just.

**[The BlueGreen Alliance Foundation is making tremendous progress and your support is critical to our momentum.](#)**

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Thank you!

Kimberly Glas  
President

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To: ["Amitabh Desai" <adesai@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)  
Date: 11/3/2011 2:37:59 AM  
Subject: Re:

Ami,  
Will do.  
JP

On Wed, Nov 2, 2011 at 5:52 PM, Amitabh Desai  
<adesai@clintonfoundation.org> wrote:

> Dear John,

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> It's great to have you working more closely at the Foundation – I'm happy to  
> help if you need anything. I also would love to sit down and brainstorm with  
> you about WJC's future efforts on climate, agriculture, etc, whenever you  
> have time.

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> Sincerely,

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> Ami

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> Mr. Amitabh Desai

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Date: 11/19/2015 7:01:56 AM

Subject: 11.19.15 Friends & Allies Talking Points on Counterterrorism

Attachments: 11.19.15 Friends & Allies Counterterrorism TPs.pdf

All -

I hope most of you had an opportunity to watch Secretary Clinton's speech at the Council on Foreign Relations in New York City this morning, where she laid out her vision for combatting terrorism and taking down ISIS.

Attached are talking points that we hope you will find helpful. You can also read more about her speech on The Briefing by clicking [here](#).

Thanks and please let us know if you have any questions or need additional information!

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From: "Reynoso, Jennifer" <jreynoso@stblaw.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/29/2011 4:07:08 AM

Subject: Clinton Foundation

John

Are you available to speak with Victoria and me? We are available on Wednesday from 9:45 am to 10:30, on Thursday from 11:30 am to 12:30 and on Friday from 10 am to 12. Please let me know if any of those times work for you.

Regards,  
Jennifer

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To: [fwj77@comcast.net](mailto:fwj77@comcast.net)

Date: 1/22/2016 11:48:19 AM

Subject: Re: AfAm donors

On Friday, January 22, 2016, <[fwj77@comcast.net](mailto:fwj77@comcast.net)> wrote:

Guys, my thoughts on yesterday's briefing

If the AfAm vote is Hillary's firewall, we need to do more to ensure it stays that way.

Notwithstanding the political schedule, the Secretary should have been there. This was the first real attempt to touch AfAm bundling elites. A lot of them didn't show because she wasn't coming. Result is that donors don't feel like the campaign thinks they're important. This spreads. Squashes enthusiasm. We need more people singing her praises. Elite donors are the ambassadors of the campaign. People are taking their cue from them. Right now, a lot of the donors we need are not engaged. We should plan a couple of follow up mtgs where the Secretary can briefly stop in and say hello. This can probably be in DC or NY.

From: ["Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 7/19/2015 3:31:18 PM  
Subject: Missed calls

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I think all of these have been resolved. No Vmails from today.

Neera  
Called Friday afternoon  
202-492-2970  
No message.

Janice Enright  
202-494-2094  
Called Saturday 9:30 am. Returning yours.  
Harold probably told her by now if you two didn't connect already?

Jen P.  
Called Saturday re: Sunday  
443-995-9952



From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "D F" <[mrdfolsom@gmail.com](mailto:mrdfolsom@gmail.com)>

Date: 1/30/2016 10:44:28 AM

Subject: Re: Hillary 2016

You've earned that respect and we'll try to show it.

On Friday, January 29, 2016, D F <[mrdfolsom@gmail.com](mailto:mrdfolsom@gmail.com)> wrote:

John,

I'm retired male veteran, college grad, businessman and lifelong Democrat. I support Hillary as I know she's FAR more competent than Senator Sanders.

I'll be honest, I could support Donald Trump in a general election despite all the warts. Reasons?

\*Trumps will get things done. Hillary will rely on triangulation which probably won't work in 2017. Backbone will.

\*I'm a dinosaur to the Democratic Party..white, southern, vereran, male senior. Party leaders like Debbie Wasserman-Shultz, Karen Finney, etal make that blatantly apparent.

I don't need my assed kissed. I would like to have my ilk shown a tiny bit of respect by the leaders of the Hillary campaign.

Respectfully,

Mr. Dana Folsom  
Augusta, Ga

From: ["Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com>](#)

To: ["Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>](#)

Date: 7/26/2015 12:23:02 PM

Subject: Re: Swim meet

Me and kids driving up Tuesday. Gordon on Thursday.

On Sunday, July 26, 2015, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

I'm driving up Wednesday most likely. Possibly late Tuesday but Wednesday is more likely. And drive back on Sunday.

On Sunday, July 26, 2015, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

What's your Truckee schedules?

On Saturday, July 25, 2015, Megan Rouse <[meganrouse@gmail.com](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)> wrote:

Awesome. Both kids improved their times in every race. Both had big improvements in breaststroke. Long day, arrived at 6:30am and left after 5. Also Very fun day. Went out to dinner to celebrate and now we are all in pajamas. Can't wait to see you all soon.

On Saturday, July 25, 2015, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

How'd it go? Lots of championships?!

On Saturday, July 25, 2015, Megan Rouse <[meganrouse@gmail.com](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)> wrote:

Pic does not fully capture scope of this all day event. 10 warm up lanes, 10 racing lanes, 8 teams.

Good swims so far in medley relay for both bel and Gabe.

Hope you are enjoying your day.

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Gabe Podesta

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Gabe Podesta

From: "Foot Locker" <Footlocker@e.footlocker.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 9/10/2015 7:32:38 PM

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/2/2015 12:49:39 PM

Subject: Re: Ragnar 2015 Gameday Chain

Just parked -- We are walking over now.

On Friday, October 2, 2015, Vivek Viswanathan <[vivek.viswanathan@gmail.com](mailto:vivek.viswanathan@gmail.com)> wrote:

Got it, will do -- 4 miles away in the van (just turned on US-40).

On Friday, October 2, 2015, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Let us know when you get here. We'll meet you by the doors under the awning, close to the handoff.

On Friday, October 2, 2015, Vivek Viswanathan <[vivek.viswanathan@gmail.com](mailto:vivek.viswanathan@gmail.com)> wrote:

Emily crushed it -- got in 5 min. ago -- now driving over to the school.

On Friday, October 2, 2015, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Let us know when Emily is in.

On Oct 2, 2015 6:02 PM, "Dustin Kouba" <[dustinkouba@gmail.com](mailto:dustinkouba@gmail.com)> wrote:

Chris killed it and made up a few more minutes. We're now only 5 minutes off the projected pace. Emily has the bracelet and were on our way to the next exchange.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 5:00 PM, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Not surprisingly, Vivek crushed it. Surprisingly, we learned that Tony is 50! And he is in the process of crushing it.

But seriously--50?!?! Would anyone have guessed that?

On Friday, October 2, 2015, <[christopher.kirchhoff@gmail.com](mailto:christopher.kirchhoff@gmail.com)> wrote:

Kouba made 22 kills and made up a few minutes of time.

Vivek is charging up a monster, monster hill.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 15:14, Tamara Fucile <[fucilet@yahoo.com](mailto:fucilet@yahoo.com)> wrote:

Go Team TBD!!

<image1.JPG>

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 2:16 PM, Larissa <[larissalpcs@gmail.com](mailto:larissalpcs@gmail.com)> wrote:

Van 2 is there in a blue van. We are en route. John is running

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 2:10 PM, Eryn Sepp <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)> wrote:

I'll be at exchange 6 in 15 mins. Where y'all at? I'm in a blue CRV with a "0.0 I don't run" sticker.

Eryn M. Sepp  
Cell: [818-456-2881](tel:818-456-2881)

On Oct 2, 2015, at 2:05 PM, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com > wrote:

John is on leg 6 at 1:52, ETA is 2:43.

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 12:28 PM Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com > wrote:

I'm leaving Gaithersburg now for exchange 6. Making a Subway run in 30 mins if anyone wants anything.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 12:25 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

About 10 minutes to finish leg 3. Pete is kicking ass.

On Oct 2, 2015 12:20 PM, "Dustin Kouba" <dustinkouba@gmail.com > wrote:  
Van 2 is North of Frederick.

On Oct 2, 2015, at 12:03 PM, Bridget Ansel <bridgetansel@gmail.com > wrote:

Peter is killing it up the mountain!!

Sent from my iPhone

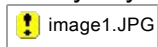
On Oct 2, 2015, at 10:58 AM, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com > wrote:

Tattoos have been applied.  
<IMG\_7608.JPG><IMG\_7610.JPG>

On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 10:47 AM Eryn Sepp <eryn.sepp@gmail.com > wrote:

Don't feel bad Tamara. I think that's the third year in a row that signage hasn't been ideal on Leg 1. I'll speak to the race coordinator when I see him today at Exchange 6.

Abbey says good luck everyone!



On Oct 2, 2015, at 10:39 AM, Tamara Fucile <fucilet@yahoo.com > wrote:

Ack! I got lost for about a mile. So added a

little bit of time to our relay. Whoops. But Larissa is now off.

Rain is starting to pick up.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 9:50 AM, Larissa <larissalpcs@gmail.com > wrote:

It's chilly folks - van 2 - may want to bundle up!!!

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2015, at 9:32 AM, Peter Velz <ptvelz@gmail.com > wrote:

Tamara is off and running.  
On Fri, Oct 2, 2015 at 8:10 AM  
Peter Velz  
<ptvelz@gmail.com > wrote:  
Hello!

Van 1 is on our way up about 45 minutes out to the start.

Stay dry, and see you folks at the handoff!

-Peter

<image1.JPG>

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Gabe Podesta

**From:** "Ira Magaziner" <[ira@sj advisors.com](mailto:ira@sj advisors.com)>  
**To:** "Amitabh Desai" <[adesai@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)>  
"Bruce Lindsey" <[blindsey@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:blindsey@clintonfoundation.org)>  
"Darien Sturges" <[dsturges@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:dsturges@clintonfoundation.org)>  
"Karen Luken" <[kluken@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:kluken@clintonfoundation.org)>  
"Joe Ballard" <[joe.ballard@clintonglobalinitiative.org](mailto:joe.ballard@clintonglobalinitiative.org)>  
"Ed Hughes" <[ed.hughes@clintonglobalinitiative.org](mailto:ed.hughes@clintonglobalinitiative.org)>  
"Caroline Hermans" <[caroline.hermans@clintonglobalinitiative.org](mailto:caroline.hermans@clintonglobalinitiative.org)>  
**Date:** 7/19/2012 6:23:54 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Following up on President Clinton's call...

Okay with me.

Thanks

Ira

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**From:** Amitabh Desai  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 19, 2012 3:29 AM  
**To:** Ira Magaziner; Bruce Lindsey; Darien Sturges; Karen Luken; Joe Ballard; Ed Hughes; Caroline Hermans  
**Cc:** [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com); Julius Tintelnot  
**Subject:** Re: Following up on President Clinton's call...

Please let me know if Aug 1 at 10am does not work for anyone. Thanks.

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**From:** Ira Magaziner  
**To:** Amitabh Desai; Bruce Lindsey; Darien Sturges; Karen Luken; Joe Ballard; Ed Hughes; Caroline Hermans  
**Cc:** [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>; Julius Tintelnot  
**Sent:** Thu Jul 19 01:20:52 2012  
**Subject:** RE: Following up on President Clinton's call...

I can do the morning or after 5 in the afternoon. I have a vaccine negotiation from 1 to 5.

Ira

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**From:** Amitabh Desai  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 18, 2012 6:18 PM  
**To:** Bruce Lindsey; Ira Magaziner; Darien Sturges; Karen Luken; Joe Ballard; Ed Hughes; Caroline Hermans  
**Cc:** [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) ; Julius Tintelnot  
**Subject:** Re: Following up on President Clinton's call...

Figueres can meet in NYC on Aug 1. Please let me know if that afternoon does not work for you. Thanks, Ami

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**From:** Amitabh Desai  
**To:** Bruce Lindsey; Ira Magaziner; Darien Sturges; Karen Luken; Joe Ballard; Ed Hughes; Caroline Hermans  
**Cc:** [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 11 14:11:47 2012  
**Subject:** FW: Following up on President Clinton's call...

Following up on WJC's phone call with President Figueres last week, President Figueres would like to meet with us to discuss possible collaboration. He seems to be available on Tuesday, July 31, in New York. Would that work for you (if so, would you prefer morning or afternoon?) and are there any of our islands colleagues that I've inadvertently left off this email? Thanks, Ami

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**From:** Jose Maria Figueres Olsen 0  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 11, 2012 2:08 PM  
**To:** Amitabh Desai  
**Subject:** Re: Following up on President Clinton's call...

Querido amigo,

Would Tuesday the 31st work for you?

All the best,  
Jm

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**De:** Amitabh Desai <[adesai@clintonfoundation.org](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)>  
**Fecha:** Wed, 11 Jul 2012 13:08:12 -0400  
**Para:** Jose Maria Figueres Olsen  
**Asunto:** Re: Following up on President Clinton's call...

Thanks Mr. President. Would you have any availability during the last week of July? Next week we'll be in Africa, but will be back in NY on July 22 night. Looking forward to seeing you. Sincerely, Ami

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**From:** Jose Maria Figueres Olsen  
**To:** Amitabh Desai  
**Sent:** Wed Jul 11 12:31:59 2012  
**Subject:** Following up on President Clinton's call...

Dear Ami,

Hope you are doing well, and enjoying the growing family a bit more over the Summer than you normally get the opportunity to do so ..... :)

As you know President Clinton called me last week to recognize the Carbon War Room for our work on Island Nations, specifically with Aruba. It was indeed very kind of him. We would like to follow up on his call by getting together with the persons at the Foundation who are working on islands, as it would seem there must be areas in which we can collaborate and work together. Previously, Peter Boyd our COO and myself had met with Ed and his team over at CGI, with some of your team on the phone. I had also contacted Ira via e-mail.

I will be in NY next Wednesday afternoon and available to meet as of 16:30, or available again on Thursday as of 14:00. Please let me know what would work.

All the best, and kind regards,  
Jm

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["anne earhart" <nianui@me.com>](mailto:nianui@me.com)

Date: 2/24/2015 10:15:04 AM

Subject: Re: From Anne Earhart

Anne,

Great to hear from you and thanks for the very kind words. I think I have to reserve our spots for 2017. Probably should keep my nose to the grindstone before that. Hope to see you soon and that we'll get to work together in my next adventure. Thanks for all you do.

John

On Feb 24, 2015 2:37 PM, "anne earhart" <[nianui@me.com](mailto:nianui@me.com)> wrote:

Dear John,

I asked Herb Sandler for your email because I wanted to contact you regarding the Pacific Remote Islands Marine National Monument. I saw your tweet the other day that it was one of your proudest accomplishments and I wanted to say thank you, from the bottom of my heart, for all that you have done, not only for the PRIMNM, but for all the wildlands that you have helped conserve. We have no greater resource and legacy to leave our children than these special, fragile and very important places. I truly appreciate all the work you have done at the WH with climate change and so many other things. You have really helped move the needle on so many issues of importance to me, and to all of us.

I know you will be busy with your new job but just in case you have a free moment, I wanted to invite you and your wife to Palmyra Atoll, part of the PRIMNM, about 500 miles south of the Big Island. Nature Conservancy manages a research station out there for most of the year, but in the fall there are a few groups that visit there. I have been four times now and can't tell you what an amazing "life soup" it is out there and I would hope that you and your wife could come visit it yourselves to see. The birds, the fish, sharks and mantas are really spectacular in their abundance. And I am not sure if you are a fisherman but the bone fishing is fantastic too. We would love to have you visit this special place that you have helped protect. The trip dates would be Oct 22-27, leaving out of Honolulu. I know this is a long shot, but when I saw your tweet, I thought I really must at least reach out to you and extend an invitation. Given the nature of your new job, a few days off the grid might be just what you need before the run up to the election.

All my very best to you. Please let me know if it is possible and we will make it happen. Or perhaps after the election?

Anne

From: "Burns Strider" <[burns.strider@americanbridge.org](mailto:burns.strider@americanbridge.org)>

To: [CTRFriendsFamily <CTRFriendsFamily@americanbridge.org>](mailto:CTRFriendsFamily@americanbridge.org)

Date: 9/16/2014 8:45:06 AM

Subject: Correct The Record Tuesday September 16, 2014 Afternoon Roundup



**Correct The Record Tuesday September 16, 2014 Afternoon Roundup:**

#### **Tweets:**

**Correct The Record** @CorrectRecord: [@davidbrockdc](#) : "There's hope the Benghazi Committee does their duty reasonably. We'll be ready if they don't." <http://www.politico.com/story/2014/09/hillary-clinton-benghazi-hearings-110991.html>... [9/16/14, 12:05 p.m. EDT ]

**Correct The Record's Burns Strider** @BStrider: [@correctrecord](#) & [@American\\_Bridge](#) launch <http://benghazicommittee.com/> ahead of House Benghazi hearings <http://www.politico.com/story/2014/09/hillary-clinton-benghazi-hearings-110991.html>... [9/16/14, 10:40 a.m. EDT ]

**Correct The Record** @CorrectRecord: At the [#HarkinSteakFry](#) , [@HillaryClinton](#) said that "women should be able to make our own health care decisions." <http://www.c-span.org/video/?c4508591/hillary-clinton-speaks-harkin-fundraiser>... [9/15/14, 5:09 p.m. EDT ]

**Correct The Record** @CorrectRecord: [@HillaryClinton](#) fought to help veterans continue their education. [9/15/14, 4:56 p.m. EDT ]

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#### **Headlines:**

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"How Hillary deals with Bill and Barack could be her greatest challenge or her greatest opportunity—or perhaps both."

[Washington Post opinion: Eugene Robinson: "Hillary Clinton, tell us your vision"](#)

"Judging by her weekend appearance in Iowa, it looks as if Hillary Clinton is indeed running for president. Now she has to answer one simple question: Why?"

[MSNBC: "Immigration activists put Democrats on notice"](#)

"It was always a matter of when — not if — a young undocumented immigrant known as a 'DREAMer' would confront Hillary Clinton. The confrontation came early on for the likely 2016 presidential candidate."

[Politico: "Bill Clinton takes a shot at Netanyahu"](#)

"Former President Bill Clinton says he agrees that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is 'not the guy' for a peace deal."

[Wall Street Journal blog: Washington Wire: "Is She or Isn't She Running? Do Americans Really Care?"](#)

"What is clear is that there is a disconnect between voters' concerns about Washington's ability to get things accomplished and their desire for action by 2016 and the media's obsession with Hillary Clinton's version of Hamlet."

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## Articles:

### [FROM MEDIA MATTERS FOR AMERICA: Media Matters for America: "From Tragedy To Farce: How Fox News And The GOP Tarnished Benghazi"](#)

By Eric Boehlert

September 16, 2014

[Subtitle:] 1,000-Plus Evening Benghazi Segments From Fox

On September 6, Republican Congressman Lynn Westmoreland spoke at a Cobb County Republican breakfast in Georgia to an audience of 75 people, who each paid \$10 to attend his "update on the Benghazi investigation."

Westmoreland is one of seven Republican members picked to serve on the House select committee, which holds its first public hearing tomorrow and could stretch its inquiries into the 2016 election year. The latest Republican-run body follows what has been a parade of costly and repetitive investigations into the Benghazi terror attack that killed four Americans.

Despite a laundry list of nearly identical conclusions about the events, and the complete absence of a White House cover-up or wrongdoing, Republicans, spurred on by Fox News, press ahead in search of "answers" to supposedly elusive questions.

But in Cobb County that Saturday morning, Westmoreland insisted the committee's not "a partisan witch hunt." He stressed another point, according to a report in the Marietta Daily Journal [emphasis added]:

"I think our enemy stands on 1600 Pennsylvania Ave.," Westmoreland said to loud applause."

And so it goes.

Last week, as Fox's Benghazi cover-up conspiracy sputtered across the two-year anniversary line, Roger Ailes' team was furiously promoting not one but two new books, claiming both tomes boasted revelations that deepened the alleged controversy. (They do not.)

Benghazi, of course, has been politicized in the most disturbing way possible, to the point where Fox News and conservatives have turned an American tragedy into something of a macabre Twitter punchline. It's become sort of a Groundhog Day of exploitation and fakery with more than one thousand on-air Fox segments -- during evening coverage alone -- devoted to the endless pursuit. And now the Republicans' select committee, virtually sponsored by Fox News, is set to add more chapters to the sprawling production, which conveniently doubles as a GOP fundraising tool.

According to press reports, the committee's first hearing will focus on the State Department's Accountability Review Board, which looked into the details surrounding the Benghazi attacks. In other words, Republican investigators have decided to investigate the Benghazi investigators. Again.

And at this point, does anyone even remember in 2012 when the family of slain U.S. Ambassador Chris Stevens beseeched opportunists not to politicize his death? ("It would really be abhorrent to make this into a campaign issue.") Or when the mother of one of the other murdered Americans in Benghazi scolded Mitt Romney when he kept referencing her son on the presidential campaign trail? ("It's wrong to use these brave young men, who wanted freedom for all, to degrade Obama.")

Those wishes were almost instantly trampled and are now long forgotten by most; distant echoes drowned out by the churning gears of phony outrage.

The professionally sustained hysteria over the minutia of Benghazi --the YouTube video, Susan Rice's talking points, the allegedly nefarious White House emails, and the imaginary stand-down order -- they were all constructed for partisan purposes and none of them were based on fact or common sense.

Increasingly, and somewhat belatedly, some mainstream press players have figured this out. Many reporters and pundits who were open and eager to follow every conceivable right-wing allegation about Benghazi (while playing down good news for the White House) have cooled to the chase in recent months and coverage has been slim. There's also been surprisingly little chatter in anticipation of the select committee's proceedings. After two years of dry holes, it's difficult to feign interest any more. And poor CBS. It took a newsroom scandal of historic proportions to drive home the painful lesson of chasing bogus, partisan Benghazi allegations.

But at Fox News, the ratings-grabbing obsession remains strong. And now, thanks to Media Matters' meticulous research, we know just how far and how all-consuming that obsession has stretched. It's hard to even wrap your heads around some of these numbers from Fox's coverage in the 20 months following the attack:

-1,098 total Fox News evening segments that included significant discussion of Benghazi -- an average of about 13 segments per week.

-144 interviews with GOP members of Congress versus only five interviews with Democratic members of Congress and Obama administration officials.

Note the relentless and out of control focus showered on the story by Special Report, which Fox executives often point to as its premiere and serious news program, not just a partisan talk show. Serious news program? It aired nearly 400 Benghazi reports in less than two years.

Please also pay attention to the fact that despite its flood-the-zone coverage, Fox has been unable to move the Benghazi cover-up story one foot in two years. Almost nothing Fox has reported over the last 24 months has added in any significant way to the understanding of what happened in Benghazi the night of the attack. And considering Fox has set aside more than one thousand segments to the topic, that fact simply confirms the team's collective impotence.

A Benghazi "stand down order" coming from Obama or Hillary Clinton? A cold, calculated move to leave wounded and dying Americans behind? Give me a break.

From the Associated Press, July 10:

"The testimony of nine military officers undermines contentions by Republican lawmakers that a "stand-down order" held back military assets that could have saved the U.S. ambassador and three other Americans killed at a diplomatic outpost and CIA annex in Benghazi, Libya."

If, when Fox first made the fantastical claim of a White House-given "stand down" order the centerpiece of the channel's cover-up production, someone then had told you that nine U.S. military officers would eventually debunk and deny that claim under oath, you'd assume the issue would be dropped, right? (And if the accusers were admirable people they'd apologize, too.)

Still, Fox's breathless "stand down" segments live on, in perpetuity.

The truth is, in the absences of any evidence supporting an alleged cover-up, Benghazi as a partisan pursuit has failed, propagated by the thousand-plus Fox News reports and endless Congressional investigations. Now it's time for the sponsors to admit defeat and go home so that an American tragedy can be remembered with the dignity it deserves. Not as a tarnished, political sideshow.

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[Salon: "Report: Fox News aired more than 1,000 Benghazi segments in just 20 months"](#)

By Elias Isquith

September 16, 2014, 10:42 a.m. EDT

[Subtitle:] Media Matters claims the right-wing news channel spent "about 13 segments per week" talking about the 2012 attack

Having presumably decided not much else was happening in the news during the 20-month period between the 2012 attacks on the U.S. mission in Benghazi and May 2 of this year, Fox News aired no less than 1,098 primetime segments devoted to the #Benghazi pseudo-controversy, liberal media watchdog Media Matters claims in a new report.

According to Media Matters, Fox News' decision to air that many Benghazi segments during such a short and constrained period of time meant that the network was churning out an average of 13 Benghazi bites per week. In 18 of the 20 months Media Matters took a look at, the report claims, there were at least 20 Benghazi segments per month. (As you'd expect, October 2012 was the highest with 174.) Perhaps most tellingly, Media Matters also found Fox had tied Benghazi to Hillary Clinton, who was secretary of state at the time of the attack and is widely expected to run for president in 2016.

One piece of particular interest in Media Matters' report is the breakdown of how often each member of Fox News's primetime lineup had a segment about Benghazi. Close observers of Fox News and connoisseurs of the many talking points and excuses of its master, Roger Ailes, will notice that "Special Report with Bret Baier" host Bret Baier is leading the pack. Here's a graphic, via Media Matters:

[GRAPH]

Here's why this is notable. Baier is supposed to be one of Fox News's "voice of God," Walter Cronkite-esque old fashioned news men. He may have opinions, the theory goes, but he keeps them to himself and simply delivers the straight news. Granted, Baier no doubt did many segments about Benghazi during October and November and December of 2012 that one could legitimately classify as news. But to be outpacing O'Reilly by more than 200? Sometimes it feels like Ailes and Rupert Murdoch are no longer even trying.

You can read the whole Media Matters report here. The main takeaway is — yep, you guessed it: #Benghazi.

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[Washington Post blog: Post Politics: "In a preemptive push, House Democrats unveil new Benghazi site"](#)

By Wesley Lowery

September 16, 2014, 12:01 a.m. EDT

House Democrats on the Benghazi Select Committee plan to address lingering public questions surrounding that attack -- and drown out any potential leaks with a flood of information -- with a new Web site Tuesday, as that panel prepares to meet publicly for the first time.

Democrats are looking to influence the direction and tone of the committee, which will focus its first open hearing Wednesday on a review board the State Department created after the attack to examine the government's security systems abroad.

"It is critical that the Select Committee make full use of the extensive investigations that have already been completed—which are compiled here—to define its scope, avoid duplication, and conserve taxpayer dollars to help improve the security of U.S. facilities and personnel around the world," House Democrats on the committee wrote in an executive summary of the compendium they are releasing in conjunction with the site.

The Select Committee, chaired by Rep. Trey Gowdy (R-S.C.), has a \$3.3 million budget for 2014, and its activities are expected to stretch into 2015.

The Obama administration's handling of the Benghazi attack, which left four Americans dead in September of 2012, has been a major rallying point for Republicans in the years since. The incident, the administration's response to it and the political aftermath have all already been the focus of several congressional and external investigations, culminating in the creation of the Select Committee this year.

Previous panels were plagued by selective leaks and the release of limited information that Democrats say distorted events. Now they're flooding the zone with a site that collects and curates the results of those investigations. It allows a user to search for what statements or questions are still being asked about the attacks, shows which members of Congress have been asking them, and provides a swarm of documents and evidence in response to some of the public's most-asked questions about the Benghazi attack.

Staffers for committee members on both sides of the aisle have expressed guarded optimism that despite the political firestorm that ultimately resulted in the panel's creation, members may be successful at analyzing whether or not the recommendations of previous congressional investigations into the attacks -- specifically, recommendations about how the State Department can improve security measures at diplomatic outposts -- have been adequately implemented.

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### [Breitbart: "Rep. Cummings Says Maxwell Never Mentioned Document Sifting by State Department"](#)

By John Sexton

September 16, 2014, 9:42 a.m. PDT

Ray Maxwell reportedly told Congress about the State Department's sifting of Benghazi documents a year ago. However, ranking member Elijah Cummings tells Dave Weigel he never heard about it. Something doesn't quite add up.

Yesterday Sharyl Attkisson published a genuine blockbuster story related to Benghazi. One of the four employees who was disciplined by the State Department revealed he had witnesses individuals with close connection to Hillary Clinton sifting out damaging documents, apparently before turning them over to the Accountability Review Board. If accurate, this would obviously be a major blow to the credibility of the ARB and to Hillary Clinton.

After the story broke, Dave Weigel wrote a piece relating the basic claims in Attkisson's report but also expressing a bit of incredulity that Maxwell sat on the story for so long.

"That's what makes the new story so baffling. If it's true, Maxwell has been sitting for at least 18 months on a story that puts Hillary Clinton's political advisers at the center of a conspiracy to conceal documents that could be damaging to the 2016 presidential frontrunner."

It's perhaps worth noting that all four of the disciplined employees were eventually called back to work in August 2013. Perhaps Maxwell was waiting to see how things worked out before going public with his most explosive claim. But rather than return, Maxwell chose to resign.

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In any case, Attkisson noticed Weigel's take on the story and praised it on Twitter. But she also added a bit of information that hadn't been clear before.

**Sharyl Attkisson** @SharylAttkisson: Nice article @daveweigel (PS Maxwell told members of Congress a year ago.) [9/15/14, [10:38 p.m. EDT](#) ]

After Weigel responded, Attkisson expanded on this in a 2nd tweet:

**Slate's David Weigel** @daveweigel: @SharylAttkisson It's amazing. He held onto it that long, as did they? Talk about a long game. [9/15/14, [10:45 p.m. EDT](#) ]

**Sharyl Attkisson** @SharylAttkisson: @daveweigel Yes..I think he didn't think Cong. would hang onto it that long. He spoke of it for well over a yr. Just not in public. Wow. [9/15/14, [10:48 p.m. EDT](#) ]

And here is where things get really interesting. Maxwell was interviewed by the Oversight Committee on May 30, 2013. We know because some of what he said in that interview appeared in a Majority Staff Report published in September. If Maxwell told Congress about the sifting more than a year ago, that would likely have been when he did so. And if so then one of the people who would be expected to hear about it is the ranking member on the Oversight Committee, Rep. Elijah Cummings. But Weigel reports this morning that Cummings says Maxwell never brought it up:

**Slate's David Weigel** @daveweigel: Cummings skeptical of Ray Maxwell's claim that Clintonites hid Benghazi dox. He "did not bring it to our attention when we interviewed him." [9/16/14, [11:31 a.m. EDT](#) ]

What are we to make of this new wrinkle? I can see several possibilities. One, Maxwell may not have told Congress a year ago as he claims. That would mean he misled Attkisson and would cast doubt on his entire story. It would also be at odds with the poetry (yes, he wrote poetry) which suggested in 2013 that he had something on the Department.

Another possibility is that Maxwell revealed the information to the Majority of the Committee but that it was somehow withheld from the Minority. Maxwell (or Rep. Issa?) may have believed Cummings was only working to kill the story and couldn't be trusted with the damaging information.

The third possibility is that Cummings is denying knowledge of something he has known about for some time as way to discount the story. This seems unlikely since Rep. Issa would presumably have a transcript somewhere.

If Maxwell told Congress that certainly reinforces the credibility of his story and of Attkisson's report. What we still don't know is how Cummings could have missed something this significant for an entire year.

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### [The New Yorker: "Hillary's Challenge: Dealing With Bill and Barack"](#)

By John Cassidy

September 15, 2014

Given the advance of satellite technology and the pressure on editorial budgets, you might have thought that the bean counters at the networks and other media outlets would have agreed upon a pooling system for events such as the weekend appearance at Tom Harkin's annual steak fry, in Iowa, by Hillary and Bill Clinton. Not so. This is another case where individual self-interest militates against an economically efficient collective solution. And that's great. Rather than having to rely on a single pool report or the local papers, we have a wide range of dispatches to go by.

Courtesy of Philip Rucker and Dan Balz, here is Monday's news lede from the Washington Post: "Hillary Rodham Clinton jumped back into the partisan fray here Sunday, framing the November midterm elections as 'a choice between the guardians of gridlock and the champions of shared

opportunity' and warning Democrats of the consequences of complacency."

As far as it went, that was accurate and helpful. (It's good to see that the Clinton speechwriters still know how to use alliteration.) Before we get to 2016, or even 2015, we all have to get through the midterms. But if you are willing to believe that Hillary's primary purpose in travelling to Indianola, a small town south of Des Moines, was to influence the outcome this November, I have a bridge, and several 2007 vintage CDOs, that I think might interest you.

Politico's Maggie Haberman, in her report, made clear up front that Hillary was preparing the ground for her Presidential campaign and seeking to lay some ghosts in a spot where she lost a key 2008 primary to Barack Obama. It was, Haberman wrote, Hillary's "first step toward moving past her phobia of the state that helped shatter her 2008 presidential hopes." Hillary didn't acknowledge this, of course, or even that she's running again. "It is true, I am thinking about it," she said. "But for today, that's not why I am here."

Until they officially declare for office, candidates are allowed a few fibs. The crowd, which the Des Moines Register estimated at about ten thousand, gave Hillary a warm reception, and she appeared to enjoy herself. After starting out with a rousing "Hello, Iowa, I'm ba-a-a-ck!", she delivered a twenty-minute speech that hit most of the right notes. She talked about the economic challenges facing middle-class families, called for equal pay for women, delivered a well-earned tribute to Harkin's long career in the Senate, and endorsed Bruce Braley, the Democratic candidate who is trying to replace him.

For many political insiders, though, the real topic of interest was how Hillary would deal with her husband, Bill, and her former boss Barack Obama, both of whom loom large over her prospective campaign. In 2008, according to the conventional wisdom touted by campaign books, Bill's indiscipline was a significant handicap to her. Now, in addition to delineating a role for the Big Dog in the run-up to November, 2016, she needs to define, or redefine, her relationship with a President whom she served for four years but whose low popularity ratings could be a big drag on her own Presidential hopes.

How Hillary deals with Bill and Barack could be her greatest challenge or her greatest opportunity—or perhaps both.

On the face of things, having a popular former President by her side is a great opportunity. After Bill Clinton left the Oval Office, he could be relied upon to rally the Democratic base, especially minorities. Today, his popularity extends to independents and even some Republicans. In the past year or two, his approval rating has consistently been in the mid or high sixties, which means he's a lot more popular now than he was for most of his two terms in office. His ratings are also a good deal higher than Hillary's. A new NBC/Wall Street Journal survey puts her approval rating at just forty-three per cent, which represents a steep fall from her figures a couple of years ago.

Of course, it's not clear how much of a boost the former President can give his wife. If he plays an active role in her campaign, his image as an elder statesman may be tarnished, in which case his own approval rating would fall. Something like this appears to be what has happened to Hillary. A couple of years back, she was a hardworking Secretary of State, flying all around the world representing the United States and, seemingly, above the daily Washington squabbles. Now many Americans see her as another partisan politician, and her popularity has suffered accordingly.

Bill's presence should help his wife at least somewhat. According to Jordan Ragusa, a data analyst at the Rule 22 blog, "when Bill's approval rating increases by 1 unit, Hillary's approval increases by just under 1/2 in the same direction." I'm not sure how this finding can be reconciled with the recent sharp decline in Hillary's numbers. But given the halo that now surrounds the late nineteen-nineties, a period of peace and prosperity, it only makes sense for Hillary's campaign to remind voters of Bill. One of his adages from 1992 might go over better now than it did back then: when you elect a Clinton, you get "two for the price of one."

The danger for Hillary's campaign is that her husband's presence becomes an unwelcome diversion—a story that some parts of the media are already running with. "It was a preview of coming distractions" was the first line in the New York Times piece about Hillary's return to Iowa. "As is often the case wherever Mr. Clinton goes, what amounted to the unofficial start of the next Iowa presidential caucuses was as much about the Clinton who already served as president as the one who appears to have designs on the office," the reporters Jonathan Martin and Amy Chozick continued.

Maybe that's how it seemed from the press area. But were the ordinary attendees at the steak fry so distracted by the former President that they failed to get Hillary's message? On Monday, the Web site of the Des Moines Register, which presumably knows its readers pretty well, featured a video of Hillary's entire speech. The paper's coverage of Bill's speech, in which he took a few swings at the Koch brothers and recalled that the 1993 steak fry was so wet it reminded him of Woodstock, focussed on how he had mispronounced Bruce Braley's name.

For now, at least, a bigger challenge for Hillary than handling Bill Clinton is figuring out how to position herself in relation to Obama. Last month,

when she appeared to criticize the President's non-interventionist stance on Syria, she had to call him and clarify her remarks. In Iowa, by contrast, she went out of her way to ally herself with the domestic policies and economic record of the Obama Administration—a record that has helped earn the President a thirty-seven-per-cent approval rating in the state. Although it didn't garner many headlines, it was probably the most important and substantive thing to come out of her speech.

Near the beginning, she artfully acknowledged her 2008 defeat in the Iowa caucus by a young senator from Illinois, joking, "I wonder whatever happened to him." Then, after recounting how she and the President had become colleagues and friends, Hillary bracketed him with the two iconic men with whom she appeared: "And when it comes to moving America forward, we know what it takes," she said. "We've seen it in Tom Harkin. We've seen it in Bill Clinton. And we've seen it in Barack Obama. Under President Obama's leadership, our country is on the road to recovery."

To support this argument, she cited rising exports and falling unemployment, which has seen the jobless rate in Iowa fall to just 4.5 per cent. She mentioned a surge in energy production from renewable sources, and she defended the Affordable Care Act, Obama's signature policy initiative, saying that it had generated \$1.7 million in refunds for Iowa families. To be sure, she qualified this praise by saying that she and Obama would agree that there is "a lot of work ahead" "Maintaining a middle class life feels like pushing a boulder up hill every day," she added.

By then, though, Hillary had sent an important political message. While she may still try to put some distance between herself and the President on foreign issues, when it comes to domestic policy she and Obama are as one.

In many ways, of course, that shouldn't come as a shock. In fighting a deep recession with Keynesian stimulus policies, raising tax rates on the rich, boosting the minimum wage, and seeking to provide health care for all, the Obama Administration was pursuing a mainstream progressive agenda that virtually all Democrats support, and, to a large extent, it has worked as advertised. Moreover, much of this agenda can be traced to the Administration of Bill Clinton. In the case of universal health coverage, the lineage can be traced back to Hillary herself.

No surprises there, then. Still, it was helpful of Hillary, at this early stage, to make things clear: her 2016 campaign will rise or fall on defending the economic record of the past six years.

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### [Washington Post opinion: Eugene Robinson: "Hillary Clinton, tell us your vision"](#)

By Eugene Robinson

September 15, 2014, 7:56 p.m. EDT

Judging by her weekend appearance in Iowa, it looks as if Hillary Clinton is indeed running for president. Now she has to answer one simple question: Why?

"It is true, I am thinking about it," she said Sunday at the final Harkin Steak Fry, an annual cholesterol-boosting fundraiser that Sen. Tom Harkin (D-Iowa), who is retiring, has hosted for 37 years. Given the context, this was pretty close to an announcement of the Clinton 2016 campaign.

She was in Iowa, whose first-in-the-nation caucuses kick off presidential primary season. She was accompanied by her husband, Bill, who did his best to play the supporting role of a candidate's spouse, although second fiddle is an instrument he has not quite mastered. She greeted the crowd by announcing, "Hello, Iowa, I'm baaaaack," stretching the word for emphasis.

The last time she barnstormed through Iowa, it did not go well. The 2008 caucuses were supposed to ratify her status as the Democratic front-runner and show her challengers the futility of their puny efforts. Instead, she finished third, behind Barack Obama and John Edwards. The Clinton machine lost the air of inevitability that had been its greatest asset — and turned out to lack a compelling message that could compete with Obama's promise of hope and change.

Now Clinton begins another campaign — perhaps — in which she is seen as the inevitable winner. She has said she will make a firm decision

“probably after the first of the year.” But if she has reached the point of dropping broad hints, she needs to begin telling the nation how and why she proposes to lead.

The election of the first woman as president would be a great milestone, but a glance at the headlines — economic and social dislocation at home, terrorism and war abroad — suggests that voters will not likely be in the mood for symbolic gestures. To win the nomination, let alone the general election, Clinton will have to lay out her vision of the way forward.

Her memoir of the years she spent as secretary of state, “Hard Choices,” offers little guidance. My view is that Clinton did an excellent job as America’s chief diplomat, but if she has an overarching philosophy of foreign relations, she left it out of the book. We know that President Obama believes in multilateralism and the sparing use of U.S. military force. We know that some critics believe we should be more interventionist and others believe we should be more isolationist. “Hard Choices” doesn’t really tell us which way Clinton leans, though her record suggests a slight nod toward the hawkish side.

In the book, Clinton rejects the idea of choosing between the “hard power” of military might and the “soft power” of diplomacy, sanctions and foreign aid. Instead, she advocates “smart power,” which seems to mean “all of the above.” When I hear officials talking about “smart” this or “smart” that, I hear a buzzword that is often meant to obscure policy choices rather than illuminate them.

Clinton’s message on domestic affairs is also unclear. At the Iowa event, she sounded what is sure to be a major theme for both Democrats and Republicans in the coming campaign: the need to ease the plight of the beleaguered middle class.

“Today, you know so well, American families are working harder than ever, but maintaining a middle-class life feels like pushing a boulder uphill every single day,” she said, adding that “we can build a growing economy of shared prosperity.”

If this indicates she is beginning to formulate a populist appeal, she will find that territory already staked out by Sen. Elizabeth Warren (D-Mass.) — a non-candidate who nevertheless had sign-carrying supporters in the Iowa crowd. Warren’s blistering critique of structural economic inequality is popular with liberal Democrats, some of whom see Clinton as too cozy with Wall Street.

When Warren is asked about her intentions, her standard formulation is “I am not running for president,” using the present tense — which doesn’t definitively rule anything out. It seems likely, in any event, that someone will challenge Clinton from the left.

After Clinton’s brief speech, her husband tried his best not to steal the show. Bill Clinton tossed out lines that can only be called Clintonesque — “We have got to pull this country together to push this country forward” — and implored Democrats and Republicans to find ways to work together.

Centrist pragmatism as a campaign theme? In U.S. politics today, the middle is a dangerous place to be.

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[MSNBC: “Immigration activists put Democrats on notice”](#)

By Alex Seitz-Wald

September 16, 2014, 8:04 a.m. EDT

It was always a matter of when — not if — a young undocumented immigrant known as a “DREAMer” would confront Hillary Clinton. The confrontation came early on for the likely 2016 presidential candidate.

“Hello my name is Monica Reyes and I’m an Iowa DREAMer,” the senior at the University of Northern Iowa told Clinton as the former secretary of

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state worked a lengthy rope line at the Iowa Steak Fry. "Yay!" Clinton replied, flashing a thumbs up as she kept moving.

The former secretary of state has spent the past six years behind a wall of Secret Service agents and staffers, and three Latino activists took advantage of Sunday's event in Iowa to put Clinton on the spot as she signed hats and shook hands with fans.

Cesar Vargas, another activist who co-directs the DREAM Action Coalition, picked up where Reyes off, telling Clinton that President Barack Obama had broken his promise to Latinos by delaying planned executive action to ease deportations. "Well, I think we have to elect more Democrats," Clinton replied, in an apparent reference to the pressure some Democrats put on the White House to hold off on the order.

The answer didn't satisfy the activists. "So far, that was her first strike in dealing with immigration," Vargas told msnbc.

These kind of exchanges, recorded on video for immediate distribution and broadcast, are the signature endeavor of an increasingly confrontational immigration movement that has become adept at embarrassing Republicans — and now it's Democrats' turn.

In the past, DREAMers staged sit-ins in the offices of Democratic lawmakers and Barack Obama's re-election campaign, but the lack of a Democratic primary in 2012 meant most of their action targeted Republicans.

Most recently, and also in Iowa, a DREAMer faced off with Sen. Rand Paul, also a likely presidential candidate. When Vargas and another activist, Erika Andiola, confronted Paul and Rep. Steve King at a restaurant, Paul dropped the burger he was eating and fled the scene posthaste. He later dismissed the incident as a "Kamikaze interview."

Can Clinton or any other Democrat who runs for president expect the same treatment? "Of course," Reyes told msnbc. "That's going to be our main goal."

While immigration is unlikely to be a central issue in the Iowa Democratic Caucus in 2016, and DREAMers can't vote, their actions in the "first in the nation" state set the stage for places where Latinos make up larger portions of the population.

In Iowa, only 5.5% of the population is Hispanic, according to the latest Census figures. That's by far the largest minority group in what remains an overwhelmingly white state, says Mark Grey, a professor at the University of Northern Iowa who runs the Iowa Center for Immigrant Leadership and Integration. Still, that number is very small.

Since the recession, few recently arrived Latino immigrants have settled in Iowa. Instead, refugees and migrants from former American colonies like the Marshall Islands have made up the bulk of the flow. "The landscape is changing," Grey said. "We're kind of in this post-Latino phase."

Despite that shift, videos of DREAMers confronting politicians have a tendency to go viral, so politicians like Clinton should be prepared to handle the ambushes, says Matt Barreto, the co-founder Latino Decisions.

"I don't see anything too troubling in [Clinton's] most recent exchange with the DREAMers. She's a politician, so it should be expected that she gives political answers to things," Barreto told msnbc. "But it's a notice to politicians that they need to be ready to discuss this issue ... [DREAMers] will come after you with their cell phone videos."

And that's especially true in Iowa, where an emphasis on retail politics makes presidential candidates unusually accessible. Immigration dogged Clinton here during her 2008 presidential run, when she came out against drivers licenses for undocumented immigrants after weeks of vacillation.

At the moment, it looks like it would take a lot of unflattering videos to derail Clinton. She's extremely popular among Latinos, according to a recent Latino Decisions poll, and has bested the field of likely Republican presidential candidates by margins larger than when Obama defeated Mitt Romney in 2012.

But the biggest concern for Democrats is not losing Latinos to Republicans, but that the minorities will simply stay home on election day. Latinos tend to vote in much lower percentages than whites, and polling shows Latino enthusiasm for voting in general falling off dramatically after the White House decision to delay its executive action.

And then there's the prospect of someone like Maryland Gov. Martin O'Malley entering the race. He has been afraid to challenge the White House from the left on immigration, and is appealing to many of the activists.

For Vargas, the purpose of their confrontations are simple: "We're going to make sure that Democrats don't take Latinos for granted."

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[\*\*Politico: "Bill Clinton takes a shot at Netanyahu"\*\*](#)

By Jonathan Topaz

September 16, 2014, 6:28 a.m. EDT

Former President Bill Clinton says he agrees that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is "not the guy" for a peace deal.

A C-SPAN video — first reported by Israeli newspaper Haaretz — shows the 42nd president at Sen. Tom Harkin's Iowa steak fry on Sunday speaking with an individual along a rope line.

"If we don't force him to make peace, we will not have peace," the man told Clinton in the video.

"First of all, I agree with that," Clinton responded, before discussing the Israeli-Palestinian peace efforts he brokered during his administration.

"But Netanyahu is not the guy," the unnamed person told Clinton, cutting in.

"I agree with that," Clinton responded.

He and former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton headlined Harkin's 37th and final steak fry in Indianola, Iowa. At the event, Hillary Clinton — the likely frontrunner for the 2016 Democratic presidential nomination, should she choose to run — again said she was considering a bid.

The Obama administration and Netanyahu have tried to downplay reports of increased animosity between the U.S. and Israel. Reports indicated that Israel was unhappy with John Kerry, Clinton's successor as secretary of State, and his attempt to broker a peace deal with Turkey and Qatar. The White House, for its part, criticized Israel for at least one shelling of a United Nations facility in Gaza and had expressed concerns about the high level of civilian casualties in the conflict.

In a interview with The Atlantic's Jeffrey Goldberg, Hillary Clinton praised Netanyahu for his flexibility in trying to compromise on a peace deal. "I saw Netanyahu move from being against the two-state solution to announcing his support for it, to considering all kinds of Barack-like options, way far from what he is, and what he is comfortable with," she said.

By Linda Killian

September 16, 2014, 12:32 p.m. EDT

The media frenzy over Hillary Clinton's trip to Iowa Sunday for a Democratic fundraiser no doubt leaves many Americans scratching their heads.

We haven't held this year's election, which voters seem decidedly unexcited about, and yet political reporters can't stop talking about the 2016 presidential race and the will-she-or-won't-she question surrounding a Clinton bid.

Let's face it: She's running. Her wink, wink, nudge, nudge references at Sen. Tom Harkin's steak fry made that pretty clear.

Otherwise, why would she go back to Iowa for the first time in six years, reliving the humiliation of not only losing the 2008 Iowa Democratic caucus to Barack Obama but also coming in third behind John Edwards who will be the answer to a political trivia question in a couple of years if he isn't already.

The media are obsessed with Hillary. Yes, like Beyoncé, Oprah and Madonna. All you need is her first name for people to know who you are talking about. She is good copy, as we used to say. Speculation on Hillary and her momentous decision no doubt attracts eyeballs which is why media organizations are probably hoping she draws this out as long as possible.

The American people, however, are not as breathlessly anticipating the answer.

Many people believe it's well past time for a woman president and Hillary Clinton may be the logical choice to break that barrier. Plenty of others think the torch should be passed to a new generation of political leaders. And those who can't stand the Clintons and would never consider voting for a Democrat undoubtedly suspect all of the fuss is just another example of liberal media bias.

What is clear is that there is a disconnect between voters' concerns about Washington's ability to get things accomplished and their desire for action by 2016 and the media's obsession with Hillary Clinton's version of Hamlet.

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**Date:** 10/7/2014 1:31:02 PM  
**Subject:** Re: NEED QUICK FEEDBACK: Invitation from America Votes

Checked with her. She doesn't really know her and thus has no opinion.  
Sorry we aren't more helpful.

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**From:** John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 07, 2014 04:23 PM Eastern Standard Time  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Subject:** RE: NEED QUICK FEEDBACK: Invitation from America Votes

Loretta lynch?

On Oct 7, 2014 3:39 PM, "Huma Abedin" <[Huma@clintonemail.com](mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com)> wrote:

talked to john  
he agrees with you

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**From:** [robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com) [[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com) ]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 07, 2014 11:21 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Cc:** Robert Mook ([robertmook@gmail.com](mailto:robertmook@gmail.com) ); John Podesta ([john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) )  
**Subject:** Re: NEED QUICK FEEDBACK: Invitation from America Votes

I would only do this for political reasons (ie to make Soros happy) It's very unclear to me how much AV will matter next cycle. And I haven't seen then adding any value this cycle.  
I also worry a little it will cause donor confusion vis a vis Priorities.

On Oct 7, 2014, at 11:11 AM, Huma Abedin <[Huma@clintonemail.com](mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com)> wrote:

She is having dinner with George Soros tonight.  
Do you know much about America Votes? As Greg Speed explained to me, they are the coordinated campaign for various outside groups. Soros is a big supporter of the group and hes going to ask her tonight if she will come to a fundraiser for them at his house in December. Thoughts?

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**From:** Greg Speed [[GSpeed@americavotes.org](mailto:GSpeed@americavotes.org) ]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 16, 2014 11:42 AM  
**To:** Huma Abedin  
**Cc:** Lona Valmoro ([lvalmoro.hrco@gmail.com](mailto:lvalmoro.hrco@gmail.com) ); Evan Kost  
**Subject:** Invitation from America Votes

Hi Huma (and Lona):

It was wonderful to see you last week. Thanks so much again for making the time in a very, very busy week.

Attached is an invitation for Secretary Clinton to join us at an evening reception at the home of George Soros in December. We would be thrilled to have her serve as honored guest and speaker at this gathering of our top supporters honoring America Votes' work over the past 10 years and looking forward to the next decade.

Thanks so much in advance for your and the Secretary's consideration of this request. We are now holding dates at Mr. Soros' home in the middle of the month (Dec. 15-17) and hope we can find a mutually agreeable date during that window if possible or an alternative. Please let us know if we can provide any further information, address any questions, etc.



Thanks very much again and look forward to talking again soon.

Best,

GS

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Date: 3/16/2015 5:51:56 AM  
Subject: Re: Super pac question

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Adding John and Dennis

On Mon, Mar 16, 2015 at 11:03 AM, Charlie Baker  [<Charlie.Baker@deweysquare.com>](mailto:Charlie.Baker@deweysquare.com) > wrote:  
Defer to Marc, but think that is the plan

> On Mar 16, 2015, at 10:56 AM, Robby Mook  [<robbymook2015@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com) > wrote:  
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> Can we say Priorities is the "preferred" super pac?  
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Date: 10/25/2015 4:04:47 PM  
Subject: Bernie/Iowa JJ

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I definitely don't want to overthink the past, but not answering attacks until it's too late was definitely a problem for us last time.

You may have thought of all this already, but as a response to his JJ speech, can she use her fight for health care for all?

Like say:

Decades ago, I fought for health care for all Americans - fighting the insurance companies, fighting the prescription drug companies - taking on vested interest after vested interest. I didn't succeed, but I still have the scars to show what a hard fight it was. That wasn't the easy thing to do or the most politically popular thing to do, but it was the right fight to have. And I'm glad President Obama succeeded in his fight.

So honestly, spare me the lectures on doing what's easy. I've never done that and never will.

Anyway, had this thought and wanted to send it in.

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From: ["Eryn Sepp" <esepp@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:esepp@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 4/28/2015 2:42:40 PM  
Subject: 7:30 / 10:30 pm call

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Hi John: Marissa is trying to get Robby on the 10:30 pm, but her understanding is that "Robby and Sean cannot talk for legal/coordination reasons." She'll keep us posted though, when she gets confirmation from Robby.

Sean is available at 10:30 pm. His cell is in your calendar. There's also I dial in there as well in case we're able to get Robby on.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: [aj66@nyu.edu](mailto:aj66@nyu.edu)  
Date: 11/12/2011 12:59:18 PM  
Subject: Re: Tuesday or Wednesday before Thanksgiving?

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new york or dc?

On Fri, Nov 11, 2011 at 12:48 PM, <aj66@nyu.edu> wrote:

> Hi John- are you free the Tuesday or Wednesday before Thanksgiving for a meeting with Victoria, Jennifer,  
> Dad and me? Thanks John,  
> Chelsea  
>  
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From: "Amy Dacey" <amy@fundforamerica.net>

To: "John Stocks" <jstocks@nea.org>  
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
"Anna Burger" <anna.burger@seiu.org>  
"Robert McKay" <rmckay@mckayfund.org>

Date: 6/29/2008 5:02:10 AM

Subject: New Allocation/ Expense Summary June 30, 2008

**Per the Board Discussion on June 28th we are making the following allocations. expenses on Monday June 30th**  
Leslie- I will work with you on Monday to get the necessary information.  
Thank you all for your time and consideration for these matters.  
Amy

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| <b><u>Disbursement Recommendation Summary:</u></b>           |                   | <b><u>\$991,695.16</u></b> |
| <i>Expenses</i>                                              |                   | <i>\$291,695.16</i>        |
| Future Strategies (Frank Smith)                              | \$                | 50,000.00                  |
| Waverly Group                                                | \$                | 30,000.00                  |
| The Bonner Group                                             | \$                | 90,462.43                  |
| Past retainer (and partial July)                             | \$45,000          |                            |
| June Retainer                                                | \$25,000          |                            |
| June Staff and Expenses                                      | \$20,462.43       |                            |
| SEIU                                                         | \$                | 6,952.62                   |
| ATLAS                                                        | \$                | 45,000.00                  |
| Perkins Coie                                                 | \$                | 15,000.00                  |
| Bonner Group Expenses                                        | \$                | 2,739.96                   |
| Carl Pope Expenses                                           | \$                | 1,540.15                   |
| Miscellaneous                                                | \$                | 50,000.00                  |
| <br><i>Allocations</i>                                       |                   | <br><i>\$700,000.00</i>    |
| America Votes                                                |                   | \$250,000.00               |
| Alliance for a better Minnesota                              |                   | \$250,000.00               |
| Advancing Wisconsin                                          |                   | \$200,000.00               |
| <br><b>This will leave the following in the FFA Account:</b> |                   |                            |
| TOTAL in Current Accounts                                    | 1,558,483.34      |                            |
| Allocation and Expenses June 30:                             | 991,695.16        |                            |
| <u>Remaining in Account:</u>                                 | <u>566,788.18</u> |                            |

We should consider only depending on other allocations from Donors  
ATLAS \$180,000.00

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Amy K. Dacey  
Executive Director  
Fund for America  
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Date: 4/30/2012 2:26:08 PM  
Subject: Re: idea

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anytime that's good for you.  
is there anything good happening on the clean energy front?

In a message dated 4/30/2012 1:29:23 P.M. Central Daylight Time, [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) writes:

Wendy,  
Sorry, I was in London last week at the Clean Energy Ministerial and not accessing this account. When do you want to talk?  
John

On Wed, Apr 25, 2012 at 10:18 AM, <[WAbrams1@aol.com](mailto:WAbrams1@aol.com)> wrote:  
> John  
> I have an idea for a website about spending priorities (and where our  
> priorities and budgets may or may not align...) If you have time for a quick  
> call, I'd love to get your thoughts. Let me know what's good for you.  
>  
> I also saw your old boss at a dinner in Chicago on Monday and we briefly  
> discussed the goal of ending the debate on climate change (let's debate how  
> best to solve it, but not debate the existence of the problem.) I think it  
> would be a wonderful goal for CGI in Sept. to make this a turning point in  
> the public conversation once and for all; he seemed to agree. To the extent  
> you are involved in CGI planning, maybe you can try and incorporate this  
> goal.  
>  
> Hope all is well.  
> best  
> Wendy

From: "LGBT New Yorkers for Maloney" <info@seanmaloney.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
Date: 10/28/2014 3:07:21 PM  
Subject: "so-called same-sex 'marriage'" (really!)

John,

Sean's not exactly thin-skinned; he's put up with a lot of attacks. But some things go beyond the pale – this one will really make you angry:

"Maloney is a disgrace in his so-called same-sex 'marriage' and lifestyle."  
– Letter to the Editor, Oct. 9

It's UNBELIEVABLE that ANYONE would say that in 2014! Often, those crazy opinions come in the form of a whisper campaign that doesn't show up in print, but this is the kind of garbage LGBT candidates deal with.

Sean's one of only eight openly LGBT members of Congress, and his is a desperately needed voice for LGBT rights in Washington.

But Sean's lead has been erased and he CANNOT WIN if we fail to do our part and contribute to his campaign. With just one week until Election Day, there is no tomorrow.

[Click here – right now – and contribute to defend Sean, a champion for equality, and ensure he wins.](#)

Thanks,

LGBT New Yorkers for Sean Patrick Maloney

**Contribute**

This email was sent to john.podesta@gmail.com.

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From: "David Plouffe" <info@barackobama.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
Date: 2/2/2010 6:09:51 PM  
Subject: Video: Your thoughts on 2010

 Organizing for America

John --

Want to know what Organizing for America supporters like you think we should do in 2010?

[Watch a short video I recorded detailing the results of our "What's Next in 2010" survey.](#)

 [Your thoughts on 2010: Watch the video](#)

In 2009, you channeled the energy from the Presidential campaign -- building local organizations in all 50 states -- to help bring about the change President Obama's election victory gave us the opportunity to seek.

Now, you've given us some great guidance that will help set OFA's course in 2010. Tens of thousands of you returned surveys -- providing us ideas, feedback, and a clear sense of your commitment to help the President.

**Watch today:**

<http://my.barackobama.com/YourThoughtsOn2010>

Thanks,

David Plouffe

**P.S.** -- This Thursday, at 5:45 p.m. Eastern Time, OFA will host "A Conversation with the President" -- a strategy update and Q&A broadcast live on BarackObama.com. Click here to RSVP:

<http://my.barackobama.com/ConversationFeb4>

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From: "Gabe Podesta" <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)>  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 3/23/2014 4:03:07 AM  
Subject: Re: Running

My coworkers are I are laughing at the idea of the treadmill operating at different speeds. Seems very Afghan to us.

On Sun, Mar 23, 2014 at 3:22 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

No street running or walking for that matter. The first time I was there I carved out 1/2 mile track around the parking lot and swimming pool, all behind the Jersey barriers. The second time, the hotel had a treadmill, but you had to hold on to the handle bars because the left side and the right side were on separate belts going at slightly different speeds. Neither ideal.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

> On Mar 23, 2014, at 2:33 AM, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

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> Is really, really hard here. I get on the treadmill and struggle with a 5k at 8:00/mile pace. Dad, did you run while here? I assume no running through the streets of Kabul but was there a treadmill at the hotel?

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> Not sure if it is an issue with air quality, altitude, combination but I am really struggling. On a brighter note the gym is well stocked (better than McChord's) and I've been getting in some great weightlifting sessions.

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> Hope your running is going better than mine!

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> Gabe Podesta

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Gabe Podesta

From: ["Nikki Budzinski" <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Amanda Renteria" <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)  
["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Dennis Cheng" <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 8/6/2015 8:33:03 AM  
Subject: Verizon

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Hi-I just wanted to circle back. I'm going to drop the Verizon letter. Tonio Burgos was in the office today coincidentally and I got some additional background. It sounds too complicated. If it was a big deal, I'd make a push...but I think its in the "helpful but not necessary" column.

Let me know if you disagree or have questions.

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Nikki Budzinski  
Labor Outreach Director  
Hillary for America  
646-854-1442 (direct)

From: "Kirsten Gillibrand" <[kg@kirstengillibrand.com](mailto:kg@kirstengillibrand.com)>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 6/28/2010 6:36:42 AM

Subject: Picture it



Dear John,

Can't you just picture all those GOP leaders in Washington, sitting around a conference table with a map of the United States in front of them, plotting to take back the Senate?

**You and I know New York is a key piece in their puzzle, and we have to push back.** I don't relish being on the Republicans' target list, but in a way, it gives me even more energy and determination to prevent them from getting exactly what they want.

This is why I must raise \$150,000 before the crucial end-of-quarter deadline on June 30 -- just 2 days away. **I don't have the endless amounts of cash my self-funded opponents have, but I can make up for it with grassroots supporters like you.**

**[Click here to make a donation of \\$250, \\$500 or more to my campaign today, so I can meet my goal of raising \\$150,000 before June 30 and have the resources I need to beat my self-funded opponents.](#)**

I know we can do this -- I know we can win in November. But I need your help to do it.

Thank you,

Kirsten Gillibrand



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From: ["Mae Podesta" <mpodesta@gmail.com>](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 1/8/2016 2:24:13 PM  
Subject: Isa

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Thinks you may have tried to pay her twice so she left the money today. She said in the card you said you were paying her for the 26th and 8th so she didn't want you to think she forgot.

Let me know if there's a mix up and I'll tell her

Hope you're having a fun day! See you tomorrow

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From: ["Jesse Ferguson" <jferguson@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:jferguson@hillaryclinton.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/2/2015 1:27:58 PM

Subject: Thanks for your email.... Re: NYT + Iowa

Thank you for your note. I am away from my computer for the holiday weekend and will only be checking email intermittently.

If you need to get in touch with someone from our Communications Team on an issue that can't wait till next week, you can email our press assistant Alex Phillips ([aphillips@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aphillips@hillaryclinton.com)) and she can route you to the appropriate person.

Thanks for your patience. Happy Fourth of July!

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Jesse F. Ferguson  
Deputy National Press Secretary and Senior Spokesperson  
Hillary for America  
@JesseFFerguson  
Gchat: Jfferg

From: ["Angelique Cannon-Harris" <acannon@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:acannon@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)  
Date: 1/21/2016 8:31:57 AM  
Subject: Re: Do we want to postpone now? Or set a deadline for decision

Thank you Tony!!!

Angelique

On Jan 21, 2016, at 3:31 PM, Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)> wrote:

Yes

Lets tell everyone feb 21 noon same place same team

I will be at home incase anyone fails to get message

**From:** Sara Latham [<mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com>]

**Sent:** Thursday, January 21, 2016 2:38 PM

**To:** Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)>; Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>; Angelique Cannon-Harris <[acannon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:acannon@hillaryclinton.com)>

**Cc:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>; David Reid <[dreid@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dreid@hillaryclinton.com)>; John Kopetsky <[jkopetsky@podesta.com](mailto:jkopetsky@podesta.com)>; Norah Cox-Peled <[npeled@podestagroup.com](mailto:npeled@podestagroup.com)>

**Subject:** Re: Do we want to postpone now? Or set a deadline for decision

ATP - would be great to include the re-schedule date in the postponement email.  
does Feb 21 work for you ??

thx,  
Sara

On Thu, Jan 21, 2016 at 2:20 PM, Sara Latham <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

John said we should go ahead and postpone...pre-snowmageddon.

On Wed, Jan 20, 2016 at 9:52 PM, Tony Podesta <[podesta@podesta.com](mailto:podesta@podesta.com)> wrote:

David where are we?

Did you get Joan Tobin check?

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Huma Abedin" <[ha16@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "Brian Fallon" <[brianefallon@gmail.com](mailto:brianefallon@gmail.com)>

Date: 5/26/2015 6:56:53 AM

Subject: Re:

Thanks for this

Sent from my iPhone

On May 26, 2015, at 1:52 PM, Brian Fallon <[brianefallon@gmail.com](mailto:brianefallon@gmail.com)> wrote:

A reminder that DOJ will be making its latest filing in this case later today, proposing a revised schedule for producing the emails -- this time on a rolling basis, in accordance with the judge's order.

On Tue, May 19, 2015 at 8:25 AM, Brian Fallon <[brianefallon@gmail.com](mailto:brianefallon@gmail.com)> wrote:

DOJ folks inform me there is a status hearing in this case this morning, so we could have a window into the judge's thinking about this proposed production schedule as quickly as today.

On Mon, May 18, 2015 at 11:15 PM, Huma Abedin <[ha16@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We are central but I can call in at 630

Sent from my iPhone

On May 18, 2015, at 10:13 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

earlier is better - 730am?

cdm

On Mon, May 18, 2015 at 11:12 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Plus Huma and Podesta since this will be a thing tomorrow and she is in front of the press.

Cheryl - could we do a call early tomorrow? Like 8 or 830?

Sent from my iPhone

On May 18, 2015, at 9:46 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

get out!???

On Mon, May 18, 2015 at 9:05 PM, Brian Fallon <[brianefallon@gmail.com](mailto:brianefallon@gmail.com)> wrote:

DOJ just filed a briefing saying the gov't proposes releasing HRC's cache of work-related emails in January 2016.

----- Forwarded message -----

Date: Mon, May 18, 2015 at 8:51 PM

Subject:

To: Brian Fallon <[brianefallon@gmail.com](mailto:brianefallon@gmail.com)>

Hey Brian,

This was filed tonight.



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From: ["John Graham" <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com>](mailto:jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/26/2016 1:42:24 PM

Subject: RE:

Painful john. God be with us john.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 1/26/2016 3:18 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: John Graham <jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com>

Cc: Chairman John Currie <pcdemsrita@gmail.com>, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>, Kelly Maer <kellysmaer@gmail.com>, Sylvia Larsen <SenSyllars@aol.com>

Subject: Re:

You bet. You doing ok?

On Tuesday, January 26, 2016, John Graham <[jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com](mailto:jgraham@fairviewinsurance.com)> wrote:

Enough. Lets win iowa. New hampshire.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone

From: ["Steven Bakalar" <sbakalar@yahoo.com>](mailto:sbakalar@yahoo.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 5/12/2015 10:11:23 AM

Subject: London followup

hi John

Great to meet you in London yesterday. Just to remind, I'm the guy who raised \$600K for Obama re-elect with two Wellesley mothers!

As you know, quite a few major Obama raisers and donors have been put off by the way they've been treated. The campaign did not do a good job making them feel like valued members of the team, or creating a two-way communications environment/structure. Raisers are effectively salespeople selling the candidate on the donor marketplace, so their feedback is valuable to HQ in terms of tweaking policy, messaging, tone, etc.

What I'd suggest to get them re-engaged is a positive communication (preferably in person, else by email) which conveys the subtext that the Clinton campaign will handle things differently. This might include:

- Appreciation for supporting Obama and the Party in 2012
- Desire to develop more two-way dialog and improve campaign responsiveness to what's going on at this end of the field.
- Assigning a full-time staff liaison to this community (big donors usually have ideas/advice and want to feel like they are being heard)
- Scheduling regular open Skype meetings to discuss fundraising issues (raisers can often help each other resolve issues through past experience).

If Dennis could use a national deputy with strong high end raiser/donor networks, I'd be interested. I have access to Andover, Harvard, and Stanford MBA alum networks where there's a lot of high powered women who haven't been politically engaged in the past.

I hope my suggestions are helpful and wish you all the best.

Kind Regards

Steven Bakalar

From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/29/2015 3:06:59 PM

Subject: Hillary Clinton: Kill 'Cadillac tax' - POLITICO

Perhaps a savvy move politically, but probably poor public policy in that the tax is a critical incentive towards controlling health costs

<http://www.politico.com/story/2015/09/hillary-clinton-obamacare-cadillac-tax-health-care-214235>

From: ["Lisa Changadveja" <lichangadveja@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:lichangadveja@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Dennis Cheng" <dcheng@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 1/3/2016 11:02:03 AM

Subject: Re: AAPI meeting in LA on Jan. 7, 2016

Hi Glen,

We will release our list of National AAPI leadership council on Jan 7 to go in conjunction with our official launch. Of course, you'll be listed! Thanks!

On Sun, Jan 3, 2016 at 5:58 PM, Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Absolutely! Adding Lisa who will make sure of it

Happy new year!

**From:** Glen S. Fukushima [mailto:[gsf1280@gmail.com](mailto:gsf1280@gmail.com) ]

**Sent:** Sunday, January 3, 2016 9:48 AM

**To:** Dennis Cheng <[dcheng@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dcheng@hillaryclinton.com)> >

**Cc:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> >; [lisa@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:lisa@hillaryclinton.com)

**Subject:** AAPI meeting in LA on Jan. 7, 2016

Dear Dennis,

Happy New Year!

I understand that there will be an AAPI for Hillary gathering in the Los Angeles area on January 7. I want very much to attend, but I just arrived in Japan to attend a series of meetings to assess where Japan is headed in 2016. I will also be meeting with Chinese and South Korean government officials and business leaders in Japan.

Since I won't return to the U.S. until Jan. 20, I'll miss the LA meeting. However, could you please be sure that my name appears on the list of AAPI representatives supporting Hillary? If you will be using identifying organizations, please list me as:

Glen S. Fukushima, Chairman & Co-Founder, CAPA21 (Coalition of Asian Pacific Americans for the 21st Century)

Thanks, and look forward to seeing you again soon!

Glen

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Lisa Changadveja  
Asian Americans & Pacific Islanders Outreach Director  
LChangadveja@HillaryClinton.com  
(404) 207-6768

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| From:    | <a href="mailto:lbs32@law.georgetown.edu">"Lawrence B. Solum" &lt;lbs32@law.georgetown.edu&gt;</a>                                        |
| To:      | <a href="mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu">"Law Faculty and Visitors" &lt;LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu&gt;</a> |
| Date:    | 11/20/2015 10:17:54 AM                                                                                                                    |
| Subject: | Constitutional Law Colloquium: Stephen Sachs, "The Law of Interpretation," on Monday, 11/30, at 3:30pm                                    |

Dear Colleagues,

Stephen Sachs (Duke) will present the final paper in the Constitutional Law Colloquium on Monday, November 30, at 3:30pm. The paper, "The Law of Interpretation," co-authored with Will Baude (Chicago), is likely to be of wide interest, it deals with the law of interpretation across doctrinal areas, including both public law and private law interpretation of legally salient texts.

His paper is attached to this email. A light snack will be served.

Larry



From: [podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:John.Podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 8/10/2015 4:20:03 AM

Subject: Re: Travel safe.

You too. At the airport and so far so good.

> On Aug 10, 2015, at 9:51 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:  
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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Robert Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)

Date: 11/23/2014 9:10:40 AM

Subject: Re: Draft action items from today's call

I might add one more from 2nd tier--Brian Fallon. I'm worried he'll go off and do something else while Eric is packing up. I think he's really good.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

> On Nov 23, 2014, at 12:29 PM, Robert Mook <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)> wrote:

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> Edits/additions welcome!

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> PODESTA

> --Reach out to Ed Reilly re: him and other possible corporate pollsters

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> CHERYL

> --Reach out to Wendy Clark re: her and other possible corporate ad people

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> HUMA

> --Get offers into office space

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> ROBBY

> --Reach out to Simas re Benenson

> --More detailed memo on web and message development process and budget after brainstorm with team

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> INTERVIEW NAMES (anything missing?)

> (This is a lot of names...not sure how many slots are available...I would say these are mostly in order of priority based on what I heard on the call)

> Mandy Grunwald

> Joel Benenson

> Saul Shorr

> Jim Margolis

> David Dixon

> Ed Reilly (?)

> Wendy Clark (?)

> Stephanie Shriock

> Guy Cecil

> Jen O'Malley

> Sean Sweeney

> Mindy Meyers

> Buffy Wicks

> Martha McKenna

> Dave Barnhart

> Simone Ward

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Subject: Ruth Fleischer just joined! Want to connect?

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
To: "Sylvia Burwell" <[sylvia.burwell@hotmail.com](mailto:sylvia.burwell@hotmail.com)>  
Date: 9/9/2014 10:36:23 PM  
Subject: Re: Ice bucket

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Love it

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Sep 8, 2014, at 12:02 PM, Sylvia Burwell <[sylvia.burwell@hotmail.com](mailto:sylvia.burwell@hotmail.com)> wrote:

The challenge...

Lawyers Wouldn't let me do it in my official capacity so here it is from my hotmail.

:~)

Grick (G Richard) Burwell was Stephens dad who passed 14 years ago.

Begin forwarded message:

From: Stephen Burwell <[stephenburwell@gmail.com](mailto:stephenburwell@gmail.com)>  
Date: September 7, 2014 at 1:40:28 PM EDT  
To: Sylvia Cell Burwell <[sylvia.burwell@hotmail.com](mailto:sylvia.burwell@hotmail.com)>  
Subject: Ice bucket

<IMG\_3087.MOV>

Sent from my phone

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com>](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)  
Date: 6/2/2014 8:21:36 PM  
Subject: Fwd: Top 3: 'Shaming Girls For Their Bodies'

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Judd Legum <[jlegum@gmail.com](mailto:jlegum@gmail.com)>  
Date: June 2, 2014 at 10:19:09 PM EDT  
To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Subject: Re: Top 3: 'Shaming Girls For Their Bodies'

Yeah, I think the issue here is not that their can't be dress codes but that girls are being targeted for "distracting" boys.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 2, 2014, at 10:00 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

From my daughter the school board member.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

Begin forwarded message:

From: Megan Rouse <[megan.rouse@yahoo.com](mailto:megan.rouse@yahoo.com)>  
Date: June 2, 2014 at 7:59:14 PM EDT  
To: John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, Gabe Podesta <[gpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:gpodesta@gmail.com)>, Mary Podesta <[podesta.mary@gmail.com](mailto:podesta.mary@gmail.com)>, Mae Podesta <[mpodesta@gmail.com](mailto:mpodesta@gmail.com)>  
Subject: Fw: Top 3: 'Shaming Girls For Their Bodies'  
Reply-To: Megan Rouse <[megan.rouse@yahoo.com](mailto:megan.rouse@yahoo.com)>

I am squarely in the other camp on this one. Short shorts don't belong in school. On boys or girls. Finger tip length is still fairly short.

P.S. If it is so "hot" outside, why is she wearing what looks like a long sleeve wool sweater?

I may eat my words in a few years .. but at least at this point we have made the distinction in our house that some shorts may be worn on the soccer field, to the pool, or hanging out on the weekends, but not appropriate for school since school is our job. And ditto for Gabe, he has some tank tops that he can wear but not to school.

----- Forwarded Message -----

From: ThinkProgress <[progress@americanprogressaction.org](mailto:progress@americanprogressaction.org)>  
To: [skigirlmr@yahoo.com](mailto:skigirlmr@yahoo.com)  
Sent: Monday, June 2, 2014 9:03 AM  
Subject: Top 3: 'Shaming Girls For Their Bodies'

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To: ["Matt McKenna" <matt.mckenna@gmail.com>](mailto:matt.mckenna@gmail.com)  
Date: 2/3/2015 2:46:31 PM  
Subject: Re: AP profile on John Podesta

Will do. Thx.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Feb 3, 2015, at 9:26 PM, Matt McKenna <[matt.mckenna@gmail.com](mailto:matt.mckenna@gmail.com)> wrote:

Jen Friedman is handling, we'll work with her. Please let me know if I can be helpful in any way.

On Feb 3, 2015, at 19:20, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Thx. Doing my best to ignore this and one by Peter Baker.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

For scheduling: [eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)

On Feb 3, 2015, at 7:16 PM, Matt McKenna <[matt.mckenna@gmail.com](mailto:matt.mckenna@gmail.com)> wrote:

I'll spare you 400 emails on this but FYI.

Begin forwarded message:

From: Matt McKenna <[matt.mckenna@gmail.com](mailto:matt.mckenna@gmail.com)>  
Subject: Fwd: AP profile on John Podesta  
Date: February 3, 2015 at 4:14:07 PM MST  
To: "Joshua R. Earnest" <[Joshua\\_R.\\_Earnest@who.eop.gov](mailto:Joshua_R._Earnest@who.eop.gov)>

Greetings, amigo.

Will you add whomever in your shop we should deal with on this one?

Hope you're well.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Pace, Julie" <[JPace@ap.org](mailto:JPace@ap.org)>  
Date: February 3, 2015 at 16:08:36 MST  
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Subject: AP profile on John Podesta

Hi Matt, Julie Pace from the AP here. I'm writing a profile on John Podesta as he transitions out of the White House and into a possible role on an HRC campaign, if there ends up being a campaign. I was wondering if President Clinton might want to provide a statement on John given their long working relationship.

Happy to fill you in on more details about the story. It will likely run this weekend.

Thanks,  
Julie

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Date: 4/5/2015 7:59:02 AM

Subject: [TALKING POINTS] Launch Press Plan Discussion

Attachments: April Organizational Period 040515.docx

Attached are talking points on how staff will explain the first five weeks of the campaign. We will discuss it on the call and ask for feedback.

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From: [marissa.astor@icloud.com](mailto:marissa.astor@icloud.com)

When: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM April 5, 2015

Subject: Launch Press Plan Discussion

Location: Dial-In Number: (202) 750-2176 // No PIN needed

**Dial-In Number: (202) 750-2176 // No PIN needed**

The purpose of this call is to discuss our press plan for launch. We realize a lot of people can't make it because it is Easter, but anyone who can we would really appreciate it. There will not be any documents to review ahead of the call. Thank you!

From: "Lissa Muscatine" <[lmuscatine@gmail.com](mailto:lmuscatine@gmail.com)>  
To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 5/13/2015 5:10:21 PM  
Subject: Re: Typed Remarks: Hillary Clinton

Thanks Jen!

Sent from my iPhone

On May 13, 2015, at 7:21 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Friends - below are a few bites I pulled out from her California fundraisers that I thought were pretty good and may be of use for launch speech - so just pass on for consideration. JP

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Alexandria Phillips <[aphillips@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aphillips@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: Wed, May 13, 2015 at 6:16 PM  
Subject: Typed Remarks: Hillary Clinton  
To: [jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)

Hi Jen,

Attached and below are the remarks you requested. The hard copies are on your d

Best,

Alex

Paragraph 1:

There isn't any place in our country that is more about the future than right here in this state, and in particular this part of it. I want to be the president who helps lead us into the future in a way that restores inclusive prosperity, creates ladders of opportunity for every one of our young people, doesn't shut the door in the face of those immigrants who are building better futures for themselves and their children, that come up with the innovative, creative ideas that are not going to just lead a nation but lead a world into the kind of future that we know we can help deliver.

Paragraph 2:

But then I also took advantage of all those opportunities that awaited. It's really much harder now for so many families and young people to do that. I want to change that. I want us to be able to say in all good conscience, and absolutely provable, yes, you know what, it's the best thing in the world, you were born in this country and we care about you, and we want you to go as far as your hard work and talent will take you. Not just because you're born into an upper middle class or a wealthy family, but because you're an American. That's what we want for you, and that's what we're going to do our very best to provide.

Paragraph 3:

And part of what I want to do is honoring my mother and wanting to make sure the world my granddaughter walks into is a world where more kids experience kindness and love and opportunities to make the most of their own God-given potential, because at the end of the day, that's what it should be about. That's for me what running for president and serving as president will be about if I'm so privileged to do that.

**Alexandria Phillips**

*Press Assistant | Communications*

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From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Chris Lu" <[clu@barackobama.com](mailto:clu@barackobama.com)>

Date: 9/12/2008 10:05:59 AM

Subject: Re: draft weekly memo to BO

This looks good. A few changes:

- 1) I think Gittenstein has 2 t's: maybe not.
- 2) In the working group paragraph, change draft policy papers to draft strategic options papers
- 3) in EO graph, let's add that they are reviewing Bush's EO's for possible reversal (not implicit)
- 4) in post election web site graph let's add a little more like people can send in policy ideas--thought you did a good succinct job of that this am on the call.

That's it. Looks goood.

On Fri, Sep 12, 2008 at 12:22 PM, Chris Lu <[clu@barackobama.com](mailto:clu@barackobama.com)> wrote:

> Attached and pasted below:

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> Weekly Transition Memo for Senator Obama

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> From: Transition Advisory Board and Staff

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> Date: September 12, 2008

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> I. Vice President-Elect Team

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> We have now constituted a new working group to help with the VP's  
> transition. That group will be headed by two long-time Biden associates,  
> Mark Gitenstein and Ted Kaufman. Mark and Ted have reached out to the  
> agency review team to ensure that people in the Biden circle are included in  
> that process, in particular in the areas of national security and justice.  
> In addition, Mark and Ted will be talking to the national security policy  
> group.

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> II. Working Groups

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> All six of the major policy teams (national security, health care,  
> education, energy, economy, and immigration) are on track to produce draft  
> policy papers by the end of September that will be reviewed by the  
> transition board. Within each of these broader areas, subgroups are being  
> set up to address specific issues. For instance, the national security  
> group (headed by Susan Rice, Jim Steinberg, and Sarah Sewall) has  
> established subgroups such as: Afghanistan/Pakistan; Iran; Middle East peace  
> process and the Gulf; intelligence/counter-terrorism/homeland security; and

> national security law.

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> We have four full-time research assistants who are cataloguing the campaign  
> policy promises in about 50 major areas. We also have a very large team of  
> outside lawyers and consultants that is assisting the agency review team in  
> researching specific federal agencies (e.g., budgets, personnel,  
> rulemaking).

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> The first family transition group set up a meeting in Chicago this week for  
> Michelle and Ann Stock, the social secretary during the Clinton  
> Administration.

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> III. Executive Orders

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> The policy groups and agency review teams are analyzing executive orders and  
> possible administrative action that can be taken quickly in their areas  
> after Inauguration Day. We also will be convening a team of lawyers headed  
> by Todd Stern to take a broader look at how to organize this process on a  
> government-wide basis.

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> IV. Pre-Clearance of Nominees and Transition Staff

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> We are in the process of getting FBI security clearances for transition  
> staff, particularly in the area of national security, so we can hit the  
> ground running on November 5.

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> We also have met with the Office of Government Ethics about confidentially  
> assisting potential nominees with completing their financial disclosure  
> reports. As you probably know, completing these forms properly can be a  
> painstaking process, particularly for wealthy individuals who may be  
> required divest certain holdings before entering government service.

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> IV. Operations

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> We are mocking up a website that would go live on November 5. The idea is  
> to carry over many of the same technological advances from the campaign to  
> the transition in an effort to maximize public participation in the  
> transition. The website also would allow the submission of resumes.

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- > Chris Lu
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- > 312-505-4864 (cell)

From: ["Julie Eddy" <juliededdy@gmail.com>](mailto:juliededdy@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 1/4/2016 6:57:59 AM  
Subject: Re: Happy New Year

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Hi John,

Thank you for your kind email. I will be certain to pass along your email to the Congresswoman.

I am ready and willing to help however needed - don't hesitate if I can be of assistance! I am with her and you!

Happy New Year!

JE

On Sun, Jan 3, 2016 at 1:12 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Julie, please pass on to the Congresswoman. Happy New Year.

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Wishing you a happy New Year. 2015 was challenging, but we ended in a good place thanks to your help and support. Look forward to working with you to elect the first woman President of the United States.

Have a great New Year.

-John

From: ["Tom Freedman" <tom@tfreedmanconsulting.com>](mailto:tom@tfreedmanconsulting.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/12/2014 1:45:33 PM

Subject: Another executive action

Good seeing you. Not to talk too much, but as you know, some of the best things to do are moving money around in foreign aid. The school feeding program we did (and you and the President made happen by eventually pushing the relevant agencies) fed 9 million kids a year who weren't getting fed and is still going strong thanks to legislation...there are more of those things around that really matter, and are low hanging fruit, and really help a lot of people and would get support. Anyway, wanted to plug foreign aid as a good place for some moves.

Warm Regards,  
Tom

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Date: 10/23/2015 6:07:59 AM  
Subject: DRAFT: JJ Dinner - Revised  
Attachments: 2015-10-23 JJ -1pm.docx

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All, here's latest JJ draft. Would love your thoughts this afternoon.

Thanks

Dan

From: [robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)  
To: "[Cheryl Mills](mailto:Cheryl Mills)" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>  
Date: 12/8/2014 2:46:12 PM  
Subject: Re: Ratifying next steps for the research process

Sure--happy to meet with her. I'd still like to get the initial assessment polls moving this week since time is ticking, though. Branding probably won't start until later Jan at the earliest.  
Any issues with me getting that moving?

On Dec 8, 2014, at 9:20 PM, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)> wrote:

Dear Robby

I look forward to reviewing and sharing any thoughts that may be valuable.

My one thought from the conversation I participated in with Wendy is that her strength is in branding and marketing, using the evidence base in determining how to generate the behaviors sought in the target audience. So I think she has the capacity and creativity to drive the brand development and strategy from inception to execution. I imagine she would rely on the data that is being collected through the polling and focus groups you outline but equally as important, would likely have questions she might suggest specifically be included in the process. That's why I'm not sure she is an advisor in the sense of opining on things as they occur but instead an actual partner with the team in defining and shaping what information is needed and then how to synthesize it for the purposes at hand.

This may make more sense once you meet her and have a thoughtful conversation about her strengths and talents. Then I think her active engagement can be efficient and productive for the activity you have outlined. Should we arrange a time for you to meet her or at least connect with her by telephone?

best.

cdm

On Mon, Dec 8, 2014 at 11:56 AM, Robert Mook <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)> wrote:

Madame Secretary, Cheryl, John,

Attached is an updated summary of the research process and a budget. I want to emphasize that THIS WILL CHANGE because the team will have better ideas on methodology and the strategy will evolve as the project progresses. I would still assume our budget will be in the \$2+ million range per my earlier memo, even though the attached budget is lower than \$2 million (obviously, we are going to make this as cheap as we can without sacrificing thoroughness and quality).

Below is information on the participants. Attached is (1) a revised overview of the process and (2) a budget.

Please let me know if there are any objections or recommended changes, otherwise I will proceed with the plan as outlined.

Thanks!

THE TEAM:

Pollsters: Jef Pollock and John Anzalone

Media consultant: Saul Shorr (like Jef and John, I will ask that he participate in the project, with no

obligation by you or him that he work for the campaign, should you decide to run. I will offer Saul \$20k plus travel costs to work with us for the next three months and attend a number of the focus groups).

Advisors: I will have Wendy provide input on the instruments and methodology for the first round--then we can evaluate the degree we want to share data. I would like to talk to her before we lock this in, since I have never met her.

#### SELF RESEARCH

We don't have a thematically organized set of self research on the your accomplishments pre-State. I would like to give the pollsters full access to all raw materials on accomplishments pre 2009, especially the Senate. It's very important that we come out of this process understanding which accomplishments are most meaningful to voters.

#### POLICY

I would like to loop Dan and Jake into drafting of likely policy initiatives for testing--they have already provided me some input, but I'd like to get them on calls with the team to drill down on this in more detail, since it's so important. I know that policy is still a nascent process and will be highly iterative, but I don't think it makes sense to do the polling in isolation from the policy work itself (since the research should be supporting and informing the policy development).

From: "[Media Legal Summit 2015](#)" <[knowledgesummits@gmail.com](mailto:knowledgesummits@gmail.com)>

To: [podesta@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 11/16/2015 9:51:00 PM

Subject: Message from Shri. D.V. Sadananda Gowda, Hon'ble Minister for Law & Justice

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I would like to congratulate Lex Witness and wish all the best for the summit. I would look forward to the summit proceedings at an appropriate time.

  
(D.V. Sadananda Gowda)

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Date: 5/12/2015 7:49:23 AM

Subject: Re: Stiglitz

HRC met with Stiglitz on December 8th at the personal office. Ann and I followed up by having dinner with him on April 2.

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 2:42 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She spoke with him too. Schwerin can give date.

On May 12, 2015, at 1:49 PM, Brian Fallon <[bfallon@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:bfallon@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

maggie asked me. i said he isnt getting paid (not sure what else would make him a "real" advisor) but that our staff had spoken to him

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 1:47 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <[jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Adding Fallon bc I think we are getting same q here.

Sent from my iPhone

> On May 12, 2015, at 1:45 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

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> Did we say he was an advisor?

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> I thought we said she has sought his advice personally and her team

> has consulted closely with him and his team. All of us will continue

> consulting as we go forward.

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> That work?

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>> On May 12, 2015, at 1:38 PM, Joel Benenson <[jbenenson@bsgco.com](mailto:jbenenson@bsgco.com)> wrote:

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>> Being asked by NYT if he is really an HRCadvisor.

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>> Guidance?

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>> Sent from my iPhone

From: "Grant Woodard" <info@jackhatch.com>  
To: "John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>  
Date: 10/8/2014 9:50:42 AM  
Subject: Job Opening: Governor of Iowa



John,

We know the Branstad administration doesn't like to advertise state job openings to the public, allowing their managers to hire cronies, so they're pretty disappointed the public knows they have a choice for governor in 27 days.

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**Luckily there is another promising candidate for this position: Jack Hatch.**

Jack's spent his time in both the private and the public sector actually helping people, whether it's providing affordable housing where others won't build or ensuring health care for the children of Iowa, Jack has proven himself.

**Contribute \$25, \$50, or \$100 to help Jack win this race and sign Terry Branstad's pink slip.**

It's time we get a fresh start.

Grant Woodard  
Campaign Manager  
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Date: 4/12/2008 4:09:54 PM

Subject: Art Lipson and Rochelle Kaplan

I spoke today to the Utah Education Association Delegate Assembly. The subject of my speech was to praise the delegates for the resounding victory they achieved in defeating the private school voucher ballot measure last November. They defeated the measure in every county in Utah.

Art Lipson and Rochelle Kaplan (DA Partners) supported our work and helped raise money for the effort. We developed a friendship during this campaign.

I met with them briefly today at their home in Salt Lake.

Art and Rochelle are deeply involved with Project New West in a major research project on the values, interests, attitudes and opinions of LDS voters, the results of which will be useful in western states beyond Utah.

Art was complimentary of the information he received at the recent Committee on the States meeting in Denver. It has motivated him to create vehicles and invest in organizational infrastructure and capacity in his home state.

We discussed the race for the Democratic presidential nomination. We concluded that there was a need to assemble individual donors who are not reluctant to contribute to organizations that are engaged in aggressively exposing McCain's public record. A meeting around the upcoming DA meeting seemed logical to Art and Rochelle. I believe that if there was a cogent pitch for issue advocacy around McCain's record that they would consider helping to fund it.

If such a meeting is being organized around the DA conference, I suggest that Art and Rochelle be invited.

I extended greetings to them from Frank Smith per his request.

That's my report.

John Stocks  
Deputy Executive Director  
National Education Association  
202-822-7523

Sent from my GoodLink Wireless Handheld ([www.good.com](http://www.good.com))

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: "Joel Johnson" <Joel@gpg.com>  
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 3/17/2015 2:50:19 PM

Subject: Re:

+ Skippy

The idea has merit.

On Tue, Mar 17, 2015 at 7:52 PM, Joel Johnson <Joel@gpg.com> wrote:

Why not have somebody reserve a charter on April 20 -- Hyde Park-Manchester-Columbia-des Moines.?

Sent from my iPhone

From: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Gitenstein, Mark H." <MGitenstein@mayerbrown.com>](mailto:MGitenstein@mayerbrown.com)  
Date: 11/9/2008 12:53:13 PM  
Subject: Re: Weds

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What # are you at?

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

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From: "Gitenstein, Mark H." <MGitenstein@mayerbrown.com>  
Date: Sun, 9 Nov 2008 10:14:28 -0600  
To: <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>; <[jpodesta@americanprogress.org](mailto:jpodesta@americanprogress.org)>  
Subject: Weds  
I thought u said next strategy mtg is weds in chicago w/ focus on econ policy? I'm mtg w/ jrb this aft. Thx

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 9/4/2014 4:45:53 AM  
Subject: Fwd: John Butler Recommendation Letter  
Attachments: John Podesta Recommendation Letter.docx  
John F. Butler CV August 2014.pdf

John, Thanks again for your offer to help with a letter for the Truman project. I wanted to touch base and see if it would be possible to get your letter by tomorrow. My deadline to submit the application is next week.

I know you're busy, so thanks for anything you can do.

-John

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "John F. Butler" <[john.f.butler@gmail.com](mailto:john.f.butler@gmail.com)> >  
Date: August 26, 2014 at 10:11:33 AM EDT  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Subject: Fwd: John Butler Recommendation Letter

John - I wanted to check back in with you about the logistics of the recommendation letter. Do you think it's possible you might be able to get to this by Friday? If so, can you please send me back a .pdf signed version? I have to upload it online to my application. Thanks again! Sincerely, John

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From: John F. Butler <[john.f.butler@gmail.com](mailto:john.f.butler@gmail.com)> >  
Date: Thu, Aug 21, 2014 at 7:12 AM  
Subject: John Butler Recommendation Letter  
To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Cc: [dennis.lucey@tkcglobal.com](mailto:dennis.lucey@tkcglobal.com)

John,

I was in DC last month and met with Dennis about my desire to join the Truman National Security Project. I understand he was able to discuss this idea with you. I would be so grateful if you would consider writing me a recommendation letter.

As you may know I am currently enrolled in the Naval War College Master's Program for National Security Policy and Strategic Studies. The Truman Project would be an invaluable organization to apply my military experience and what I'm learning in the War College program.

Attached is my CV for background and a draft recommendation letter. I acknowledge that the letter is very generous, so please feel free to edit as necessary.

I know how busy you are, so I am especially grateful for your help.

Thank you.

Sincerely,  
John



From: ["Ian Mandel" <ian@progressiveaccountability.org>](mailto:ian@progressiveaccountability.org)

To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)  
["Ian Mandel" <ian@progressiveaccountability.org>](mailto:ian@progressiveaccountability.org)

Date: 7/8/2008 12:03:58 PM

Subject: [big campaign] IE Watch 7/8

NARAL:

- \$140 for online advertising (Facebook) on 7/8 in support of Obama
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- \$88 for Google Adwords (Google) on 7/8 in support of Obama

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From: ["Jack Quinn" <jquinn@quinnngillespie.com>](mailto:jquinn@quinnngillespie.com)

To: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)

Date: 10/7/2014 7:56:17 AM

Subject: Re: Great news re Post endorsement of Karl Racine for Attorney General of DC

Perfect, especially reunion opportunity and RFH and emcee choice, but roasting should only be of Deputy Counsels.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Oct 7, 2014, at 8:59 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Love it

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> I am looking for the list myself so will send names

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> cdm

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>> On Oct 7, 2014, at 8:56 AM, "Lanny J. Davis" <ldavis@lannyjdavis.com> wrote:

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>> My assistant Maddie will organizer post-elections.

>> May I ask all on this email to send me list of names and emails - 92-00 - whoever you can think of. We will take it from there -

>> L

>> (I propose Mr. Breuer - the famous Lanny -- as the Master of Ceremonies for the roast of all prior WH Counsels at the reunion. That of course does not include yours truly. I suffered Mr. Breuer roasting me on my 60th birthday and my then 8 year old son Josh still repeats some of his brutal (as in too true) lines.

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>> Original Message

>> From: Cheryl Mills

>> Sent: Tuesday, October 7, 2014 8:45 AM

>> To: Lanny J. Davis

>> Cc: Jack Quinn; Breuer, Lanny; Beth Nolan; mecabe@starpower.net Cabe; Bruce Lindsey; John Podesta; Dawn Chirwa

>> Subject: Re: Great news re Post endorsement of Karl Racine for Attorney General of DC

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>> Love that idea!

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>> cdm

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>>> On Oct 7, 2014, at 8:22 AM, "Lanny J. Davis" <ldavis@lannyjdavis.com> wrote:

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>>> Hey Jack -

>>> How about a reunion party for the Clinton WH counsel alumni

>>> --post election day. We could combine with a event for Ready for Hillary! Let me know and I will find the place and set the date after Nov elections.

>>> Original Message

>>> From: Jack Quinn

>>> Sent: Monday, October 6, 2014 10:06 PM

>>> To: Breuer, Lanny

>>> Cc: Cheryl Mills; Beth Nolan; Lanny J. Davis; mecabe@starpower.net Cabe; Bruce Lindsey; John Podesta; Dawn Chirwa

>>> Subject: Re: Great news re Post endorsement of Karl Racine for Attorney General of DC

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>>> I just made my contribution as well. Post editorial was terrific. Hope everyone is great. Best to all, Jack  
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>>> Sent from my iPhone  
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>>>> On Oct 6, 2014, at 12:15 PM, Breuer, Lanny <lbreuer@cov.com> wrote:  
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>>>> Cheryl, I gave \$1,000. Lanny  
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>>>> Sent from my iPad  
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>>>> On Oct 5, 2014, at 10:49 PM, "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com<mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com>>>  
wrote:  
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>>>> I should have sent the link - he's looking to raise \$1M -- I hope you will consider maxing-out for him -- the  
limit is \$1500.  
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>>>> xo  
>>>> cdm  
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>>>> Contributions to the campaign be made online at this link, Karl Racine for AG<[https://act.myngp.com/  
Forms/-5305513748856502528/](https://act.myngp.com/Forms/-5305513748856502528/)> or mailed to  
>>>> Karl Racine for AG  
>>>> PO Box 1331  
>>>> Greenbelt, MD 20770  
>>>>  
>>>> On Sun, Oct 5, 2014 at 10:45 PM, Jack Quinn  
<jquinn@quinngillespie.com<mailto:jquinn@quinngillespie.com>>> wrote:  
>>>> Ok! Looking forward to it. Best, Jack  
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>>>> Sent from my iPhone  
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>>>> On Oct 5, 2014, at 10:24 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com<mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com>>>  
wrote:  
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>>>> Karl is running for AG of washington, DC -- the first time there has been an election for this role  
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>>>> thought you would want to know he received the endorsement of the Wash Post  
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>>>> And that I will be reaching out to those of you to see if you would like to contribute to his campaign.  
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>>>> More to come.  
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>>>> best.  
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>>>> cdm  
>>>> ----- Forwarded message -----  
>>>> From: Racine, Karl A. <KARacine@venable.com<mailto:KARacine@venable.com>>>  
>>>> Date: Sun, Oct 5, 2014 at 10:16 PM  
>>>> Subject: FW: Great news re Post endorsement. Great work!  
>>>> To: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com<mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com>>>  
>>>>  
>>>>  
>>>> We received the Washington Post Endorsement!!!  
>>>> Thx for your unwavering support.  
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>>>> -----Original Message-----  
>>>> From: Rosenthal, Seth A.

>>>> Sent: Sunday, October 05, 2014 09:27 PM Eastern Standard Time

>>>> To: Racine, Karl A.; Bailey, Claude E.

>>>> Subject: Great news re Post endorsement. Great work!

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>>>> Seth A. Rosenthal | Venable LLP

>>>> t 202.344.4741<tel:202.344.4741> | f 202.344.8300<tel:202.344.8300> | m 202.270.4241<tel:202.270.4241>

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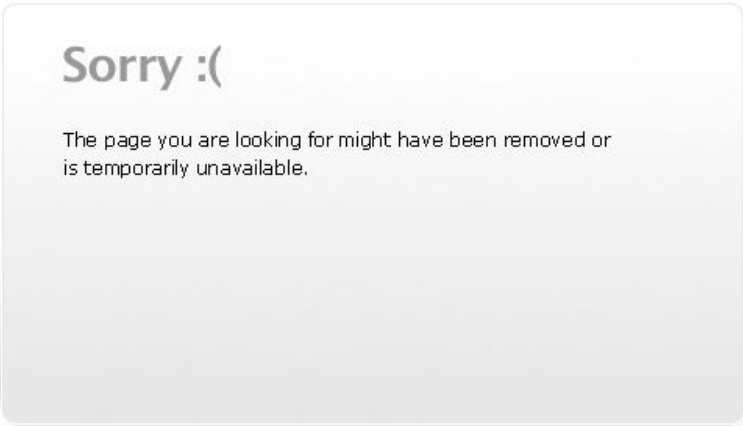
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| To:      | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">john.podesta@gmail.com</a> |
| Date:    | 6/25/2015 3:45:07 AM                                               |
| Subject: | Before midnight                                                    |



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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 6/10/2015 7:21:05 AM  
Subject: They're going to fix your iPad!!

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Great news!! Beth read the WaPo article and noted the mention of your busted iPad. She asked for the backstory and her exact words were: "omgosh, we'll pay to get it fixed." Very sweet.

I'll work with our volunteer team to get it in to the Apple store tonight and hopefully have it fixed by tomorrow.

Milia

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Milia Fisher  
Special Assistant to the Chair  
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| From:    | <a href="mailto:cbrowner@thealbrightgrouppllc.com">"Carol Browner" &lt;cbrowner@thealbrightgrouppllc.com&gt;</a>                                                     |
| To:      | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">john.podesta@gmail.com</a><br><a href="mailto:Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com">"Stern, Todd" &lt;Todd.Stern@wilmerhale.com&gt;</a> |
| Date:    | 10/29/2008 9:12:23 AM                                                                                                                                                |
| Subject: | Foreign Climate Delegations                                                                                                                                          |

Frank Loy and Nigel Purvis continue to hear from and meet with foreign delegations on climate at Jason's request. They now have a list of 5 or more that have requested meetings with the transition team post Tuesday. Can we, should we, designate two or three folks to handle all of these requests.

From: "Juliana Gendelman" <jgendelman@americanprogress.org>

To: "Chris Lu" <clu@barackobama.com>  
"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 11/2/2008 7:46:24 AM

Subject: RE: Some benchmarks for a successful transition

Chris, we are not able to open the attachments, would it be possible to send them in a different format?

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**From:** Chris Lu [mailto:clu@barackobama.com]

**Sent:** Sunday, November 02, 2008 2:41 PM

**To:** John Podesta

**Cc:** Juliana Gendelman; Sara Latham; Sarah Feinberg; laurasnichols@yahoo.com

**Subject:** Some benchmarks for a successful transition

John – You had asked for us to look at some metrics for how to evaluate a successful transition. We ended up focusing on post-Election Day activities, in particular, personnel announcements and confirmations, because it was the most quantifiable thing we could come up with. Other things (e.g., continuity of leadership, cooperation with the Hill) are far more subjective. Let us know if you'd like any follow-up on this.

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**Chris Lu**

clu@barackobama.com

(312) 505-4864 (cell)

From: ["Cathy Mansfield" <clm255@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:clm255@law.georgetown.edu)  
To: ["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 4/20/2015 12:25:21 PM  
Subject: RE: Practicing Consumer Law Panel

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I forgot to say that my class meets in McDonough room 200. Apologies!

Cathy

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**From:** Cathy Mansfield  
**Sent:** Monday, April 20, 2015 11:22 AM  
**To:** Law Faculty and Visitors  
**Subject:** Practicing Consumer Law Panel

I wanted to let you know that I will be hosting a panel discussion in my Consumer Finance class called "Practicing Consumer Law." The class is on Wednesday, April 22 from 9:35 a.m.m until 11:00 a.m. The class is open to the law school community.

The panel members for this discussion include Ira Rheingold, E.D. of the National Association of Consumer Advocates, Lauren Saunders from the National Consumer Law Center, and four other private and public practitioners.

Thanks.

Cathy

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From: "Haim Saban" <kussa@saban.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

"Huma Abedin" <huma@hrcoffice.com>

"Robby \ (HRC\ ) Mook \ (re47@hillaryclinton.com\ )" <re47@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 1/10/2016 1:31:41 PM

Subject: simple facts

## THE SITUATION OF THE CHRISTIANS AND MINORITIES IN ISRAEL IS IMPROVING

Walla.co.il (online service) by Jonathan Nizar al-Huri (commentary) -- [January 3] The author is the spokesperson for the Israeli Christians Recruitment Forum

Any way you look at it, it is undeniable that Israel is the safest country for Christians and other minorities in the Middle East. When Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu says this, he is stating an established fact. The number of Christians in Israel continues to rise regularly every year, because the State of Israel is a democratic state of law that respects and enables its minority citizens freedom of worship and religious autonomy.

Beyond the freedom of religion and worship, the security, freedom and equality that the democracy in the Jewish state grants the Christians, there is also a very significant difference between Israel and the neighboring countries, in the aspect of the state's handling of terror attacks against Christians and other minorities. In Israel, the condemnation of price tag attacks and hate crimes encompasses all sides of the political spectrum; Israeli society denounces [the crimes] and the law enforcement agencies and security forces work to eradicate the phenomenon and make an attempt to find the culprits and bring them to justice. While in Israel it is a radical minority that perpetrates these criminal actions, in the Gaza Strip, the Palestinian Authority, in neighboring countries and in Syria and Iraq, this is a frequent, everyday situation.

The situation of the Christians in Iraq and Syria has deteriorated over the years due to the rise of radical Islam which imposes terror, but the situation of the Christian minority in these countries was not very good even when they were under state rule. Their security situation was better than today; these countries gave immunity to the Christians who lived in their territory in the years before the fall of their rulers, but then too the Christians were second-class citizens without full rights or real ability to advance. This can be seen with great regret when one examines the situation of the Copts in Egypt, where they have been restricted and persecuted for years. Their churches are destroyed in terror attacks and fires, their women are raped, murders are carried out [against them] and their prayers are conducted in tents. No promising future for Christians in Egypt is on the horizon. The situation of the Christians in the State of Lebanon is even worse. In the early 1970s the Christians were the majority in Lebanon, constituting about 80% of the Lebanese population. Until today the Christians continue to emigrate from Lebanon due to its terrible situation, the insecurity and the inequality, and it can be said that this population has reached a low point of about 20% of the general population.

And how can we ignore the situation of the Christians in the Gaza Strip and the Palestinian Authority? Under the Hamas regime in Gaza, Christians celebrate [their holidays] secretly. Hamas has banned them from celebrating the New Year, claiming that this undermines the values of Islam. This goes along with the blowing up of shops and school throughout the Gaza Strip, the murder of the priest Rami Ayyad in 2007 and the testimony of Archbishop Alexios, who said that jihadists use churches and Christian holy places as a base for the terror attacks they stage.

In the Palestinian Authority one can see festive images, but these are deceptive. The situation under the surface is the worst since 1995, the year in which Israel handed over control of Bethlehem to the Palestinian Authority. The Christian population in one of the cities most important to Christianity, the birthplace of Jesus, is on a constant downward trend, with less than 20% of the general population (according to PA statistics). Just a few days ago, after the Christmas eve mass, the Latin Patriarch, Fouad Twal, was attacked in Bethlehem by a group of 16 radical Muslims. A few months ago a monastery was torched in Bethlehem, and earlier in 2015 a takeover was staged of lands belonging to the Mar Saba monastery in Beit Sahour, and seven radical Muslims barricaded themselves inside the monastery.

Prime Minister Netanyahu can justifiably take pride in the fact that the situation of the Christians and minorities in Israel is only improving over the years. Just last week, NIS 15 billion were approved for investment in minorities in Israel. The situation is very good in Israel, but like everywhere, here too there are problems and they need to be rectified. But this has to be done in partnership, with integration and not isolation, as constructive and not destructive criticism.

We must not cynically use the situation of the Christians in Israel to unfairly besmirch Israel. On one hand, people hide the truth, and on the other hand, they distort reality for their political needs.

From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 3/24/2015 8:20:07 AM

Subject: Ruth Goldway Bio



Ruth Y. Goldway has the distinction of being the longest-serving presidential appointee currently in Washington. She was first appointed by President Bill Clinton in 1998 to the [Postal Regulatory Commission](#)'s predecessor (the Postal Rate Commission), and twice was reappointed by President George W. Bush. President Barack Obama appointed her chairman of the Commission on August 6, 2009..

Born in New York City, Goldway is the daughter of David Goldway and Rosalyn Hersh. She attended the Bronx High School of Science before going to the University of Michigan. After earning her Bachelor of Arts, she received her master's in English literature from Wayne State University.

Having moved to California, Goldway served as assistant to the director of the state Department of Consumer Affairs during the 1970s.

She eventually became friends with liberal activist and politician Tom Hayden, who supported her candidacy for Santa Monica's city council. Elected in 1979, Goldway served four years as mayor.

From 1983-1984 Goldway was founder and chairperson of the [Santa Monica Pier](#) Restoration Corporation.

Her career shifted into the world of higher education when she became director of public affairs at California State University, Los Angeles.

From 1991-1994 she served as manager of public affairs for the [Getty Trust](#), the largest arts and education foundation in the U.S.

During this time she received a small part in the 1993 movie [Dave](#), playing the Secretary of Education in the cabinet of fictional President Bill Mitchell. Goldway got the part as a result of knowing screenwriter Gary Ross.

Goldway's husband, Derek Shearer, was appointed U.S. ambassador to Finland by President Clinton in 1993. The couple remained in Finland until 1997, during which time Goldway authored several articles for the Finnish magazine "Gloria," organized seminars on women's issues and assisted in the promotion of American products and services. Her memoir of her overseas experience, *Letters from Finland*, was published in Finland in 1998.

She is on the board of [Tree People](#), the [New Visions Foundation](#), and the [USC Center for Sustainable Cities](#). Goldway is a founding member and chair of a networking and mentoring organization, [Women in Logistics and Delivery Services](#).

From: "Ashwin Madia" <info@votevets.org>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 5/26/2011 9:27:50 AM

Subject: Veterans and Social Security



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Dear John,

Recently, there has been a move afoot from far-right Republicans to cut Social Security way back, or even privatize the system, and put everyone at the whim of the stock market. What we weren't sure of, until today, is how these proposals would affect veterans.

But today, a coalition of veterans organizations, including VoteVets.org, and Social Security groups released a major new report on Social Security and veterans. The report showed that veterans and their families depend on Social Security not just for retirement, but also for disability benefits and death benefits. These findings show that any cutbacks to Social Security will severely impact veterans and their families in need. We need to get the word out about how much veterans and their families depend on Social Security.

CLICK HERE TO EMAIL YOUR FRIENDS ABOUT SOCIAL SECURITY AND VETERANS

The findings really put things in perspective. Just a few of the points from the report:

- Social Security currently pays benefits to over 9 million veterans—about 4 in 10 veterans.
- Over one-third of America's 54 million Social Security beneficiaries are either veterans or family members living with them, such as their spouses.
- Of the 13 to 14 million veterans—or 6 in 10—who are not Social Security beneficiaries, the vast majority will become beneficiaries in the future.
- The vast majority of the Active Duty community's 1.4 million members, 700,000 spouses and 1.2 million children, and the Total Selected Reserve community's 1.1 million members, 400,000 spouses and 650,000 children, are eligible for Social Security's disability and life insurance benefits if a service member becomes severely disabled or dies.
- Indeed, approximately 771,000 veterans receive Social Security disabled worker benefits, averaging \$1,100-\$1,200 per month.
- Social Security's young survivors' benefits are particularly important to the 4 in 10 active duty members who are married with children and the 1 in 20 who are single parents.
- As of January 16, 2011, the number of American servicemen and women killed on active duty in the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan was 5,860, leaving behind an estimated more than 4,000 children.

What is abundantly clear is that veterans and their families depend on Social Security more than maybe anyone else. When we talk about cutting benefits, we're talking about punishing veterans and their families who rely on Social Security's benefits, particularly disabled veterans and families of the fallen. There's no doubt that we as a nation need to ensure that Social Security is viable for the long-term, but the way to do it is not to cut the system back to bare bones

But, these facts don't matter unless people know about it. So [CLICK HERE](#) to spread the word. Thanks for your support.

Sincerely,  
Ashwin Madia  
Iraq War Veteran  
Interim Chairman, VoteVets.org

Paid for by VoteVets.org

VoteVets.org



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From: ["Mark Childress" <mbcslmmbc@gmail.com>](mailto:mbcslmmbc@gmail.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/13/2014 7:07:42 AM

Subject: Re:

Sorry I missed you, in a security seminar today and tomorrow but want to catch up whenever possible

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 9, 2014, at 10:14 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Better than expected. Talk over the weekend?

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> JP

> --Sent from my iPad--

> john.podesta@gmail.com

> For scheduling: eryl.sepp@gmail.com

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>> On Jan 9, 2014, at 7:14 PM, Mark Childress <mbcslmmbc@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> How is it going?

>> Sent from my iPad

From: ["Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)  
To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Robby Mook" <robbymook@gmail.com>](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)  
Date: 12/10/2014 7:26:48 AM  
Subject: Sunday between 8am and 10 am

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Are you available?

That looks like a window that might work for Wendy, who will be in NYC with her daughter and can train down Sat night and then fly home after meeting to Atlanta.

Best.

cdm

From: "Milia Fisher" <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)>  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 8/10/2015 2:52:14 AM  
Subject: Re: College Tweets

Great, thank you. Will schedule now.

On Mon, Aug 10, 2015 at 9:51 AM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Fine.

On Monday, August 10, 2015, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hi John-

Sorry to be late here. Will send out the live stream link in 15 minutes so we can stay ahead of her speech. The others can wait for your edits.

I will also retweet 1-2 @HillaryClinton graphics as they are released during the speech.

COLLEGE TWEETS:

.@HillaryClinton's plan to make college affordable & relieve the crushing burden of student debt. Video: [College Affordability | Hillary Clinton](#)

Watch @HillaryClinton in Exeter, NH. We can make college affordable and available to everyone. Live: <http://www.c-span.org/video/?327572-1/hillary-clinton-remarks-college-affordability>

"The most significant proposal to address the \$1.2 trillion student debt crisis that's ever been devised." @PolicyMic <http://bit.ly/1Mg6fbj>

After:

"I want every young person in America to know that, if they work hard, they can get ahead." @HillaryClinton on her College Compact.

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From: "Emily Aden" <info@terrymcauliffe.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 7/24/2013 11:00:19 AM

Subject: Petition: Anti-gay discrimination

Hi Friend,

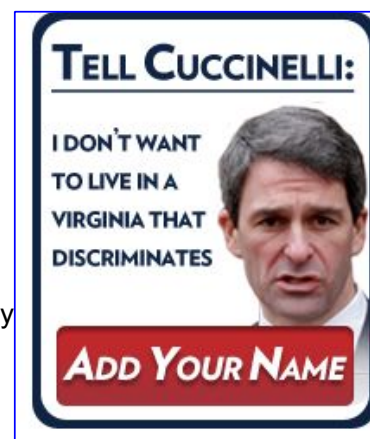
Turns out Ken Cuccinelli's extreme agenda isn't just offensive — it's terrible for business.

In 2010, he directed Virginia's public colleges to strip gay students and faculty members of policies protecting them from discrimination.

His order jeopardized the Commonwealth's efforts to lure Northrop Grumman, a huge employer that is proud of its inclusive employee policies, to relocate to Virginia — according to the *New York Times*.

With hundreds of jobs for Virginians on the line, Cuccinelli put his anti-gay ideology first.

[Tell Ken Cuccinelli you don't want to live in a Virginia that discriminates — it's wrong, it's backwards, it's bad for business.](#)



With the sequester and federal spending cuts hitting Virginia's economy hard, job creation needs to be our next governor's first, second, and third priorities.

And while Ken Cuccinelli keeps trying to convince voters he'll leave his extreme ideology at the door and focus on the economy, they're just not buying it.

They shouldn't. Over and over again, Ken Cuccinelli has resisted anti-discrimination policies. He's repeatedly tried to infringe on women's access to health care. He's politicized academic research. And he's done that all while grandstanding about ideological purity.

We can't afford to elect a governor who has shown that he puts his extreme agenda first — especially when hundreds of Virginia jobs are on the line.

Add your name to our petition to tell Ken Cuccinelli it is unacceptable that he puts his radical agenda first — and the well-being of Virginians second:

<http://action.terrymcauliffe.com/discrimination-is-bad-for-business>

Thanks for taking action,

Emily Aden  
Research Director  
McAuliffe for Governor

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/8/2015 1:54:40 PM

Subject: Re: Thrush

(202) 329-6790 Plouffe

That is correct Pfeiffer cell

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 8, 2015, at 8:44 PM, Sara Latham <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

[danpfeiffer2008@gmail.com](mailto:danpfeiffer2008@gmail.com)

312 237 0531, this may be an old #, am checking

Jen's worried it's too late to fix, or only way to is blame the candidate...

But maybe u can stress w/ Glenn Jen's keeping things together at the worst of times, would be far worse if she weren't here.

Dan could tweet something about how it is ridiculous to suggest emails was a comms problem as opposed to just being an actual problem.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 8, 2015, at 8:25 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Pfeiffer . Can you get me their phone numbers

On Oct 8, 2015 7:42 PM, "Sara Latham" <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Jen is much more emotional about all this than she is letting on - as I'm sure you already know.

she was pretty shaken by the haberman / firing fire blip last week and again after today's call w/Glenn.

Schake and I discussed who our outside surrogates / tweeters could be once story posts, should Kristina reach out to Pfeiffer to see if he/and or Plouffe will defend ?

worth calling Harris ?

From: ["Jason Salzman" <jason@effectcommunications.com>](mailto:jason@effectcommunications.com)  
To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)  
Date: 11/18/2009 5:03:22 AM  
Subject: [big campaign] Communications conference for progressives

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**Martin Kearns**, Green Media Toolshed  
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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 1/10/2016 2:25:46 PM

Subject: Re: FLAGS FOR TONIGHT: Andrea Mitchell Tomorrow? // Tomorrow Logistics

OK great, Alex will lock in now. I am scheduling a 9:45 AM prep call with the group now.

We will get you HRC morning coms memo, but what other paper would you like for prep?

Topics are likely Brown/Black, IA polls tightening, guns.

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 9:22 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Ok

On Sunday, January 10, 2016, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

OK, Alex spoke to Andrea's team and confirmed that the Capitol Hill (400 North Capitol St NW) works.

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 8:50 PM, Sara Latham <[slatham@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:slatham@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

He can do their Hill studio instead of Nebraska Ave, I spoke to Adrienne about organizing that.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 10, 2016, at 8:34 PM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

John- a few items have come in this evening that would be good to discuss tonight when you have a second. Most important is a request from comms for you to go on Andrea Mitchell tomorrow at NOON. I've outlined those potential logistics below, so you can get a sense of how it would work.

I have a few other items for the rest of the week as well. I'll be around on my cell, whenever you have a second.

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COMMS REQ: Andrea Mitchell Tomorrow, 12:00 PM ET

Jen has asked if you would be available to go on Andrea Mitchell--tomorrow at 12:00 PM. You would do the hit between your meetings with Addisu Demissie and Bobby Stein. Addisu can move your meeting up from 11:00 to 10:30 AM to give you a full 2 hours between the two meetings.

The show would provide a car to drive you roundtrip from Perkins Coie to Andrea's studio (4001 Nebraska Ave NW).

Here's the tick-tock of what those movements would look like:

9:45 Prep Call (w/ Jen, Fallon, Reynolds, Tony, Schake, Sara)

10:15

10:30 Addisu Demissie Meeting [Perkins Coie]

11:00 Suggestion: he could meet you at CAP and walk over to Perkins

11:00 Car Pickup & Drive to Andrea

11:30 (10 minute buffer)

11:45 Studio Prep

12:00 HIT TIME

12:15 Car Pickup & Drive back to Perkins Coie

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1:00 Bobby Stein Meeting [Perkins Coie]  
1:45

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

To: ["Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)

Date: 11/3/2015 11:57:09 AM

Subject: Fwd: Confidential:Catholics

Call log.

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From: Alexia Kelley <[alexiakkelley@gmail.com](mailto:alexiakkelley@gmail.com)>

Date: Tuesday, November 3, 2015

Subject: Confidential:Catholics

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Hi John,

Do you have 2 min for quick phone call. there is a campaign call today that was announced yesterday and have a confidential concern. Tx

Alexia

202-441-3812 cell

Sent from my iPhone

From: "Gayle Smith" <gaylesmithgayle@gmail.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 8/23/2008 10:15:49 PM

Subject: Re: National Security Cluster

Good idea. Also Rudy.

On Sat, Aug 23, 2008 at 10:16 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

Have you thought about using Kerrick as your Dod lead? Don't think Jim's using him.

On 8/22/08, Gayle Smith <[gaylesmithgayle@gmail.com](mailto:gaylesmithgayle@gmail.com)> wrote:

> Mike - memo is attached, based on 12 consultations thus far. Until we have  
> a format set up, I'll keep updating this memo. List of names can be broken  
> down further if needed and have bio information on all if needed.  
>  
> A few names/issues are not included as I fear the memo left on the bus and  
> did not want to include:  
>  
> 1. Bill Richardson - recommended by some, most thought he should/would be  
> vetted. Appreciation of his strengths is negotiations, real concerns about  
> some weaknesses in US/UN role.  
> 2. Holbrooke - not named by anyone, though discussed with some. All  
> acknowledge his brilliance and capability, but feel that inability to be a  
> team player is enormously problematic. In several cases, strongly  
> recommended that he not be on any list; in others, recommended that he be  
> considered for envoy or other discrete positions down the road. Very strong  
> feeling that given number of crises and disarray in agencies and IC, bottom  
> line most important qualification for top level is team player skills.  
> 3. Tony Lake - recommended by some. Tells me he does not want senior  
> position. But one never knows, should probably vet?  
> 4. Biden - on everyone's list. But let's see what the text message says.  
> If it says something else, he should obviously be on the list....  
>  
> And I feel a bit weird about this, but most of the people I have consulted  
> so far raised my name with reference to State/F or NSC - so I put it down.  
> Feel free to double back with any of them. I have several more meetings set  
> up including deeper detail on DoD and on DHS so good to update this soon.  
> Cheers, GS  
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From: "Philippe Reines" <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>  
To: "Mandy Grunwald" <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>  
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Date: 2/17/2015 11:21:34 AM

Subject: Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

They have to believe it came from us. Reads too perfectly for HRC. If we intended to do it it probably wouldn't read so perfectly.

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**From:** Mandy Grunwald <[GrunCom@aol.com](mailto:GrunCom@aol.com)>  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 17, 2015 at 11:47 AM  
**To:** "[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)" <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>, Huma Abedin <[huma@hrcoffice.com](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)>  
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**Subject:** Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

Sounds good. And the NYT piece is fine -- for both sides.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Robby Mook <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>  
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Sent: Tue, Feb 17, 2015 11:35 am  
Subject: Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

Just talked w Mindy. Good convo. She said she's been getting really good feedback about Dan's outreach--she said she knows we are talking to the people they suggested and they really like Dan. So good work, Schwerin!

We should think about going back to them when we've isolated one or two ideas and getting more input on those (without showing our cards, obviously)...will probably be in our interest for them to have a sense of where we're headed before HRC delivers to the public.

Also, she flagged that they're going to push back hard against POTUS on trade. She understood that HRC was already on the record as his SOS so we don't have a ton of room to maneuver.

On Tue, Feb 17, 2015 at 11:01 AM, Huma Abedin <[huma@hrcoffice.com](mailto:huma@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

Per Mindy, they received the same call simultaneously but are not returning it. Sounds like they plan to ignore but I asked her to

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confirm that.

**From:** Robby Mook [mailto:[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com) ]

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 17, 2015 10:38 AM

**To:** Mandy Grunwald

**Cc:** Nick Merrill; John Anzalone; Jim Margolis; Huma Abedin; Dan Schwerin; Ethan Gelber; Joel Benenson; John Podesta; Philippe Reines; Cheryl Mills; Kristina Schake; Jen Palmieri

**Subject:** Re: Elizabeth Warren/HRC Meeting

Huma emailed Mindy this am and I left her a msg.

I told Mindy in my msg I heard it had leaked and wanted to discuss how we want to handle and touch base generally.

On Tue, Feb 17, 2015 at 10:26 AM, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)> wrote:

Have you reached out to Elizabeth's people?

Do you need any help doing that?

What do you plan to say?

Mandy Grunwald  
Grunwald Communications  
[202 973-9400](tel:2029739400)

> On Feb 17, 2015, at 10:21 AM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

>  
> Hi All,  
>  
> The NYT (Jonathan Martin and Maggie Haberman) reached out this morning to tell us that they are aware of a meeting HRC had with Senator Warren at her house back in December. They plan to write imminently, so wanted everyone to be aware that this could pop soon.  
>  
> Nick

From: ["Sandler, Herbert" <hms@sandlerfoundation.org>](mailto:hms@sandlerfoundation.org)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 2/21/2014 12:51:59 PM

Subject: call

When you have a few minutes, can you call me?

From: ["Nick Merrill" <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)  
To: ["Lorella Praeli" <lpraeli@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:lpraeli@hillaryclinton.com)  
Date: 2/28/2016 9:48:50 AM  
Subject: TN, AR, MA | 2.28.2016

2 churches and a coffee shop this morning. I was (and still am) feeling blessed and caffeinated this Sunday afternoon.

Churches were Greater Imani Church and Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church. Imani had about 2000 congregants there, 800 or so at Mississippi Blvd.

She gave a similar speech at each, sort of an abbreviated new stump, did togetherness, mothers of the movement, health care, love and kindness. First one was probably a little better organized, but crowd at each was fired up. Lots of applause and lots of individual cheers.

Left there and flew to Nashville, where we joined Tony Goldwyn and the Mayor Megan Barry for a coffee stop at Fido, near Vanderbilt. The place was packed, she ordered some coffee and took lots of photos, spoke to the owner and his son for awhile. On small thing to note: on the way in Tony asked her what she thought of Trump's David Duke comments this morning. She replied that it was "pathetic" under her breath, which has made a little news (in a good way).

The rally at Meharry Medical college was high-energy. Tony Goldwyn did LONG but solid intro. HRC visited an overflow room with about 400. 800 in the main room. She told the story again about the young, affluent white guy that emailed her after her Harlem speech and said he'd been arrested but through connections his parents made the charges go away. All people must be equal under the law.

Long ropeline and out.

On the plane headed to Arkansas (!!)

On Feb 26, 2016, at 3:07 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Good trip to Georgia.

City hall was packed, with several hundred more in overflow than in the event itself. HRC spoke at both, with Mayor Reed getting everyone fired up. Speech was shorter but pretty standard stump otherwise.

We left and went to the Statehouse which was electric. Who knew there were that many Democrats in Georgia. She addressed the Democratic Caucus and did a short version of her stump that was pretty crisp. She used a line about spending 10 months crafting policies, and while the press may have thought that was boring, she's very proud of it. People loved it. There were no press in the room.

We took many a selfie while wading through throngs of people, with more pouring over the balconies, and headed to Octane coffee shop for an OTR. Usher was going to join us but got stuck in traffic...

Dan Merica asked her if she was jealous that she didn't get Christie's endorsement, to which she responded with a prolonged smile (you could see the gears turning), and then said "Dan, I really like you. I really really like you." They are basically courting each other at this point.

She got one question from local CBS, general about why she's in Georgia. She gave a stock answer about being a good partner if she's lucky enough to win.

In the air headed to Orangeburg now.

On Feb 25, 2016, at 4:16 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Two events and two NBC interviews down, seem to be surviving the day. I even venture to say it's going well.

The town hall in Kingstree was very engaging.  
Stuck largely to remarks:

Senator Sanders wants to take us back on HC.

Hit the GOP, saying they have health care through their jobs so what do they have to worry about.

Schools/Education

Did the SCOTUS piece, including Sandoval:

"Now there's been some talk that the President might nominate the R Gov of NV. I love NV. But I sure hope the President chooses a true progressive that stands up to the values and interests of the people of this country, name-checked voting rights."

*Q&A was strong, covered vets, someone asked about Haley, accusing her of being so focused on being GOP VP that she doesn't care about South Carolinians. Got asked about HIPPY. Forgiveness of debt for enterprise in AfAm communities. Guns, Ukraine, child asked what she would do to stop terrorist attacks in the US, she gave a great answer that ended with her telling the little girl to worry about school and her friends, and HRC would worry about making sure she's safe. Puerto Rico question from a young autistic man- she advocated for them voting and if they choose to become a state allowing them to do so.*

Morning Joe:

Are we seeing a new HRC?

Trust? In it for HRC or people?

Relatability/Jeb/WJC

Transcripts

*Can you guarantee that you didn't say anything problematic?*

*"Absolutely"*

Big banks

*Orderly unwinding under Dodd Frank, there's a roadmap if one starts to fail.*

You won't bail out?

*If they pose a systemic risk, we'll bail them out.*

Elizabeth Warren for VP?

*I don't want to get ahead of myself.*

Super predator, in the expected formulation where Joe basically baited her on the notion that it was silly  
*Did some smiley head nodding in agreement with Joe's SP assessment. Was probably fine but let's keep an eye on.*

Electability

*I've been vetted*

*Hasn't even begun on the others*

*Talked about voter turnout, NV caucus being better for Dem turnout than GOP*

Emails, you say it's partisan, but is it?

Conflation of court fight which are partisan and what DOJ is doing.

Youth/Young women

*She stayed closer than usual to the Teddy formulation:*

*It's Messed up*

*Feel like the system failed them*

*Excited by someone who says well change it all*

*I remember being that age*

*Want to meet people where they are*

*Want to have a real dialogue*

Gridlock

Chuck Todd/MTP Daily

1) Nomination

Not someone who gets ahead of myself.

Got to keep proving it over and over again.

2) Clyburn says you've been more conversational.

- So proud
- Fair observation
- We laid out a lot of policy in the beginning
- I wanted people to know my plans, etc
- Now we have some opportunities to talk about values at stake, breaking down barriers.
- Sense of convergence
- We've laid out the work we want to do.
- Now we can build on that about how we unite the country and have conversations about the future again.

3) Ohio/Bernie NAFTA hit

- Americans are asking who can stop other countries from hurting their workers and do a Manufacturing Renaissance...rest of answer we provided- got in both Ex-Im investments in Ohio and name checked the tire factory that benefitted from the New Markets Tax credit in Sumter.

4) Protestor last night

- Poor choice of words
- Wouldnt' use them today's
- Life's work
- Lifting up children and young people
- Never got the chance they deserved
- School to prison pipeline
- Going to keep being a champion
- Break down the barriers, economic and racism

5) Trump/Supporters are former Trump supporters.

- Too soon to make judgements about this.
- NV Caucuses stat on turnout

6) People say their second choice is Bernie, seems to be an appetite for radical change.

- People are disappointed and feel like they've been let down.

Here at the church in Florence right now and people are FIRED UP. She's using "imagine" to frame the whole speech. Working well.

On Feb 24, 2016, at 6:15 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Started the day with an interview with Joe Madison, she called him on our way to SC Strong in North Charleston.

Opened with a PBS story on the wealth gap growing. She talked about her plans and inequality in general. Follow up was about Obama's hesitancy to have targeted efforts, instead focusing on the all boats rise with the tide notion, so she skipped the Obama piece and talked about Clyburn's 10-20-30 , her own plans.

Then he played Gwen Carr's comments last night, quoted some of her lines including the one about HRC seeking them out, and compared it to Kennedy going to see MLK when he was arrested in Alabama. HRC gave a strong answer about being humbled, being a mother and a grandmother.

Gitmo Q at the end, answer tracked with her statement yesterday.

SC Strong went well. She did some very brief opening remarks, had a couple of the round table participants share their stories, and then we shuffled the press out.

Dropped by the Longshoremen's, she thanked everyone and asked for their vote. Great reception, they were very grateful that she came to the hall.

On the way to the airport we called Rhonda Rawlings for her show.

Rhonda started with minimum wage. HRC stuck to her standard lines, mentioned equal pay, got a follow up on why \$12 and defended it well.

College affordability. She said she think debt free public education is achievable. Covered student debt as well.

Breaking Down Barriers forum with the mothers in Greenville...talked about how amazing it was, then asked about policing. HRC talked about their ability to turn grief into action.

Ended with Obama's legacy.

Alpha Kappa Alpha event went well. She did some of her remarks, some ad libbing. She reprised her town hall Q from last night where she was asked about trust and forgiveness, repeated what she said about the importance of forgiveness and cited Mandela as our greatest example. Worked a rope line at the end for a fair amount of time.

Did two local affiliates before headed off to Sumter. CBS and NBC locals. Talked about the state of the race, why she's in SC, Gitmo, and a quick Q about emails and Benghazi in CBS. NBC asked her about SC, Trust, Trump, Bernie supporters and how to bring them around if she wins, and one interesting question about her unique ability to energize rooms with minorities in them.

We're in Sumter now at Moore College. She's been talking for 45 minutes. Covered it all! Possible impending Q&A...

On Feb 23, 2016, at 9:40 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

## Mothers of the Movement Event

Here's a summary, but for those of you that didn't watch...it was quite something.

She opened by acknowledging Herb Buhl, who she worked with when she was down here working for CDF in the 1960s. Told a funny story about not knowing how to drive a stick shift and him lending her a manual car.

She briefly told the stories of the mothers and the children they lost.

Guns are the leading cause of death among black men, more than the other leading 9 causes of death combined. There was an audible sigh in the audience.

Talked about Gabby Giffords, and the 9 year old girl shot along with the others that day.

No fly list.

Politics are hard, I know that. But sometimes the hard things are sometimes the things that are most important to do. President Obama wants to make guns a voting issue and I agree completely.

Please welcome these remarkable people who are taking this journey on behalf of all of us.

HRC turned it over to the guests.

Sabrina Fulton: "She walked in as a Presidential candidate, walked out as a compassionate mother."

No one took notes for her, she took notes for herself.

Maria Hamilton, mother of Dontre Hamilton, told her story.

Lucia McBath, mother of Jordan Davis.- told her story. I have watched her bring people and countries back into the fold back into the fray, and she has done a good thing.

Gwen Carr- Talked about all the outreach, how HRC came to them. Wondering what the catch was. "There was no catch, she was just genuinely concerned." I endorse her, because she endorsed us first.

Geneva Reed-Veal, Sandra Bland's mom. Did a wonderful rant on the media and how tired she was of them. Go out and vote. We have 9 months to put her in, she's the new baby."There are no secret emails."

Mark Kelly: X percent of children that die from gun violence in the developing world die in the US.

Gabby- Here to talk about Hillary Clinton, who is tough, she is courageous, she will fight to make our families safer. In the WH she will stand up to the gun lobby. Thanks why I'm voting for Hillary. Speaking is difficult for me but come January I want to say these two words...Madame President.

Standing ovation from the room, someone stood up and yelled "Madame President!" Everyone went nuts.

HRC said thanks to everyone, talked about their courage. I hope this is a movement that lasts, and ended to work a rope line.

\*\*\*At the very end, she briefly spoke to Alex Wagner on the rope line who was there with The Circus. I'm not sure it checked the box for us, but they talked briefly about how amazing the mothers were, what a moving

event it was\*\*\*

On Feb 22, 2016, at 2:34 AM, Lorella Praeli <[lpraeli@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:lpraeli@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

HRC met with the United Farm Workers (UFW) and earned their endorsement by the end of the meeting. Julie captured this unexpected moment on video--it was special! We'll be working with UFW to discuss the roll out plan. They've asked their members to hold the news.

- She reiterated her commitment to fight for CIR with a pathway to citizenship; protect and implement DACA and DAPA; and explore other ways to protect undocumented people via executive action ("create new categories").
- She stated support for UFW's legislative proposal to expand overtime pay for farm workers in CA, so overtime is av. after 40 hours/week or 8 hours/day.
- She was asked to help in the dispute between the UFW and CA-based Gerawan Farming. She said she's do everything possible. After the meeting, she had a private conversation with Arturo and expressed caution b/c of campaign.
- She was asked about healthcare for the undocumented community. Stated her support for all undocumented people to be able to buy in the exchange, but acknowledged that most people don't have the resources to afford it. She also said she would work to make the exchanges available to all, including subsidies, but immediately linked it to CIR. Also wants to work with states like CA and the UFW to explore other ways to provide HC
- Re Central American kids, she said government funded legal counsel for UCs and working with El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras to take down drug cartels and build the region.
- She was asked if she would appoint Obama to the SCOTUS. She said he would be a very good candidate, but she wouldn't have that power...and he probably wants a normal life. It was a fun exchange bet. her and the farm workers.

On Sun, Feb 21, 2016 at 7:08 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Just met with the farm workers for an hour here in Palo Alto. Very positive experience. I'll let Lorella expand, but from outside the room there was a lot of clapping and cheering, and chanting of Sí Se Peude.

Two SC radio interviews today:

1) We did a repeat with Cynthia Hardy that ended up being a very brief conversation HRC joined in progress about health disparities in communities of color.

2) She did a slightly tougher but ultimately very strong interview with Judi Gatson of 103.1 KISS FM. She asked HRC about her recent comments on not being in this for herself, and said that some doubt that. The answer was very strong, and invoked a little reflection on sexism. She asked about youth, but the framing was interesting, which was that BdB and Eric Garner's mom endorse, but children of BdB and Eric Garner's sister do not. The other question most of note was Judi observing that she hears people in the community say that HRC embraces Obama only to pander to the AfAm population. Interesting that that broke through, (Stephanie if you talked to her I'd be curious to hear more about how often she's hearing that), HRC's answer was good, she said that Senator Sanders claiming that was offensive, that she nominated him at the convention, campaigned for him, worked for him for 4 years, and that it "affects" her "personally" to hear Sanders and his supporters say that stuff.

Finance event in Atherton was largely uneventful. She did take questions. She dinged Uber when talking about the Kalamazoo shooter, which thrilled many in the audience here in Silicon Valley, I'm sure. No encryption questions.

One more finance event and then we're off to LA to spend the night.

On Feb 20, 2016, at 11:43 AM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:



Good live interview with Univision local this morning. Bernie was supposed to be on right after us but bailed late last night. She did her pitch, talked about immigration, no fireworks.

Left there and dos two back of house visits, Caesars and Harrah's. Bernie was at Harrah's immediately before us, stayed 5 minutes and left. We spent about 25 shaking hands and telling people where to caucus.

Left there and went to 2 caucus sites, the second of which she's working the (long) line at as we speak.

The Bernie folks are definitely here, but our organizers tell us these are very strong locations for us.

On Feb 19, 2016, at 3:42 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We visited the home of Vicki Early, a retired California utility company employee who moved to Nevada to buy her first home, and installed solar panels on the roof, which she could afford with the Public Utility Commission offsets on her fixed income until they got rolled back. She and her boyfriend Tyrone showed HRC the panels in the back yard and told her story. HRC had the press come in closer to listen and then dos brief remarks of her own on the importance of this issue for people like Vicki. Pretty great stuff.

Next we went to Youthbuild, an organization with a Nevada chapter that builds houses for Habitat for Humanity. We walked through a big warehouse where HRC individually met about 15 workers. She was intrigued by how most of them found the place, which was through Craigslist, and probed them on what they were learning and what they wanted to do next. Most wanted to continue in the building trades. She spoke briefly, and invited the Youthbuild and Habitat folks to speak as well.

We've also squeezed in two SC radio interviews. Both went well, talked about the Clyburn's endorsement, support for President Obama, her plans on college affordability.

Headed to the town hall with high school students now.

On Feb 19, 2016, at 1:54 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Women and Families Roundtable:

Very engaging discussion, topics ranged from early childhood education to food deserts to Flint. HRC brought up Flint proactively, and a woman stood up and said that she had family there, appreciated HRC saying that, her work there, and that her assessment was exactly right. Audience was diverse across the board, lots of millennials and lots of young people who work for various NGOs and advocacy groups with a lot of very good questions and passionate comments. At the end HRC commented on her life's work, figuring out how to make difference in people's lives as opposed to promising them the moon, and making sure lives are better when you're done than when you started. Wasn't too hot but poignant and noticeable following 45 minutes of discussing the importance of reading to your children every day.

We're now going to divert course and make a pit stop at a woman's house who has been affected by the Nevada Public Utility Commissions retroactive rate changes on people selling solar back to the grid. Pool is with us.

On Feb 12, 2016, at 4:24 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Woke up in Milwaukee this morning and did a fundraiser at Harbor House. Very pretty setting just outside of downtown on a partially frozen bright blue Lake Michigan. She gave a pretty standard stump, no Qs, and we

headed out.

South Carolina was quite something. Good crowd of about 450/500 at Denmark-Olar Elementary School (home of the Vikings). HRC stuck largely to her remarks and outlined her \$125 billion plan to improve underserved communities, and took questions on just about everything: social security, health care multiple times, body cameras, Flint, homeless vets, Trump, student loans, who she's pick for VP, and a little girl who gave her a drawing that said on it: "I'm not bossy I have leadership skills." It was a very engaged, high-energy affair.

Following the town hall and a long ropeline, we did 2 TV stand ups and a print interview. Discussion in both revolved around race relations, the state of the race, and education, which HRC discussed at length in a dilapidated older locker room with paint people off the walls in the background.

Our print interviewer, Princess Williams, was really impressive. She won an award last year for best student journalist in a college under 5000 students from the South Carolina Press Association. She was nervous but did a great job, asked HRC about education, what we can't do beyond government programs to help level the playing field, attracting young voters, and what life is like off the campaign trail.

We're in the air now headed back north to St. Paul for the Humphrey-Mondale Dinner.

On Tue, Feb 9, 2016 at 12:32 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Two more things to add:

We did a radio interview with Greg and the morning buzz. Like the first local NH hit this morning, it was all about NH and allowed her to talk about how grateful she is to the people here.

Also just did a 10 minute satellite hit with Al Sharpton. They talked about heading to Nevada and her strategy there, he asked her how she would distinguish he civil rights record, then Flint, millennial women, voting rights, and a question about Cruz's comments on Flint and Katrina both being cities with crisis and two very liberal mayors. She didn't engage most of the answer and at the end said "that's not the world I live in, and not the world I'd govern as President."

Strong interview in substance and tone.

Transcripts to follow.

On Tue, Feb 9, 2016 at 9:50 AM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We made an impromptu stop at Dunkin Donuts. Press came in briefly, took some photos of HRC taking some photos, and departed. We stayed and ordered some food, most of which was stolen from us and consumed in the limo as I understand it. We did manage some coffees in the staff van, which was game changing.

Then off to Dover. Another great showing by the organizing team, as well as by Carly Fiorina's husband, who greeted the Secretary enthusiastically. You'd never know his wife calls for HRC's imprisonment on a daily basis.

Just got back to Manchester.

On Feb 9, 2016, at 7:35 AM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Happy Election Day!

We just went to the Ward 10 polling location at Parker Varney School in Manchester.

HRC arrived to volunteers chanting "I believe that she will win!" and worked the crowd. She shook about 75 hands and took lots of photos, and then did an impromptu stand up with the morning show anchors. They asked her about how she's feeling and expectations, she just talked about how excited she was to be out talking to people and her love for New Hampshire.

We took a few more photos and talked to WMUR for a few minutes, which will air at noon.

Now we're in Nashua now headed to another location and on the phone live with Mike Pomp of WTSN radio. Good conversation, she's talking about her experiences up here, basically a perfect Election Day drive time interview.

More to come.

On Feb 8, 2016, at 5:33 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

HRC and WJC stopped by Chez Vachon for breakfast. Nice greasy spoon with a French Canadian twist. HRC and WJC worked the tables, ran into some longtime supporters, took a lot of selfies. President Clinton was excited to see his photo still on the wall from when he visited last.

Dan O'Neil, former Dodd and O'Malley supporter but '92 Clinton supporter joined them for omelettes. Following breakfast, some more selfie-taking ensued as did a conversation with a couple of vets. Restaurant felt overwhelmingly supportive.

We went back to the hotel and taped 6 TV interviews with local and Boston affiliates. Lots about the state of the race here and the weather. Most asked about Warren which she handled well, a couple of transcripts questions and a good exchange with FOX on sexism in politics.

From there we went to Manchester Community College. Crowd of about 1100, she did a few things differently, including calling Bernie out for accepting DSCC money that came in part from Wall Street.

We taped Rachel Maddow after the event. It opened with the staffing question and then covered the waterfront...Flint, trust, attacks, transcripts. We let it go so Rachel would spend more time on the positive which she did.

After Maddow we went to the Velcro factory. She went table to table in their cafeteria which looked like a Johnny Rockets, shaking hands, sometimes sitting down for brief conversations. Press pool got some good stuff.

We're now back at the Radisson waiting to depart for WMUR where we'll do a quick live hit on WMUR, she'll simply make a one minute pitch to voters direct to camera.

On Feb 7, 2016, at 5:29 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Flint was quite moving. When we walked in the church and the water fountains were covered and marked "out of order," all we've read and seen in the news suddenly became much more real.

HRC met with mayor and an usher briefly, and she said that she fight to keep the lights from dimming on this.

The crowd was extraordinarily supportive. Her remarks were brief (12/15) but strong, with powerful response.

Afterwards she took photos, she did a very quick local standup in the sanctuary (all about Flint), met with a group of local pastors and went into the stakeholders/electeds meeting with the mayor.

On the way to the airport we called the editor of the National Newspaper Association, quick 5 minute interview on the importance of Flint and their being many other Flints. Transcript to follow.

Descending back into NH now, going to do an OTR at the Puritan Backroom (!!).

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Buenos Dias! You are invited to the below party at Helene's request. Hope you can make it!



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Thanks Steve. I'll follow up.

On Jul 8, 2015 12:39 PM, "Steve C. Bachar" <[Steve.Bachar@moyewhite.com](mailto:Steve.Bachar@moyewhite.com)> wrote:

Maggie called me this morning and we chatted for about 45 minutes re how they want to be helpful to Sec Clinton. Forgive me for sending this to all, but I don't know exactly where to send this.

A few takeaways:

1. They would like to discuss list swap or list donation of their several hundred thousand names to Sec Clinton's campaign and would like me to be the interlocutor for that. I will take your guidance on how best to accomplish. I should note that Sen Udall already gave his names to Sen Bennet, so if you have access to Michael's list, the Udall list may be unnecessary.
2. They also happy to have Sen Udall engage publicly/email/direct mail to raise money etc for Sec Clinton if desired.
3. They, together and separately, would like to offer their campaign advice for Colorado. I think it worth a call from one of you to them.
4. They, together and separately, would like to be engaged in policy conversations with appropriate Clinton campaign team esp around energy and climate issues.

Please advise re next steps.

Steve

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Two things:

(1) Apparently, DOL did release interesting pay disparity numbers today. See this [WSJ piece](#). I think it would be good to add a line that says, "Yesterday, the US Department of Labor released new data showing that our economy is getting stronger, but that increases in pay for men and women are not growing at the same rate. Men who work full-time saw their pay increase at more than double the rate of women. With more than 2/3rds of our families relying on the income of women to keep their families afloat, this unequal pay growth hurts women, our families and our economy. Equal pay must be a priority if we are going to have a strong economy and strong families."

(2) For the Paul Ryan paragraph, instead of "flexibility," I'd focus that he was asking for a fair and predictable schedule - something that our low-wage workers are desperate to get. So change to:  
Paid family leave; **schedules that are fair and predictable**; higher wages so you don't have to work two jobs to make ends meet, so you can be home at night with your kids – these aren't just challenges for women, they're challenges for America.

On Thu, Oct 22, 2015 at 5:45 PM, Mini Timmaraju <[mtimmaraju@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mtimmaraju@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
Just checked in with Megan. Looks great.

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On Thu, Oct 22, 2015 at 7:29 PM, Megan Rooney <[mrooney@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mrooney@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
Hi all -- this is for tomorrow morning. It really can't be longer than this (there are a million speakers) so please keep that in mind as you read.

If you could send me edits asap, I can get them into the book. Otherwise, send edits anytime tonight and I'll get them into the final.

Thanks!

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10/18/2016



From: ["Rich Sestak, Campaign Director" <info@joesestak.com>](mailto:info@joesestak.com)

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/29/2010 3:55:18 AM

Subject: [New TV Ad] "Endorsements"!



Dear John,

Newspapers in every market in the state agree: Joe Sestak is the best choice for Pennsylvania as its next U.S. Senator!

Our surge continues ... Pennsylvania's 14 major, leading newspapers have voiced their support for Joe!

We've begun broadcasting our new campaign ad, entitled "**Endorsements**".

"Confused by all the Political Ads?  
Nearly Every newspaper in Pennsylvania endorses Joe Sestak  
Admiral Sestak has "the courage needed to be independent"  
*The Inquirer* writes that Sestak has "moderate, reasonable, ideas"  
While Pat Toomey is "allied with the Wall Streeters"  
Toomey "represents the most extreme views"  
Joe Sestak will "fight for the middle-class"  
This Tuesday, Vote for Change  
Vote for Joe Sestak!"



**WE ARE MAKING A MAJOR FUNDRAISING PUSH TODAY** to support this great, new ad!!

**We are asking you to please make an IMMEDIATE contribution of \$5, \$10, \$15, \$25, \$50, \$75, \$100, \$250 -- whatever you are able to afford -- so that we can broadcast "Joe's Newspaper Endorsements" far and wide across Pennsylvania!**

Please understand ... every dollar does make a difference!! There are only 96 hours left to Election Day!!

**We NEED TO GET THIS AD IN GREATER ROTATION to reach the remaining 15% of Pennsylvania voters that are still undecided in this dead-locked Senate race!**

You have been tremendous in supporting Joe ... let's give Joe a big "push-off" for this final weekend of campaigning ... by making a contribution today!! We'll be wiring funds to television stations through-out the day!!

It's "crunch time" ... **"let's bring this race on home** " ... for Pennsylvania and the nation!

Best regards,

10/18/2016

Rich Sestak  
Campaign Director

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To: [allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:allfacultyandstaff@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 10/5/2015 3:20:07 PM

Subject: International Religious Freedom Event w/ Peter Berger , David Brooks, and Ambassador Saperstein, October 8

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John J. DeGioia  
President of Georgetown University

*and the*

Berkley Center for Religion, Peace, and World Affairs' Religious Freedom Project  
*invite students, faculty, and staff to a day-long conference on*

**“International Religious Freedom: Toward a Model of Transatlantic Cooperation”**

*featuring remarks by:*

**Dr. Peter Berger**  
Professor Emeritus of Religion, Sociology and Theology, Boston University

**David Brooks**  
*New York Times* columnist

**Ambassador David Saperstein**  
US Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom

Thursday, October 8, 2015  
9:00 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.  
Copley Formal Lounge

**RSVP Required**

[\*Click here for the full event schedule\*](#)

This event is part of the university's Global Futures Initiative, which is examining “The Global Future of Governance” this semester. New SFS Dean Joel Hellman began the conversation in September, and UN High Commissioner for Refugees António Guterres will deliver an address on October 28. [Visit the Global Futures website for more information.](#)

**From:** "Margolis, Jim" <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com>

**To:** "Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com>

**Date:** 10/19/2015 12:03:46 PM

**Subject:** Re: DRAFT: Intro for HRC at the JJ

Right, I don't want to step on her speech, just set it up.

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**From:** Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>

**Date:** Monday, October 19, 2015 at 3:02 PM

**To:** GMMB GMMB <jim.margolis@gmmb.com>

**Cc:** Megan Rooney <mrooney@hillaryclinton.com>, Speech Drafts <speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com>, Lily Adams <ladam@hillaryclinton.com>

**Subject:** Re: DRAFT: Intro for HRC at the JJ

Agree with Jim, but Jim how much of that do you want in the intro? Seems like that has to be core of speech doesn't it?

Also would not use the line about granddaughter of factory worker. . . She may want that in her speech, right?

Sent from my iPad

On Oct 19, 2015, at 2:27 PM, Margolis, Jim <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com> wrote:

One question, two comments.

Q: Did the drug company actually back down? I thought they were still charging excessive prices...

C 1: i'm feeling like we need more economic pop here. Change the odds for those who've had the odds stacked against them, Reshuffle the deck -- that orientation -- Don't need a lot in the intro, but i think we need a taste

C 2: Should we note she's always been tough enough, strong enough to take on the Republicans?

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**From:** speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com [speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com] on behalf of Megan Rooney [mrooney@hillaryclinton.com]

**Sent:** Monday, October 19, 2015 11:51 AM

**To:** Speech Drafts; Lily Adams

**Subject:** DRAFT: Intro for HRC at the JJ

Hi all -- we've written an intro for HRC for the folks at the JJ. Let me know if you have any objections to this. Lily will send to the JJ people later today.

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Date: 1/7/2015 7:55:13 AM

Subject: 2015 Healthcare Compliance Student Scholarship: Applications due Feb 6

Attachments: 2015 HCCP Scholarship Poster FINAL.pdf

Dear Health Law Colleagues,

***First, a quick note of congratulations to our 2014 Healthcare Compliance Certification Program Student Scholarship recipients, who represented their schools admirably:***

Srishti Miglani – Saint Louis University School of Law

Yesenia Perez – DePaul University College of Law

Also, please note that the application deadline for the **2015 HEALTHCARE COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP** for JD students is **Friday, February 6, 2015**. You and/or your law school should have received a poster last fall detailing the eligibility requirements. I have attached a copy of the scholarship rules to this email, and encourage you to circulate it to your most promising health law students.

2015 scholarship applications may be submitted via email to [HealthLaw@shu.edu](mailto:HealthLaw@shu.edu) , and you can also contact me at 973-642-8190 with any questions.

Up to two scholarships (each a \$2,400 value) will be awarded in 2015 for the Healthcare Compliance Certification Program in Newark, New Jersey, and up to one scholarship (\$2,500 value) will be awarded in 2015 for the Life Sciences Compliance Program in California. Scholarship recipients must be able to attend the U.S. Healthcare Compliance Program taking place June 8-11, 2015, at Seton Hall Law School, or the Life Sciences Compliance Program in February/March 2016, as awarded. *Please note that travel, transportation, and hotel costs are not included. Please also note that for the Life Sciences Compliance Program award, preference will be given to nominees currently attending law school in the Western United States.*

Current JD students who do not receive the scholarship may opt to take the course for two credits (subject to individual school approval).

Many thanks,

**Amy Cattafi, JD**

Director, Healthcare Compliance Certification Program



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"Anita Dunn" <adunn@barackobama.com>  
"Pete Rouse" <prouse@barackobama.com>  
jpodesta@gmail.com  
"Jim Messina" <jmessina@barackobama.com>

**Date:** 11/4/2008 11:55:20 AM

**Subject:** RE: Press Releases tomorrow

**Attachments:** T TranAnncDRAFT -ddp edits.docx

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**From:** Chris Lu  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 04, 2008 6:50 PM  
**To:** Dan Pfeiffer; 'laurasnichols@yahoo.com'; Stephanie Cutter; Anita Dunn; Pete Rouse; 'jpodesta@gmail.com'; Jim Messina  
**Cc:** 'saramlatham@gmail.com'; 'sarahelizabethfeinberg@gmail.com'; 'john.podesta@gmail.com'  
**Subject:** Re: Press Releases tomorrow

I'll fill in all of the names in the AM. Board know their names are going to be disclosed.

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**From:** Dan Pfeiffer  
**To:** 'laurasnichols@yahoo.com'; Stephanie Cutter; Anita Dunn; Pete Rouse; 'jpodesta@gmail.com'; Jim Messina  
**Cc:** 'saramlatham@gmail.com'; 'sarahelizabethfeinberg@gmail.com'; Chris Lu; 'john.podesta@gmail.com'  
**Sent:** Tue Nov 04 18:47:56 2008  
**Subject:** Re: Press Releases tomorrow

Agreed

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**From:** laurasnichols@yahoo.com  
**To:** Dan Pfeiffer; Stephanie Cutter; Anita Dunn; Pete Rouse; jpodesta@gmail.com ; Jim Messina  
**Cc:** Sara Latham ; Sarah Feinberg ; Chris Lu; John Podesta  
**Sent:** Tue Nov 04 18:45:00 2008  
**Subject:** Re: Press Releases tomorrow

Chris giving heads up its coming and I have an extra call napolitano re: really think we shud send them a few tps or instructions re: talking to press. gov is probably the one who has to

Sent via BlackBerry from T-Mobile

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**From:** "Dan Pfeiffer" <dpfeiffer@barackobama.com>  
**Date:** Tue, 4 Nov 2008 18:43:16 -0600  
**To:** <laurasnichols@yahoo.com>; Stephanie Cutter<scutter@barackobama.com>; Anita Dunn<adunn@barackobama.com>; Pete Rouse<prouse@barackobama.com>; <jpodesta@gmail.com>; Jim Messina<jmessina@barackobama.com>  
**CC:** Sara Latham<saramlatham@gmail.com>; Sarah Feinberg<sarahelizabethfeinberg@gmail.com>; Chris Lu<clu@barackobama.com>; John Podesta<john.podesta@gmail.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Press Releases tomorrow  
[We can do it seperately...I am fine either way](#)

[And are we good with having the board in this release? I know laura wanted to make sure they are okay](#)

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**From:** laurasnichols@yahoo.com [mailto:laurasnichols@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 04, 2008 6:39 PM  
**To:** Dan Pfeiffer; Stephanie Cutter; Anita Dunn; Pete Rouse; jpodesta@gmail.com; Jim Messina  
**Cc:** Sara Latham; Sarah Feinberg; Chris Lu; John Podesta  
**Subject:** Re: Press Releases tomorrow

Looping in Lu. No decision on policy - will be a big list if we do.

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**From:** "Dan Pfeiffer" <dpfeiffer@barackobama.com>

**Date:** Tue, 4 Nov 2008 18:24:56 -0600

**To:** laura nichols<laurasnichols@yahoo.com>; Stephanie Cutter<scutter@barackobama.com>; Anita Dunn<adunn@barackobama.com>; Pete Rouse<prouse@barackobama.com>; <jpodesta@gmail.com>; Jim Messina<jmessina@barackobama.com>

**CC:** <saramlatham@gmail.com>; <sarahelizabethfeinberg@gmail.com>

**Subject:** RE: Press Releases tomorrow

We will get this out, it wont be till late morning or midday. Laura: can you fill in some names. And what did we decide in terms of policy people?

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**From:** laura nichols [mailto:laurasnichols@yahoo.com]

**Sent:** Tuesday, November 04, 2008 4:04 PM

**To:** Dan Pfeiffer; Stephanie Cutter; Anita Dunn; Pete Rouse; jpodesta@gmail.com; Jim Messina

**Cc:** saramlatham@gmail.com

**Subject:** Press Releases tomorrow

1. Attached is new draft with a few changes from JDP. incorporates chris lu and dan edits prior.
2. also attached per JDP is a Draft Stand By statement for tomorrow. purpose: get out early on "one President"
3. also, is the all staff conference call still happening in the a.m? , and if so, JDP raises as it would be so public, hopes message crafted in advance.
4. Dan, as you guys are cleared to release this tomorrow, think draft should now stay with you. only stuff hanging is sr press staff and time website going live

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Marguerite Thompson" <margueritethompson@gmail.com>](mailto:margueritethompson@gmail.com)  
Date: 5/31/2015 10:13:50 AM  
Subject: Re: Menu for Friday

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I'm in nyc. Can you talk by phone now?

On May 31, 2015 9:17 AM, "MT" <[margueritethompson@gmail.com](mailto:margueritethompson@gmail.com)> wrote:

Hi John,

Hope you are enjoying the weekend! Do you have time to meet today between 11:15-3pm and we can quickly nail down the menu?

Thanks so much! Marguerite

**From:** "Costa, Kristina" <Kristina\_L\_Costa@who.eop.gov>  
**To:** "Matt Browne" <mbrowne@americanprogress.org>  
john.podesta@gmail.com  
**Date:** 4/8/2015 10:15:31 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Update - Podesta OPED

Tremendous – thanks again, Matt!

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**From:** Matt Browne [mailto:mbrowne@americanprogress.org]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 08, 2015 1:15 PM  
**To:** john.podesta@gmail.com  
**Cc:** Costa, Kristina; Eryn Sepp  
**Subject:** Fwd: Update - Podesta OPED

More good news.

I'll reach out to Scandis now.,

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Moreno Barber. Javier" <JMoreno@elpais.es >  
**Date:** 8 April 2015 13:05:30 GMT-4  
**To:** 'Matt Browne' <mbrowne@americanprogress.org >  
**Subject:** RE: Update - Podesta OPED

Matt: Tages-Anzeiger in Switzerland and Die Welt in Germany are also running the article. I'm waiting just for Tribune de Genève. And no, we don't have yet any member from Netherlands or Scandinavia.

Best,  
Javier

Javier Moreno Barber  
Director



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[JMoreno@elpais.es](mailto:JMoreno@elpais.es)

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**De:** Matt Browne [mailto:mbrowne@americanprogress.org]

**Enviado el:** martes, 07 de abril de 2015 18:14

**Para:** Moreno Barber. Javier

**Asunto:** Re: Update - Podesta OPED

Thanks, Javier -

This is wonderful news.

Do you have connections in UK, Netherlands or Scandinavia. If not, we may send directly to FT or Guardian, NRC Handelsblad and Aftonbladet.

I won't do anything until I hear from you. Many thanks once again.

Matt

Sent from my iPhone

On 7 Apr 2015, at 11:32, "Moreno Barber. Javier" <[JMoreno@elpais.es](mailto:JMoreno@elpais.es)> wrote:

Dear Matt,

I have already secured publication at EL PAÍS, Le Figaro, La Repubblica and Le Soir. Have not yet an answer from Tages-Anzeiger and Tribune de Genève (but I'm convinced they will run it) and have not yet heard either from Die Welt. It won't be the same day though. As soon as I have more details, I'll let you know.  
Best,  
Javier

**Javier Moreno Barber**  
Director

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De: Matt Browne [<mailto:mbrowne@americanprogress.org>]  
Enviado el: martes, 07 de abril de 2015 15:08  
Para: Moreno Barber. Javier  
CC: Kristina Costa; Eryn Sepp  
Asunto: Update - Podesta OPED

Dear Javier -

I trust you had a great Easter.

I wanted to check in and see if you could give us an update on which of LENA's papers are interested in John's article.

If it is proving difficult to place, please do let us know, and I'll try and work directly with some papers where we have direct relationships.

As always, many thanks for your interest and assistance.

Matt

Sent from my iPhone

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Date: 4/17/2015 11:28:21 AM  
Subject: Re: Peter huffman

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Spoke to him  
Can come Sunday if still on

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> On Apr 17, 2015, at 1:49 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:  
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> 858-525-3166  
> peter.huffman@gmail.com  
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> --Sent from my iPad--  
> john.podesta@gmail.com  
> For scheduling: eryl.sepp@gmail.com

From: ["Rumi Verjee" <rverjee@aol.com>](mailto:rverjee@aol.com)  
To: ["Amitabh Desai" <adesai@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:adesai@clintonfoundation.org)  
Date: 8/12/2013 11:56:21 PM  
Subject: Re: progressives network

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hi ami

thank you very much for you kind email. i would like to thank you, Tina and the whole team for an exhilarating, fun and inspiring trip to Africa. the whole team could not have been more kind, helpful and generous hosts.

The Clinton Foundation and its team are wonderful ambassadors of the new America and it is wonderful to witness this.

thank you again.

i think the idea of a global progressives initiative is a very good one especially if it encompasses future leaders too.

i am am available for a call and will fit in on the timing and i am very happy to help from the UK perspective.

my very best wishes  
rumi

On 12 Aug 2013, at 22:44, Amitabh Desai wrote:

Dear Strive and Rumi, following-up on our discussions about progressive African elected officials and the needs/opportunities to cultivate an off-the-record network for them with progressive electeds from the US, Europe, Latin America, Asia, etc., I spoke with Matt Browne who runs a network of progressive electeds in Europe/US, and we agreed it might make sense for us all to discuss the idea further. With that in mind, and copying John Podesta, should we try to convene a conference call later this week or next week, to discuss the possibilities and determine if it makes sense to operationalize this idea? It would be useful to get folks' thoughts on how many / who from Africa would be included, where/when an initial networking meeting like this would be most appropriate/beneficial, how it could be framed for Europeans/Americans/Latin Americans, etc. Hope everyone's well rested. Sincerely, Ami

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Date: 3/7/2016 12:35:34 PM

Subject: Updated Invitation: Weekly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting @ Mon Mar 7, 2016 2:45pm - 3:15pm (john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Weekly Senior Staff Scheduling Meeting

[more details »](#)



Mon Mar 7, 2016 2:45pm – 3:15pm Eastern Time

When

Changed: 772-212-0079 or Conf Room TBD ([map](#) )

Where

[https://plus.google.com/hangouts/\\_/hillaryclinton.com/weekly-senior](https://plus.google.com/hangouts/_/hillaryclinton.com/weekly-senior)

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Date: 2/13/2015 3:07:18 AM  
Subject: Re: Helms Amendment

I don't know when you are done there so I don't want to bug you, but happy to talk when you are able. 202-641-3206. The only time I can't answer today is 1-3:30 because I teach a class at Georgetown Law.

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**From:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Friday, February 6, 2015 at 6:00 PM  
**To:** Jennifer Klein <[jenklein.dc@gmail.com](mailto:jenklein.dc@gmail.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Helms Amendment

Let's talk over the weekend.

On Feb 6, 2015 12:14 PM, "Jennifer Klein" <[jenklein.dc@gmail.com](mailto:jenklein.dc@gmail.com)> wrote:

I wanted to weigh in on a policy issue that I have heard (from the women's health advocates) that the WH is considering. I have also heard that after listening to the strong concerns of the advocates, this may not be going forward, but because I am getting all my information third hand (through Planned Parenthood's reports on their conversations with Tina Tchen), I thought worth sending you a quick email.

The groups have been advocating for changing the Helms Amendment to add exceptions for life of the mother, rape or incest (in other words, to clarify that despite the longstanding interpretation of Helms, while US dollars can't be spent for abortion "as a method of family planning" — these cases are not family planning.) The groups heard recently that the WH was prepared to go forward, but with two notable limitations. First, that any organization with a religious or moral objection would not be required to provide, pay for or refer for abortion. Second, that an organization that does not provide abortion services could not be discriminated against in the solicitation, application or granting of foreign assistance funds.

Both of these pose problems, and in my view, leaving Helms intact is a better alternative at the moment. The conscience clause is at best odd and at worst harmful. Changing Helms would not require grantees to provide abortions at all — it would simply say that US funds can legally be spent in certain limited circumstances (life, rape, incest) and only in countries where abortion is legal. Since there is no affirmative requirement, why introduce the notion of a conscience exception? (One fact I don't have, and can't from outside the government figure out, is what if any conscience exceptions currently exist in US foreign assistance internal policy). In addition, the non-discrimination clause could be problematic. Again, there is no affirmative requirement that these services be offered so organizations that don't provide them don't need a leg up in the application process. (I'd even go one step further to argue that if Helms were amended so that abortions could be paid for in cases of rape, that factor *should* be considered in the application — given the reality that in many parts of the world, the USAID grantee is going to be the only health care available, and in some of those places (e.g., DRC) the availability of abortion in the case of a rape might be important.)

These changes are a problem — as a matter of substance and also as a matter of politics (including for H). As I said, my intelligence suggests that the groups have effectively stopped this from going forward, but I wanted to be sure you are aware. Happy to talk to anyone further about this if it is helpful.

Thanks as always,  
Jen

P.S. Would still love your eyes on the No Ceilings policy agenda. If you are willing, perhaps I should send you the most recent version after Friday?

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/21/2009 12:54:44 PM

Subject: Where we stand

John --

Early this morning, the Senate made history and health reform cleared its most important hurdle yet -- garnering the 60 votes needed to move toward a final vote in that chamber later this week.

This marks the first time in our nation's history that comprehensive health reform has come to this point. And it appears that the American people will soon realize the genuine reform that offers security to those who have health insurance and affordable options to those who do not.

I'm grateful to Senator Harry Reid and every senator who's been working around the clock to make this happen. And I'm grateful to you, and every member of the Organizing for America community, for all the work you have done to make this progress possible.

**After a nearly century-long struggle, we are now on the cusp of making health insurance reform a reality in the United States of America.**

As with any legislation, compromise is part of the process. But I'm pleased that recently added provisions have made this landmark bill even stronger. Between the time when the bill passes and the time when the insurance exchanges get up and running, insurance companies that try to jack up their rates do so at their own peril. Those who hike their prices may be barred from selling plans on the exchanges.

And while insurance companies will be prevented from denying coverage on the basis of pre-existing conditions once the exchanges are open, in the meantime there will be a high-risk pool where people with pre-existing conditions can purchase affordable coverage.

A recent amendment has made these protections even stronger. Insurance companies will now be prohibited from denying coverage to children immediately after this bill passes. There's also explicit language in this bill that will protect a patient's choice of doctor. And small businesses will get additional assistance as well.

These protections are in addition to the ones we've been talking about for some time. No longer will insurance companies be able to drop your coverage if you become sick and no longer will you have to pay unlimited amounts out of your own pocket for treatments that you need.

Under this bill families will save on their premiums; businesses that would see their costs rise if we don't act will save money now and in the future. This bill will strengthen Medicare and extend the life of the program. Because it's paid for and gets rid of waste and inefficiency in our health care system, this will be the largest deficit reduction plan in over a decade.

Finally, this reform will extend coverage to more than 30 million Americans who don't have it.

**These are not small changes. These are big changes. They're fundamental reforms. They will save money. They will save lives.**

And your passion, your work, your organizing helped make all of this possible. Now it's time to finish the job.

Thank you,

President Barack Obama

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To: "Lauren Peterson" <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com>  
Date: 6/30/2015 11:33:14 AM  
Subject: Re: Union Leaders, Members on SCOTUS Grant of Cert in Friedrichs v. CTA

Thanks Lauren and team tweet for playing policy by Twitter with us today! Great tweets and they are already getting get responses.

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 5:32 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
Tweeted!

<https://twitter.com/HillaryClinton/status/616041096167227394>



**Hillary Clinton** ✓  
@HillaryClinton

The ability to organize & bargain collectively  
is a fundamental American right. Proud to  
stand with unions & working families.

#SCOTUS -H



8:30 PM - 30 Jun 2015

(Next up: Puerto Rico)

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 5:54 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
2 feels stronger. We need that going into tomorrow and Robby's mtg.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 30, 2015, at 5:40 PM, Ann O'Leary <aoleary@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I vote for #2, but totally defer to my Political friends - Amanda and Nikki?

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 2:39 PM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
Here are a couple options that fit - let me know what you think?

Our country is stronger when workers have a seat at the table & the right to organize. # SCOTUS should protect collective bargaining. -H

The ability to organize & bargain collectively is a fundamental American right. Proud to stand with unions & working families. # SCOTUS -H

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 5:27 PM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
Good w that.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 30, 2015, at 5:12 PM, Ann O'Leary <aoleary@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

OK - to get Lauren, Katie & Teddy started (12 characters too long):

I stand firmly united behind our unions in their right to organize & bargain collectively for higher wages that reflect the value of their work. # SCOTUS

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 2:09 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
Adding Lauren, Katie & Teddy

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 5:08 PM, Nikki Budzinski <nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:  
I think a tweet could work. It would be very helpful to do today. For the sake of time, I'd take the

tweet.

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On Jun 30, 2015, at 5:02 PM, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Would a tweet not do the trick here?

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 2:04 PM, Amanda Renteria <[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I worry about being talking "fees".

I like staying more at platitudes about what unions have done for workers.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 30, 2015, at 1:50 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Adding Dan.

On Jun 30, 2015, at 1:44 PM, Ann O'Leary <[aoleary@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:aoleary@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

I took a stab at a first draft. COMMS - Can you play with this and send it back around?

Today, the United State Supreme Court announced that next term it will hear the case of *Friedrichs v. California Teachers Association*, which calls into question the right of public sector to collect a "fair share" fee when it bargains for non-union members. These fees ensure that our public sector unions can continue their fight for fair wages and benefits that teachers, nurses, child care workers, EMTs, and so many others deserve who serve our children and our communities day in and day out. These workers deserve to be part of the strong middle class in America and their unions help to make it so. I will be watching this case closely and will be standing firmly united behind our unions in their fight for their right to bargain collectively for the higher wages that reflect the value of their work.

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 9:59 AM, Maya Harris <[mharris@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mharris@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

We support crafting a statement. Key is to stay at high level reaffirming her support for protecting workers' right to organize and perhaps stating hope Court will do the same (think she expressed hope SCOTUS would rule in favor of marriage equality while the case was still pending). But we don't want it to look like she's getting ahead of them (e.g., predicting a bad outcome) since they've just taken the case and we don't know the result.

On Jun 30, 2015, at 11:07 AM, Christina Reynolds

<[creynolds@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:creynolds@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Defer to policy on this—Ann/Maya?

**From:** Amanda Renteria [mailto:[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 30, 2015 11:06 AM

**To:** Nikki Budzinski

**Cc:** Maya Harris; Ann O'Leary; Christina Reynolds; John Podesta; Robby Mook; Brynne Craig; Marlon Marshall

**Subject:** Re: FW: Union Leaders, Members on SCOTUS Grant of Cert in Friedrichs v. CTA

comms/policy - thoughts?

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 11:04 AM, Nikki Budzinski  
<[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Would it be possible to get a statement today? We can use it to bring with us to policy and political meetings with the labor movement we have in DC tomorrow and Thursday. This would be very helpful.

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 10:29 AM, Amanda Renteria  
<[arenteria@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:arenteria@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Agree. This would go along way if she said something about this. She knows this issue well from her briefings, etc. +Policy +Reynolds

On Tue, Jun 30, 2015 at 10:10 AM, Nikki Budzinski  
<[nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nbudzinski@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Below is the statement that public sector unions jointly put out in response to Friedrichs. I'm talking to them about their next steps later today. Nikki

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**PUBLIC SERVICE WORKERS ON SUPREME COURT GRANT  
OF CERT IN *FRIEDRICHS V. CTA***

**Lawsuit Seeks to Curtail Freedom of Firefighters, Teachers,  
Nurses, First-Responders to Stick Together and Advocate for  
Better Public Services, Better Communities**

**Jeopardizes American Promise that Hard Work Leads  
Families to a Decent Life**

WASHINGTON—NEA President Lily Eskelsen García, AFT President Randi Weingarten, CTA President Eric C. Heins, AFSCME President Lee Saunders, and SEIU President Mary Kay Henry issued the following joint statement today in response to U.S. Supreme Court granting cert to *Friedrichs v. California Teachers Association*:

“We are disappointed that at a time when big corporations and the wealthy few are rewriting the rules in their favor, knocking American families and our entire economy off-balance, the Supreme Court has chosen to take a case that threatens the fundamental promise of America—that if you work hard and play by the rules you should be able to provide for your family and live a decent life.

“The Supreme Court is revisiting decisions that have made it possible for people to stick together for a voice at work and in their communities—decisions that have stood for more than 35 years—and that have allowed people to work together for better public services and vibrant communities.

“When people come together in a union, they can help make sure that our communities have jobs that support our families. It means teachers can stand up for their students. First responders can push for critical equipment to protect us. And social workers can advocate effectively for children’s safety.

“America can’t build a strong future if people can’t come together to improve their work and their families’ futures. Moms and dads across the country have been standing up in the thousands to call for higher wages and unions. We hope the Supreme Court heeds their voices.”

And public servants are speaking out, too, about how *Friedrichs v. CTA* would undermine their ability to provide vital services the public depends on. In their own words:

“As a school campus monitor, my job is to be on the front lines to make sure our students are safe. Both parents and students count on me—it’s a responsibility that I take very seriously. It’s important for me to have the right to voice concerns over anything that might impede the safety of my students, and jeopardizing my ability to speak up for them is a risk for everyone.”

—Carol Peek, a school campus security guard from Ventura, Calif.

“I love my students, and I want them to have everything they need to get a high-quality public education. When educators come together, we can speak with the district about class size, about adequate staffing, about the need for counselors, nurses, media specialists and librarians in schools. And we can advocate for better practices that serve our kids. With that collective voice, we can have conversations with the district that we probably wouldn’t be able to have otherwise—and do it while engaging our communities, our parents and our students.”

—Kimberly Colbert, a classroom teacher from St. Paul, Minn.

“As a mental health worker, my colleagues and I see clients who are getting younger and more physical. Every day we do our best work to serve them and keep them safe, but the risk of injury and attack is a sad, scary reality of the job. But if my coworkers and I come together and have a collective voice on the job, we can advocate for better patient care, better training and equipment, and safe staffing levels. This is about all of us. We all deserve safety and dignity on the job, because we work incredibly hard every day and it’s certainly not glamorous.”

—Kelly Druskis-Abreu, a mental health worker from Worcester, Mass.

“Our number one job is to protect at-risk children. Working together, front-line social workers and investigators have raised standards and improved policies that keep kids safe from abuse and neglect. I can’t understand why the Supreme Court would consider a case that could make it harder for us to advocate for the children and families we serve—this work is just too important.”

—Ethel Everett, a child protection worker from Springfield, Mass.

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> On Mar 18, 2015, at 6:13 PM, Matt Browne <mbrowne@americanprogress.org> wrote:  
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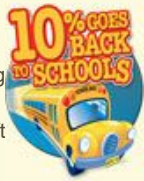
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Date: 12/24/2009 6:16:58 AM

Subject: A historic moment

John --

Although it's Christmas Eve, I wanted to share some exciting news: The Senate just passed a historic health reform bill.

In all the back and forth, it's easy to lose sight of what this incredible breakthrough really means. But consider this: This Christmas, there are millions of Americans without health insurance who risk losing everything if they get sick.

There are mothers and fathers who wonder how they'll provide for their children because an illness has wiped out their savings. There are small business owners who worry that they'll have to lay off a long-time employee because the cost of insurance is rapidly rising.

If we finish the job, all this can change. We will have beaten back the special interests who have for so long perpetuated the status quo. We will have enacted the most important piece of social policy since the Social Security Act in the 1930s, and the most important health reform since Medicare in the 1960s.

In Decembers to come, millions more will have access to affordable coverage. Parents will have the security and stability of knowing their insurance can't be revoked at a moment's notice. And the skyrocketing costs plaguing our small businesses will be brought under control.

When you make calls, write letters, organize, this is the change you're making -- a better life for your family and for men and women in every state.

There is still more to do before I can sign reform into law -- a last round of negotiations and final votes in the Senate and the House -- and I'm counting on your help every step of the way. But for now, I hope that as you celebrate this holiday season, you remember that the work you are doing is making our union more perfect, one step at a time. For that, I am grateful to you.

Merry Christmas and happy holidays,

President Barack Obama

P.S. -- Organizing for America supporters are signing a note of appreciation to all the senators who have worked so hard to make this possible. I hope you'll join them:

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U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Representative:

On behalf of the 3.2 million members of the National Education Association (NEA), we urge you to VOTE NO on H. Con. Res 34 – the FY12 Budget Resolution – scheduled for floor consideration this week. By choosing Wall Street over Main Street, this budget will result in more joblessness for the middle class and more tax breaks for the wealthiest in our country. In fact, according to the Economic Policy Institute, the proposed budget would result in roughly 900,000 jobs lost in 2012 and roughly 1.3 million jobs lost in 2013 -- in an economy already 11 million jobs short of reaching pre-recession unemployment rates. The middle class continues to struggle to find work, pay more for health care, and worry about their children's education and future. Seniors continue to worry about their retirement security. Yet, this budget proposal provides rhetoric rather than solutions.

Attached for your information are several charts comparing the cost of tax cuts for the wealthiest (\$1 trillion over ten years) with that of providing Title I (\$476 billion to fully fund Part A), special education (\$306 billion to meet the federal governments promised level), and Pell Grants (\$544 million to increase the maximum award by \$400 a year) to those in need.

The proposed budget leaves struggling middle class families to fend for themselves. We urge you to:

Oppose this budget proposal

Support the Democratic alternative budget.

**Votes associated with this issue may be included in NEA's Legislative Report Card for the 112<sup>th</sup> Congress.**



Educators understand that Congress must work to ensure America's long-term economic prosperity. And, we recognize that we must address the nation's serious fiscal challenges. However, we do not believe that cutting education funding and slashing programs that serve children, the elderly, and working families is the answer. The sad truth is that this budget proposal is not for the children, the working families, or the seniors. It is for the wealthy. It is a reflection of dangerous choices that threaten our future by devastating whole segments of the population while catering to those least in need of attention and support.

The gap in income growth between the richest and the poorest American families is staggering. According to the Economic Policy Institute, between 1979 and 2005, households at the bottom fifth of the income scale have seen an average, inflation-adjusted income growth of just \$200. Importantly, that does not represent an average annual increase in income of \$200, but rather, an increase of \$200 over the entire 26-year period. By contrast, a small number of households at the top 0.1% of the income scale saw average income growth of almost \$6 million over that same period. This budget proposal will only exacerbate this unacceptable imbalance.

It is unconscionable to expect children, the elderly, the poor, and the disabled to bear the brunt of the pain while sparing the wealthy corporations and greedy CEOs. **The single largest contributing factor to the deficit is the tax cuts enacted under the last administration and renewed in 2010.** It cost our nation \$700 billion to extend the tax cuts for single filers earning over \$200,000 a year and joint filers earning over \$250,000. CBO numbers show that by the end of this decade **well over half of the deficit will have resulted from these tax cuts, and this share will continue to grow after that.**

The increasing erosion of the corporate tax base has brought us to the point today where, measured by either corporate taxes as a percentage of GDP or corporate taxes as a percentage of overall tax revenues, the US ranks substantially below other OECD nations. As many as two out of three US corporations paid zero in federal income taxes over much of the previous decade, according to the GAO. The share of federal revenues coming from corporate taxes has shrunk by two-thirds in the last fifty years. This is seriously undermining our ability to make the necessary investments in education that are sorely needed in order to return our nation to prosperity. We should be looking for ways to increase revenue responsibly and to close tax loopholes that do nothing to strengthen our economy.

For example:

We could raise an estimated \$200 billion in annual additional revenues by ending or reducing the practice of "deferral" that allows corporations to set up mailboxes overseas and to shelter profits.

We could increase revenue by ending the "carried-interest loophole" that allows hedge fund managers to be taxed at the 15 percent capital gains rate rather than their marginal income tax rate.

Investing in education should be a top priority for the budget resolution. Yet, the proposed budget all but ignores proven education programs, and focuses instead on slashing critical student financial aid and funneling taxpayer dollars to private schools. This is shortsighted policy that will jeopardize our students' future and the future strength of our nation. Investing in education makes both good fiscal sense and good public policy. In addition to widespread productivity increases, the higher earnings of educated workers generate higher tax payments at the local, state, and federal levels. Consistent productive employment reduces dependence on public income-transfer programs and all workers, regardless of education level, earn more when there are more college graduates in the labor force. (*Education Pays, The College Board, 2007*).

We strongly oppose provisions in the budget proposal that would undermine efforts to improve education, as well as those that would harm those who can least afford cuts to the programs on which they rely. Specifically, we oppose:

**Cutting non-security discretionary spending below 08 levels and freezing it at that level for five years.** The bulk of the 10-year deficit reduction comes from cutting non-security discretionary spending – a devastating blow to children, working families, and our most vulnerable populations. In fact, function 500 (Education and Training) is cut by \$17.7 billion or more than 18 percent in FY12 and by \$250 billion over 10 years. Our nation's economic strength and future success depend on our ability to innovate, educate, and compete in the global marketplace. Failing to invest when investment is called for is a plan for permanent austerity, not long-term success.

**Dismantling health care for children, the poor, disabled, and elderly by turning Medicaid into a block grant program.** The block grant proposal would cost states and the federal government more money due to cut backs and limits on health care services for Medicaid beneficiaries. It is clear that the proposed changes to Medicaid would put additional pressures on stretched state budgets and would, therefore, have a direct, negative impact on the resources available for students and schools. Heritage Foundation analysis forecasts reductions in federal Medicaid grants to state and local governments of \$966 trillion over ten years, and additional cuts in aid to state and local governments of twice that amount – another \$1.85 trillion over ten years. This **combined revenue loss of \$2.8 trillion will put in extreme jeopardy state and local governments' ability to provide education, health and all services their citizens demand and depend.**

We are also deeply concerned about the impact of this proposal on the students in our schools. Of the 68 million people covered by Medicaid in 2010, half are children under the age of 19, whose families depend on Medicaid for health care coverage. One-third of all children in this country are served by Medicaid. Children who lack access to health care

services are less likely to come to school healthy and ready to learn and to succeed academically.

**Cutting Pell Grants.** Maintaining and increasing Pell Grant awards is critical to ensuring access to higher education. Cutting Pell Grants is not the answer to balancing the budget. It simply restricts access to the higher education so essential for success in today’s economy. Without the federal commitment to student financial aid, there will not be enough educated, skilled Americans to sustain economic recovery or secure our nation's future for the next generation.

**Extending the District of Columbia Voucher Program.** It is wrong to funnel millions of taxpayer dollars to private schools while cutting programs that help millions of students in public schools. The DC program has yielded **no evidence of positive academic impact on the students the program was designed to assist** – those attending schools been designated as needing improvement. The program also has been proven to have no impact on achievement in mathematics, no impact on male students, no impact on students entering the program in the second year of its existence, and no impact on those students who scored in the lower third of baseline reading tests; i.e., those most in need of assistance. (*The Evaluation of the DC Opportunity Scholarship Program: Impacts After Three Years*, <http://ies.ed.gov/ncee/pubs/20094050>).

Vouchers are not real education reform. Pulling 1,200 children out of a system that serves 65,000 doesn’t solve problems – it ignores them. Our focus should be on strategies proven to increase student achievement, such as increasing parental involvement, strengthening teacher training, and reducing class size. And, our goal should be to prepare all students for the jobs of the future, not to allow a few students and parents to choose a private school at taxpayer expense.

**Converting Medicare into a voucher system.** Contrary to the rhetoric surrounding this proposal, beneficiaries would likely find that their voucher would not allow them to purchase a package of benefits comparable to that which Medicare now provides, since traditional Medicare generally pays less to providers and incurs lower administrative expenses than private insurance. In addition, insurers would be allowed to charge older and sicker Medicare beneficiaries higher premiums and would surely attempt to reject enrollees in poor health (who cost much more), as private plans do today in the Medicare Advantage program.

The Democratic alternative offers a different vision for our nation. While freezing non-defense discretionary spending for five years, it will allow for growth in funding for education, research, and innovation, reflecting their importance in promoting job growth. The Democratic alternative will also sustain the maximum Pell grant award at \$5,550. And, it will protect Medicaid and Medicare.

Chairman Ryan’s budget places the burden for addressing the nation’s financial crisis squarely on the shoulders of the middle class and the poor. It runs completely counter to our values as a nation, by failing to take care of those most in need while sparing those at higher income levels. It asks children, working families, elderly, and disabled populations to make greater sacrifices than others. It is time for Congress to stand up and decide what sort of nation we want to be. Are we a nation that sacrifices our children to pay for the excesses of Wall Street? Or, are we a nation that recognizes that investments in the middle class and those who are vulnerable lift us all up and strengthen us as a country?

We urge you to stand up for those whose voices are too often ignored by VOTING NO on this ill-conceived proposal.



Sincerely,



Kim Anderson  
Director of Government Relations

Mary Kusler  
Manager of Federal Advocacy

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A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Ken Anderson'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)  
Date: 2/10/2015 12:47:39 AM  
Subject: Fwd: 2:30pm Wednesday February 11th: Presentation in NYC

Go together?

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From: "Lona Valmore" <[lvalmore@hrcoffice.com](mailto:lvalmore@hrcoffice.com)>  
Date: Feb 10, 2015 6:42 AM  
Subject: 2:30pm Wednesday February 11th: Presentation in NYC  
To: "Marissa Astor" <[marissa.astor@icloud.com](mailto:marissa.astor@icloud.com)>, "John Anzalone" <[john@algpolling.com](mailto:john@algpolling.com)>, "Margolis, Jim" <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)>, "Wendy Clark" <[hellowendyclark@me.com](mailto:hellowendyclark@me.com)>, "Mandy Grunwald" <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>, "Shannon Currie" <[scurrie@bsgco.com](mailto:scurrie@bsgco.com)>, "Mona Thinavongsa" <[Mona@algpolling.com](mailto:Mona@algpolling.com)>, "Robby Mook" <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>, "Teddy Goff" <[teddy.goff@gmail.com](mailto:teddy.goff@gmail.com)>, "Jake Sullivan" <[jake.sullivan@gmail.com](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)>, "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>, "Joanne Laszczych" <[jlascznych@cdmillsgroup.com](mailto:jlascznych@cdmillsgroup.com)>, "Huma Abedin" <[Huma@clintonemail.com](mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com)>, "Sawsan Bay" <[sbay@hrcoffice.com](mailto:sbay@hrcoffice.com)>, "Dan Schwerin" <[dschwerin@hrcoffice.com](mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com)>, "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>, "David Binder" <[David@db-research.com](mailto:David@db-research.com)>  
Cc: "Lona Valmore" <[lvalmore@hrcoffice.com](mailto:lvalmore@hrcoffice.com)>

Hi everyone — your names will be cleared in at the front lobby tomorrow. Please check in at the desk there.

We will have staff to greet and escort up to the 19th Floor for the meeting.

120 West 45th Street, Between 6th & 7th Avenues  
New York, NY 10036

Thank you -- Lona

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[202-365-2934](tel:202-365-2934)

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**From:** Marissa Astor <[marissa.astor@icloud.com](mailto:marissa.astor@icloud.com)>  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 10, 2015 6:31 AM  
**To:** John Anzalone <[john@algpolling.com](mailto:john@algpolling.com)>, "Margolis, Jim" <[Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com](mailto:Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com)>, Wendy Clark <[hellowendyclark@me.com](mailto:hellowendyclark@me.com)>, Mandy Grunwald <[gruncom@aol.com](mailto:gruncom@aol.com)>, Shannon Currie <[scurrie@bsgco.com](mailto:scurrie@bsgco.com)>, Mona Thinavongsa <[Mona@algpolling.com](mailto:Mona@algpolling.com)>, Robby Mook <[robbymook2015@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook2015@gmail.com)>, Teddy Goff <[teddy.goff@gmail.com](mailto:teddy.goff@gmail.com)>, Jake Sullivan <[jake.sullivan@gmail.com](mailto:jake.sullivan@gmail.com)>, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>, Joanne Laszczych <[jlascznych@cdmillsGroup.com](mailto:jlascznych@cdmillsGroup.com)>, Huma Abedin <[Huma@clintonemail.com](mailto:Huma@clintonemail.com)>, "Sawsan Bay (HRC)" <[sbay@hrcoffice.com](mailto:sbay@hrcoffice.com)>, Dan Schwerin <[dschwerin@hrcoffice.com](mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com)>, Jennifer Palmieri <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>, David Binder <[David@db-research.com](mailto:David@db-research.com)>  
**Cc:** Lona Valmore <[lvalmore@hrcoffice.com](mailto:lvalmore@hrcoffice.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Confirmed: Presentation in NYC

Good morning—I am adding Lona Valmore here to provide arrival instructions and logistical details for getting into the building and up to the conference room for Wednesday's meeting.

Thanks,

Marissa

**Manifest**

HRC  
WJC  
CVC  
Huma Abedin  
John Anzalone  
Joel Benenson  
David Binder  
Wendy Clark  
Teddy Goff  
Mandy Grunwald  
Jim Margolis  
Cheryl Mills  
Robby Mook  
Jen Palmieri  
John Podesta  
Dan Schwerin  
Jake Sullivan

From: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

To: "Neera Tanden" <[Ntanden@amprog.org](mailto:Ntanden@amprog.org)>

Date: 3/4/2015 4:52:44 PM

Subject: Fwd: Re: FINAL / Cleared Tweet

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From: "Nick Merrill" <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>

Date: Mar 4, 2015 11:46 PM

Subject: Re: FINAL / Cleared Tweet

To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

Cc: "Cheryl Mills" <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>, "Heather Samuelson" <[Heather.samuelson@gmail.com](mailto:Heather.samuelson@gmail.com)>, "Robby Mook" <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)>, "Philippe Reines" <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>, "Jennifer Palmieri" <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>

I just spit out Diet Coke onto my desk.

We're at 1791.

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**From:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>

**Date:** Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at 11:44 PM

**To:** NSM <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>

**Cc:** Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>, Heather Samuelson <[Heather.samuelson@gmail.com](mailto:Heather.samuelson@gmail.com)>, Robby Mook <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)>, Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>, Jennifer Palmieri <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>

**Subject:** Re: FINAL / Cleared Tweet

Good to know people go to bed with their Twitter decks. Sex must be obsolete.

On Mar 4, 2015 11:39 PM, "Nick Merrill" <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)> wrote:

1000 retweets already.

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**From:** Philippe Reines <[pir@hrcoffice.com](mailto:pir@hrcoffice.com)>

**Date:** Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at 11:38 PM

**To:** NSM <[nmerrill@hrcoffice.com](mailto:nmerrill@hrcoffice.com)>, Jennifer Palmieri <[jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com)>, Robby Mook <[robbymook@gmail.com](mailto:robbymook@gmail.com)>, Heather Samuelson <[Heather.samuelson@gmail.com](mailto:Heather.samuelson@gmail.com)>

**Cc:** John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>, Cheryl Mills <[cheryl.mills@gmail.com](mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com)>

**Subject:** Re: FINAL / Cleared Tweet

Nice work everyone.

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**From:** PIR

**Date:** Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at 11:29 PM

**To:** Nick Merrill, Jennifer Palmieri, Robby Mook, Heather Samuelson

**Cc:** John Podesta, CDM

**Subject:** Re: FINAL / Cleared Tweet

I keep typing 'why' - should be I want the public to see my email. I asked State to release them. They said they will review them for release as soon as possible.

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**From:** PIR

**Date:** Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at 11:28 PM

**To:** Nick Merrill, Jennifer Palmieri, Robby Mook, Heather Samuelson

**Cc:** John Podesta, CDM

**Subject:** FINAL / Cleared Tweet

Nick, John, Cheryl & I just hung up, this is final & cleared with State. HRC approved.  
Please send now:

**I want the public to see my email. I asked State to release them. They said whey will**

**review them for release as soon as possible.**

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To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 11/12/2008 5:27:31 AM  
Subject: Delivery Status Notification (Failure)

This is an automatically generated Delivery Status Notification

Delivery to the following recipient failed permanently:

[jpodesta@centerforamericanprogress.net](mailto:jpodesta@centerforamericanprogress.net)

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| From:    | "Gabe Podesta" <gpodesta@gmail.com>     |
| To:      | "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> |
| Date:    | 1/7/2014 9:36:47 PM                     |
| Subject: | Happy Birthday!!                        |

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Emily Aden" <eaden@hillaryclinton.com>](mailto:eaden@hillaryclinton.com)

To: ["Nick Merrill" <nick.s.merrill@gmail.com>](mailto:nick.s.merrill@gmail.com)

Date: 1/7/2016 2:21:14 PM

Subject: Re: Vanity Fair

Attachments: Vanity Fair Article Coverage Roundup.docx

Document attached showing media coverage since the story dropped. We were not able to identify any TV coverage. Thank you to the media monitoring team for compiling.

On Thu, Jan 7, 2016 at 8:11 PM, Emily Aden <[eaden@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:eaden@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Yes will pull together.

On Thu, Jan 7, 2016 at 8:03 PM, Nick Merrill <[nick.s.merrill@gmail.com](mailto:nick.s.merrill@gmail.com)> wrote:

Research friends, can you guys pull together clips and social related to the piece since its release? I just want to make sure we're right that it hasn't really moved, and isn't about to.

On Jan 5, 2016, at 10:10 PM, Nick Merrill <[nick.s.merrill@gmail.com](mailto:nick.s.merrill@gmail.com)> wrote:

The cover was released today, Megyn Kelly is the cover but the story's headline is on it, which reads "The Huma Factor: Secrets of Hillary's Right Hand Woman."

We have MMFA, CtR, and core surrogates lined up, which we can expand on tomorrow.

As discussed, we don't know what the tone of the piece will be, but I wrote some shell points, below, that we can adapt as needed. Most of this is pulled from things we've said before.

Nick

#### *Surrogate Talking Points for Vanity Fair*

#### *Toplines*

- Vanity Fair is no stranger to provocative, hyperbolic stories, and this is no exception.
- Among the many claims peddled in this story, the recycled claims about someone's faith are outrageous, claims that everyone from John McCain to Marco Rubio have denounced as nonsense.
- It would seem that Vanity Fair has joined the ranks of Donald Trump and Michelle Bachman to slander not a candidate or public official, but a longtime staffer known for her hard work and government service, to sell magazines.
- Huma Abedin, to everyone that knows her, couldn't be more different from the picture painted by those who attack her for partisan gain. She is smart, she's humble, she's graceful, and she works as hard as anyone in politics or government service, where she's spent her entire career. She's exactly the kind of person you want working in government. Which is what makes going after her for things like her maternity leave and her faith all the more reprehensible.

## *Follow Ups*

### *Grassley Investigations*

- Senator Grassley and his staff have made it pretty clear what they are up to. For months they have been making unfounded, irresponsible assertions about Huma's government service while at the Department of State. Their interest only grows the deeper we find ourselves into election season. Not a coincidence, and disappointing that Vanity Fair seems to have bought into it hook, line, and sinker.
- This is someone who has spent nearly two decades in public service, and is widely known for her integrity and tireless work ethic. After the birth of her son, she took maternity leave. The IGs questions about the details of her leave were thoroughly answered. Anything beyond that is the product of partisan leaks with a clear agenda.
- So while this isn't surprising, it is disappointing.

### *Muslim Brotherhood Accusations*

- To perpetuate baseless accusations about someone's faith to sell magazines is reprehensible, and frankly surprising coming from Vanity Fair. For fringe partisans to make these claims is bad enough. But years later, after being denounced by everyone from John McCain to Marco Rubio, for a magazine to pick up and give column inches to this nonsense is as irresponsible as it is baseless.

### *Personal Life*

- Huma's personal life is just that, her personal life. She is a wonderful mother which she balances with a very impressive career. I don't know how she does it all, but she does, with grace and humility.

### *Role in Hillaryland*

- Huma has worked for Hillary Clinton for a long time, and there are a few good reasons for that. She smart, she's humble, and she's multi-faceted. She balances an enormous amount and makes it look easy, which is how she's gone from an assistant to being a part of the senior command of a presidential campaign. She's a valued member of the team, which is why it's all the more upsetting to see people try and get to Hillary by going after her with their partisan agendas.

<image1.jpeg>

From: "[Karen Dunn](#)" <[karen.l.dunn@gmail.com](mailto:karen.l.dunn@gmail.com)>  
To: "[Jake Sullivan](#)" <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 1/13/2016 7:35:46 AM  
Subject: Re: Proposed Agenda for Tomorrow's Debate Prep

Huma -

See below. Is this accomplishable or will it be too weird? Maybe the WJC stuff will come up during this session but if not, better done in a smaller group. Plus, our smaller group may want to meet after this anyhow?

Thanks,

K

On Tue, Jan 12, 2016 at 6:19 PM, Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Good by me.

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From: Ron Klain [mailto:[ron.klain@revolution.com](mailto:ron.klain@revolution.com) ]  
Sent: Tuesday, January 12, 2016 6:00 PM  
To: John Podesta ([john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com) ) <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>; Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>; Jake Sullivan <[jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com)>; Karen Dunn <[karen.l.dunn@gmail.com](mailto:karen.l.dunn@gmail.com)>; Karen Dunn (KDunn@BSFLLP.com) <[KDunn@BSFLLP.com](mailto:KDunn@BSFLLP.com)>; [ha16@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com)  
Subject: Proposed Agenda for Tomorrow's Debate Prep

Karen and I talked, and here is what we would like to propose for tomorrow's session:

### AGENDA

#### Debate Prep – Wednesday January 13

1:00 – 1:30 Discussion of new memo with top contrast points – focusing on key positive and contrast messages for the debate

1:30 – 2:30 "Political" Q & A (Polls, state of the race, emails, trust, etc.)

2:30 – 3:00 Race-related Q & A (Criminal justice, state of black America, poverty, etc.)

3:00 – 4:00 Domestic Q & A (Taxes, plan, health care, social security, economy, etc.)

We would propose to end at 4pm, and then have a small group (the folks on this email, plus Mandy, but probably no one else) go back over with her to her house (for 4-5pm) to:

1. Review the sensitive WJC related questions
2. Wrap up where we stand and how she feels about the political questions and any strategic issues.

The goal would to be in a place where we can mock on Thursday in NYC.

Let us know what you think.

Ron and Karen

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| Date:        | 10/11/2014 12:08:00 AM                                                                                                                                                      |
| Subject:     | Fwd: Conflict of Interest Questionnaire NRDCAF                                                                                                                              |
| Attachments: | NRDCAF Cover Memo to Board of Trustees re Conflict of Interest Disclosures (FY Ended June 30 2014).docx<br>NRDCAF Conflict of Interest Disclosure Questionnaire (FY14).docx |

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Busch, Lisa" <[lbusch@nrdc.org](mailto:lbusch@nrdc.org)>  
Date: October 10, 2014 at 1:30:30 PM EDT  
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Cc: "[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)" <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)>  
Subject: FW: Conflict of Interest Questionnaire NRDCAF

Hello John,

Please see the email below.

Under the Form 990 requirements, we are required to solicit information from both "current" and "former" directors. Current trustees are those who are now in office and those who were in office for any portion of the relevant tax year (i.e. 7/1/13-6/31/14). Former trustees are those that have served within the past five years.

Should you have any questions or concerns please let me know.

Best,  
Lisa

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**From:** Busch, Lisa **On Behalf Of** Petrova, Irina  
**Sent:** Friday, October 10, 2014 11:57 AM  
**To:** Taylor, Heather; Petrova, Irina  
**Cc:** Phipps, Chelsea; Bischof, Emily  
**Subject:** Conflict of Interest Questionnaire NRDCAF

Dear Directors and Staff,

Please review the attached memo and complete the annual conflict of interest disclosure questionnaire **no later than October 24, 2014**. In order to meet the timeline for completion of NRDCAF's financial audit it is imperative that all questionnaires are returned by October 24, 2014.

Many thanks for your prompt attention to this matter and please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any questions.

For those attending the October 16, 2014 board meeting we will have copies of the questionnaire will be available.

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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
["Megan Rouse" <meganrouse@gmail.com>](mailto:meganrouse@gmail.com)  
Date: 6/14/2014 9:13:24 AM  
Subject: Qatar Running

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The base has a perimeter trail run that comes right around 5k. I went out today at 430 pm when the temperature was reported at 109. Surprisingly, the heat wasn't too bad--the gale-force winds are what make it so hard. I think I may stick to the evenings when the temperature drops to the 90s and the wind dies down.

Sent from my iPhone

From: "John Catsimatidis Radio Roundtable" <John\_Catsimatidis\_Radio\_Roundtab@mail.vresp.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 12/14/2014 7:33:07 AM

Subject: I have the former U.S. Attorney General Mike Mukasey on the radio, tune in now on 970 AM Radio



Mike Mukasey was the Attorney General when all this CIA business was going on. Tune in and get the straight story.

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"John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 2/17/2015 4:28:24 PM  
Subject: Redraft of Policy Poll  
Attachments: NATIONAL POLICY POLL 2016 Q REV\_M.docx

Team HRC

Attached you will find a new draft of the policy poll. I appreciate the feedback on the call. Since that call Joel, Robby and I (and our teams) have worked hard to restructure the Policy Poll. You will see a different feel, flow and structure to it. We are really concentrating on core family/small business economic issues and the interplay between the framing and policy needs. We have also stripped some specific policy series on education and taxes that we will get to in future policy polls. Don't worry, we still have those issues in the poll but we just don't drill down as much.

So kick the tires on this draft and please email me, jeff and matt your comments and suggestions. We are sending a Word doc if you would like to use track changes or if not just send an email with your comments. We are reviewing the poll draft with HRC on Thursday so please get us comments by tomorrow at noon. Give it a couple of good reads.

Thanks for all your help.

John Anzalone  
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Date: 11/18/2015 9:25:03 AM  
Subject: connecting

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John,  
I'm connecting you to Sanjay Govil who is runs Infinite, a big diverse tech firm, that has offices all over the world. Sanjay has a lot of insight into the changes in the tech world and is a big supporter of Hillary's. I think you would both enjoy meeting some time you are in DC.

Sanjay, John is the bomb.

Neera

From:

"Stephanie Hannon" <hannon@hillaryclinton.com>

To:

"John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
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Date:

1/6/2016 10:01:46 AM

Subject:

Magic memory





From: ["Barack Obama" <info@barackobama.com>](mailto:info@barackobama.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 9/27/2012 10:40:28 AM

Subject: John, thank you

John --

I want to thank you for all you're doing for this campaign.

If we get to continue this work, it's going to be because of you.

Next week I'm meeting up with President Clinton on the campaign trail, and we both want to thank you in person.

**[Donate \\$5 or whatever you can today to be automatically entered to fly out to join us.](#)**

This Sunday is the biggest fundraising deadline of this campaign so far.

There's no billionaire donor or lobbyist waiting around to write a \$10 million check.

How you respond right now determines if we move into the final stretch of this election with the resources we need, ready to close this out, or if we're struggling to keep up with the other side.

And that's the way it's been from the beginning.

If we had listened to the pundits and the critics and the powers that be inside Washington whenever they tried to stand in our way, we would have given up a long time ago.

You've played a valuable role in moving this campaign forward -- now, I hope you'll help make sure we finish September stronger than we've ever been. Donate \$5 or whatever you can today:

**<https://donate.barackobama.com/Meet-Us-on-the-Trail>**

Thanks,

Barack

P.S. -- If there's one person who knows how hard we need to fight in these final weeks, it's President Clinton. I'm grateful he'll be joining me on the trail. **[You should be there, too.](#)**

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Date: 6/14/2014 3:40:34 PM

Subject: Re: should have asked

Flattered, but no.

On Jun 14, 2014 1:46 PM, "Karen Wilcox" <[KWilcox@imsearch.com](mailto:KWilcox@imsearch.com)> wrote:

| Can't we get YOU to go for NRDC yourself?



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| Date:    | 7/29/2015 3:43:57 AM                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Subject: | Bill McKibbon                                                                                                                                                                                       |

you've probably already heard this but bill McKibbon is trying to organize events outside Hillary events where activists would play dodge ball. Doesn't seem like other folks are joining in but he sent that out on the enviro list serve last night. I am definitely not sure it will actually happen.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Amitabh Desai" <ami@presidentclinton.com>](mailto:ami@presidentclinton.com)  
Date: 9/12/2015 10:30:14 AM  
Subject: Re: Call me?

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Will call tonight

On Saturday, September 12, 2015, Amitabh Desai <[ami@presidentclinton.com](mailto:ami@presidentclinton.com)> wrote:

About Cuba. Big question for you.

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Thanks.

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[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 10/23/2008 4:22:01 AM

Subject: Engagement memo

I gave a draft memo to Dan yesterday. Larry and he want to make some edits so I am waiting for a revised version from them.

Any update on decisions relating to a transition director?

Thanks.

From: ["Danielle Brian" <danielle@pogo.org>](mailto:danielle@pogo.org)  
To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 12/28/2015 4:31:39 AM  
Subject: Getting results



Dear John,

For more than three decades, POGO has played a vital role in achieving a more effective, accountable, open, and ethical federal government. This year was no exception. As 2015 draws to a close, I want to share with you a few of our successful investigations this year:

- Revealing mass misconduct by federal prosecutors: We discovered that hundreds of federal prosecutors and other Department of Justice employees violated rules, laws, and ethical standards from 2002-13.
- Playing a major role in the introduction of the VA Patient Protection Act of 2015: Based on our testimony, Senators Mark Kirk (R-IL) and Richard Blumenthal (D-CT) introduced a bipartisan bill that would improve how whistleblower complaints at the VA are addressed, and perhaps more importantly, how those who retaliate against VA whistleblowers are punished.
- Removing people who abused power and thwarting a flawed nominee: As a result of POGO investigations, there were consequences for people who failed to effectively serve taxpayers:
  - Air Force General James Post was removed from command for accusing A-10 whistleblowers of committing "treason";
  - Ineffective Inspectors General at Commerce, the Department of Defense, and the Department of Veterans Affairs resigned; and
  - The White House withdrew the nomination of Wall Street banker Antonio Weiss for the third most powerful position at the Treasury Department after POGO discovered a \$21 million payout.
- Holding the Air Force's feet to the fire on its skewed weapons systems priorities: We continued to expose significant deficiencies in the \$1.4 trillion F-35 program—the most expensive acquisition program in the Pentagon's history and one of the most egregious cases of government waste—and worked with Congress to defeat the Air Force's attempt to retire the A-10.
- Raising questions about the quality of FDA oversight: One day after POGO reported on problems with the FDA's handling of the blood thinner Pradaxa, including approving the drug in the absence of an antidote that could stop patients from bleeding uncontrollably, the FDA approved an antidote and declared it "medically necessary"; later, the FDA said it was reviewing the matter, and the FDA's European counterpart said it was investigating whether the trial was compromised; and because of POGO's work on a similar blood thinner, Xarelto, The New York Times cited POGO in an editorial questioning President Obama's nominee to lead the FDA because of his role in helping oversee that trial.

Your support gives us the ability to take on investigations like these to **expose government corruption and waste**. We look forward to continuing the work in 2016 and beyond.

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Warmly,



Danielle Brian  
Executive Director



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To: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
Date: 8/19/2015 4:21:31 AM  
Subject: Re: VA Q&A

In addition to the Q&A Laura sent, here's what she said in her topper at the Nevada vets event in late June:

Later as a Senator on the Armed Services Committee, I worked very hard to help our vets and our military families in the era of Iraq and Afghanistan, working especially on traumatic brain injury, predatory lending, expanding healthcare to National Guard and reserves, and much else.

So I'm looking to see where we are today in our minds, what you see happening. So I want to ask you, and when sit down, what will it take to transform the VA to make it work for our veterans today and in the future? What happened in Phoenix and elsewhere is absolutely unacceptable, period. And we need to know from the vets what will fix the problems that we have on -- (cheers/applause).

And I don't care where you live, no vet should have to wait in line for weeks or months to get the care you earned with your service. (Cheers/applause.) Not in cities like Reno, or Las Vegas, not in small towns, not in Indian country, our priority should be transforming the VA so that it serves all our veterans and gives them access to state of the art care, whether it's for cancer or prosthetics or mental health.

We have learned that privatization and outsourcing is not a magic solution for anything, let alone when it comes to the unique obligations we have to our vets. So I do oppose blanket privatization proposals because sometimes it seems as though the people pushing them don't understand the needs of vets. But I do believe choice should be part of the solution. And if we let the VA work more with communities while preserving what it does best, serving veterans and their unique needs, perhaps we can get better care faster to more vets.

We also have to make sure that the VA is equipped to serve the needs of an increasing diverse community, including women like you. (Cheers/applause.) And it wasn't a problem when my father was in the Navy and now we need to deal with our vets who they are, every person who is willing to sign up to serve America. And because it's so important to this generation of veterans we have to expand and strengthen access to the VA's world class expertise on PTSD and traumatic brain injury, and prosthetics.

Most of private medicine does not have the expertise in those three areas. I'm very proud of the pioneering work that our military and VA medical experts have done, but it's not reaching enough people and it's not as available as it should be for everyone who needs it. And let's make sure that veterans, especially our younger veterans, have access to mental health services. The number of veterans of all ages who commit suicide every year is heartbreaking.

Now I am really encouraged that this was the focus of one of the few real bipartisan pieces of legislation passed by Congress. But, that's just the start of what has to be a major ongoing effort that involves not just the VA but entire communities. I have to tell you that part of what I've learned in my campaign so far is how important two issues are and it's not just about vets, it's about everybody, but today I'm focused on vets, substance abuse and untreated mental health problems. (Applause.)

I believe it is way past time that we understand mental health issues are medical issues. (Cheers/applause.) And we have to start treating that as we treat bodily problems, because after all that is what we are learning from genetics and research they are. When something happens to you in a traumatic situation that manifests itself in the way your body works and responds and the way you emotionally and psychologically respond. There should be no stigma to getting help. (Applause.) And I think the more we can say that to everyone the faster we will get more help to everyone.

Milia Fisher  
(858) 395-1741

On Aug 19, 2015, at 11:16 AM, Milia Fisher <[mfisher@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mfisher@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

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Is this along the lines of what you're looking for? Can search for more if need be

What would you do as President to fix the VA?

- We have an obligation to support our veterans when they come home, especially those who need health care for physical or mental health conditions that relate to their service.
- The VA provides great care to veterans – and it has unique, world-class expertise in crucial areas like PTSD and TBI – but only once you get through the door. We need to do a much better job of making sure every veteran has access to timely, quality care. And we need accountability when we fail to deliver that.
- The GOP candidates have talked a lot about how they would privatize the VA. Privatization is not the answer. Quality care for our veterans is the answer.

As part of that effort, should we give our veterans more choice – through an expanded voucher program or otherwise – about where they get treatment?

- Choice should be part of the solution, if it helps the VA work more with communities while preserving what it does best, continuing to develop unique expertise in areas like veterans' mental health, and getting better care faster to more vets.
- But choice does not mean privatization or outsourcing, which are not a magic solution for anything, let alone when it comes to the unique obligation we have to our veterans. Privatization proposals that would chop up the VA, like the ones we're hearing from Republican candidates, would not be good for our veterans or their families.

Can the VA – or any federal agency – run a health care system? Wouldn't this be better left to the private sector to do? Why can't the VA just buy veterans a health insurance card and let them go see their doctor?

- Government has an important role to play in health care for veterans.
- The VA serves many of these roles as health care provider, innovator on things like the electronic health record, training grounds for the nation's doctors and nurses, and sponsor of research on diseases such as PTSD and prosthetics care.
- Outsourcing veterans care to the private sector will not solve the problems of access or quality; the private sector struggles with those issues too. We must instead build a better system of care for veterans that integrates community resources, VA resources, and private sector resources, to provide timely care to veterans where they live, and gives them the best outcomes possible.

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| Subject:     | Fwd: Working Draft of Saturday, February 13th                                                |
| Attachments: | February.13.2016 FINAL DRAFT.docx                                                            |

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Subject: Working Draft of Saturday, February 13th  
To: Daily Draft Schedule <dailydraftschedule@hillaryclinton.com >

**PREV RON** Las Vegas, NV

8:45 am        **DEPART** Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas  
  
                 En route OTR  
  
                 [drive time: 15 minutes]

9:00 am        **ARRIVE** OTR

9:00 am        **OTR**

9:30 am        Las Vegas, NV  
                 **CLOSED PRESS (+DIGITAL)**

9:30 am        **DEPART** OTR  
  
                 En route OTR  
  
                 [drive time: 15 minutes]

9:45 am        **ARRIVE** OTR

9:45 am        **COFFEE w/AFRICAN AMERICAN WOMEN COMMUNITY LEADERS**

10:45 am       Tbd Las Vegas, NV  
                 **POOL SPRAY AT TOP OF COFFEE (+DIGITAL)**

10:45 am       **DEPART** OTR  
  
                 En route Painter’s Hall  
  
                 [drive time: 30 minutes]



11:15 am      **ARRIVE** Painter's Hall

11:15 am      **REMARKS TO NEVADA CANVASS KICK-OFF**

11:45 am      Painter's Hall

1701 Whitney Mesa Drive  
Henderson, NV 89014  
Site Lead: Jake Strother, Cell [870-421-4694](tel:870-421-4694)  
Site Contact: Jack Mallory, Cell 702-493-6941  
Call Time: 9:30am

**OPEN PRESS (+DIGITAL)**

Note: Approximately 500 attendees.

- Upon arrival, HRC proceeds to painter's hall backstage.
- Video plays and VOG introduces HRC to stage.
- HRC delivers remarks (15 minutes in length) with a wireless, handheld microphone.
- HRC works a rope line, left to right, and proceeds to the kitchen for greet with Labor Presidents.

11:45 pm      **GREET w/LABOR PRESIDENTS**

12:00 pm      Kitchen  
Painter's Hall

1701 Whitney Mesa Drive  
Henderson, NV 89014  
Site Lead: Jake Strother, Cell [870-421-4694](tel:870-421-4694)  
Site Contact: Jack Mallory, Cell 702-493-6941

**CLOSED PRESS (+DIGITAL)**

Note: Approximately Tbd attendees.

- HRC mixes and mingles with labor presidents, as time permits, and proceeds to Tbd to hold.

12:00 pm      **HOLD**

12:15 pm      Room Tbd  
Painter's Hall

12:15 pm      **TAPED LOCAL TELEVISION INTERVIEW w/RALSTON REPORTS OF 12:30 pm LAS VEGAS PBS**

Room Tbd  
Painter's Hall

1701 Whitney Mesa Drive

Henderson, NV 89014  
Site Lead: Jake Strother, Cell [870-421-4694](tel:870-421-4694)  
Site Contact: Jack Mallory, Cell 702-493-6941

Note: Local taped television interview, approximately 10 minutes in length, to air Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup>.

12:30 pm     **DEPART** Painter’s Hall

En route OTR

[drive time: 30 minutes]

12:30 pm     **PHONE CALL w/NATIONAL SUPPORTERS, DONORS AND**  
1:00 pm     **VOLUNTEERS**

En route OTR

Staff: HFA Digital Organizing Director Jess Morales Rocketto & HFA Digital Director Katie Dowd

Number: Tbd

Note: Approximately 5,000 attendees.

- Marlon Marshall speaks and introduces HRC.
- HRC delivers remarks (5-7 minutes in length) and pass the phone to Jess Morales Rocketto and disconnects.

1:00 pm     **ARRIVE** OTR

1:00 pm     **OTR w/ASSEMBLYMAN EDGAR FLORES**

1:30 pm     Las Vegas, NV  
**POOL PRESS (+DIGITAL)**

1:30 pm     **DEPART** OTR

En route McCarran International Airport

[drive time: 15 minutes]

1:45 pm     **ARRIVE** McCarran International Airport

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Site Contact: Anita

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Contact: Denver Jet Center, Office [303-790-4321](#)
- 5:15 pm

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En route Sheraton Denver Downtown

[drive time: 30 minutes]
- 5:45 pm

**ARRIVE** Sheraton Denver Downtown
- 5:45 pm

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- 6;30 pm

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1550 Court Place

Denver, CO 80202

Call Time: 4:30pm

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Site Contact: Tbd

Call Time: tbd

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- 6:30 pm

**COLORADO PARTY DONOR VIP RECEPTION**
- 7:15 pm

Sheraton Denver Downtown

1550 Court Place

Denver, CO 80202

Call Time: 4:30pm

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Site Contact: Tbd

Call Time: 4:00pm

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Note: Approximately 275 attendees.

- HRC proceeds to the Governors Hallway for remarks.
- HRC delivers remarks (3-5 minutes in length) with a wireless, handheld microphone (275).
- HRC proceeds to Governor's Room 15 for photo line with Colorado Democratic Party donors (75 clicks, 200 attendees).
- HRC proceeds backstage.

7:15 pm **COLORADO DEMOCRATS 83RD ANNUAL DINNER**

8:30 pm Sheraton Denver Downtown

1550 Court Place

Denver, CO 80202

Call Time: 4:30pm

Site Lead: Frank So, Cell [202-468-2326](tel:202-468-2326) , [frank.so@gmail.com](mailto:frank.so@gmail.com)

Site Contact: Tbd

Call Time: 4:00pm

**OPEN PRESS (+DIGITAL)**

Note: Approximately 1600 attendees.

- At 7:15pm, Rick Palacio introduces HRC.
- At 7:20pm, HRC delivers remarks (30 minutes in length) at a podium with a teleprompter.
- HRC has the option to proceed to a table (T).
- Rick Palacio introduces Senator Bernie Sanders.
- Senator Bernie Sanders delivers remarks (30 minutes in length).
- HRC departs.

8:30 pm **DEPART** Sheraton Denver Downtown

En route Centennial Airport

[drive time: 30 minutes]

9:00 pm **ARRIVE** Centennial Airport

Contact: Denver Jet Center, Office [303-790-4321](tel:303-790-4321)

9:15 pm **DEPART** Centennial Airport

En route McCarran International Airport

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En route Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas

[drive time: 15 minutes]

10:00 pm

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Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas

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WJC RON

Las Vegas, NV

Weather

Las Vegas, NV: Partly sunny and warm, 74/44.

Denver, CO: Mild with sunshine and patchy clouds, 63/36.

HRC & WJC RON

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| To:          | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">"John Podesta" &lt;john.podesta@gmail.com&gt;</a>    |
| Date:        | 10/20/2008 10:56:22 AM                                                                       |
| Subject:     | Sandlers                                                                                     |
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John,

Here is the letter we spoke about for Herb and Marion Sandler. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Mary Pat

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)  
To: ["Anna James" <aj66@nyu.edu>](mailto:aj66@nyu.edu)  
Date: 11/10/2011 10:28:41 PM  
Subject: Re: Executive Staff Meeting/Call with John Podesta

Thanks Chelsea. We are just in Beijing. Mattie and I became friends when she was at Georgetown and then she worked at CAP. I thought I saw her at your Grandmother's service, but didn't get to say hi. I'll ck to see if she might just happen to be in Beijing next week.

On Thu, Nov 10, 2011 at 9:18 PM, Anna James <aj66@nyu.edu> wrote:

> Sounds good, thank you John. On the plane back now - I love gogo inflight.  
> Not sure if you're going to Shanghai - one of my friends from college whom I  
> think you know Mattie Johnstone lives their with her husband - she's amazing  
> and brilliant - and speaks Mandarin like a native (so natives tell me) and I  
> am sure would be more than happy to help provide any thoughts or guidance.  
> She lived in Beijing for many years too so could help on that front as well  
> as elsewhere I would imagine given how much she has traveled internally. I  
> would be happy to put you two in touch if that would be of interest. Not a  
> worry at all if not.  
> Thank you again for all your help.  
> Chelsea

>  
>  
> On Thu, Nov 10, 2011 at 8:46 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
> wrote:

>>  
>> Sounds good. I'm off to China on Sunday. Back on Friday. if I get  
>> any info from the other end of that conversation before I go, I'll  
>> call. Otherwise I'll talk to you when I return.

>>  
>> On Thu, Nov 10, 2011 at 10:09 AM, Anna James <aj66@nyu.edu> wrote:  
>> > Thank you John. Terry McCauliffe convinced my father to spend a few  
>> > hours  
>> > with Doug and Justin last night in advance of their trip to China. My  
>> > father  
>> > said he listened to them calmly and kept repeating a few things 1) that  
>> > we  
>> > should not make any decisions until we had the report - written and  
>> > verbal -  
>> > from Victoria et al, 2) reminding them they had agreed to a corporate  
>> > audit  
>> > to help professionalize the Foundation, 3) one thing all should be  
>> > thinking  
>> > about is what a strong COO would look like because everyone knew the  
>> > Foundation would need that; 4) and that my only objectives were to help  
>> > to  
>> > take stock, professionalize the Foundation, build it for the future and  
>> > build it in such a way that supported his work and mom's (Doug  
>> > apparently  
>> > kept telling my dad I was trying to push him out, take over - and Dad  
>> > kept  
>> > asking him - has she said that to you? To anyone? She's never said it to  
>> > me  
>> > and I think she's been very clear and consistent in her goals, etc.).  
>> > Doug



>> > kept saying how could you not be grateful - so my father said he was  
>> > grateful, and then kept repeating the above.  
>> > I do think we need to wait to finish the process - which as I reminded  
>> > my  
>> > father has been happening for less than a month - until any options are  
>> > codified re: structure, borders & boundaries, people, etc., much less  
>> > decisions are made. We need to know where we really are, what has  
>> > happened  
>> > and hasn't happened and where gaps exist as diagnosed by Victoria and  
>> > her  
>> > team - as well as their thoughts on how to fill them. All of which I  
>> > shared  
>> > with my Dad.  
>> > I am in SF for a board meeting today and then flying back this evening  
>> > if  
>> > you want to connect at all. I will also update Cheryl re: above and my  
>> > Dad  
>> > said he would call Victoria and Jennifer.  
>> > Thanks John.  
>> > On Thu, Nov 10, 2011 at 9:57 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
>> > wrote:  
>> >>  
>> >> For information purposes only. Let me know if you have any questions.  
>> >>  
>> >>  
>> >> ----- Forwarded message -----  
>> >> From: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>  
>> >> Date: Thu, Nov 10, 2011 at 9:55 AM  
>> >> Subject: Re: Executive Staff Meeting/Call with John Podesta  
>> >> To: Ana Maria Coronel <acoronel@clintonfoundation.org>  
>> >> Cc: Andrew Kessel <akessel@clintonfoundation.org>, Doug Band - PC  
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>> >> <bnoland@clintonfoundation.org>  
>> >>  
>> >>  
>> >> Spent an hour with Bruce yesterday. He's doing well; lots of therapy;  
>> >> he and Halle will head to Little Rock just before Thanksgiving.  
>> >>  
>> >> We went over a number of items we discussed in our Monday meeting.  
>> >> Here are a few follow up items in no order of priority:  
>> >> 1) we discussed Bloomberg funding--I'll follow up with Patty Harris  
>> >> 2) he thinks he executed the Streisand grant agreement--I'll check in  
>> >> with Margie Tabankin  
>> >> 3) discussed Pritzker cgi america funding Valerie should follow up  
>> >> with JB and secure the commitment.  
>> >> 4) DLC--he thinks Tisdale is reviewing any filings including 990's  
>> >> that need to be made. Andy, will you follow up with John?  
>> >> 5) he's copasetic on Water St real estate.  
>> >> 6) thought he could participate in cgi post-Thanksgiving follow up  
>> >> meeting by phone.  
>> >> 7) decision about possible Addis trip in December needs to be made. He

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>

Date: 6/2/2015 1:29:59 PM

Subject: John in Brooklyn

Don't worry, America. We got this covered.



From: [SportsAuthority.com](#) <[SportsAuthority.com@em.sportsauthority.com](mailto:SportsAuthority.com@em.sportsauthority.com)>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

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From: "Sara Latham" <slatham@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Milia Fisher" <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 2/10/2016 2:08:06 PM

Subject: Re: FOR FEEDBACK: Vegas/Reno Schedule

alternatively

Saturday - skip the Vegas Labor /canvass launch, take earlier flight to Reno, Bobzien is available from 12pm - we move up the clean energy event ?

We have just confirmed that we're asking WJC to be in NV on Sunday.

On Wed, Feb 10, 2016 at 9:00 PM, Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

John- The NV team is 99% positive that they would like YOU to do the two labor kickoff events Saturday morning in Vegas in place of HRC (they're still figuring out what exactly HRC is going to do instead).

On Saturday afternoon they have a request in for YOU to do a clean energy event in Reno with Reno City Councilman David Bobzien, one of the leading conservationists/energy advocates in the state. Full details on that event below from Michelle White.

I did not want to confirm the Bobzien clean energy event without your approval because I know you are trying to get to Truckee at a reasonable hour.

*Schedule outline below. Let me know your thoughts.*

Briefings-- They are not yet finished but Michelle is going to power through them tonight. Since you don't have to leave until later tomorrow morning (flight departing HPN at 12:00 pm) do you think that I could bring you the binder in the early AM? I'm worried that it won't be finished until after you're asleep tonight.

Speaking-- We will have to work on remarks for these events as well. Once I have the full details on format, audience, etc. I will work on those with Nikki, Michelle, and KLC/the climate team tomorrow.

#### FRIDAY:

1:00 PM Strategic Mtg w/ Union Presidents (Las Vegas)  
3:00 PM

4:00 PM Billy Vassiliadis Mtg. (Las Vegas)  
5:00 PM

9:30 PM GOTC Nevada Call

RON LAS VEGAS

#### SATURDAY:

8:15 AM Laborer launch (Las Vegas)

10:00 AM Labor Presidents labor launch (Las Vegas)

*ALSO: Kevin de Leon meeting req (hard to fit in if we do both labor events)*

12:40 PM Southwest Flight LAS-RNO (this is booked, but we can change it)  
2:00 PM

3:00 PM ASK: Bobzien Clean Energy Event (Reno)  
4:00 PM

#### BACKGROUND ON BOBZIEN EVENT:

Reno City Councilman David Bobzien is available to do an event with JP after 12p on Saturday. He is a HUGEEEE JP fan and one of the leading conservationists/energy advocates in the state.

We got word that Bernie will be in Reno on Saturday as well and he plans on sitting down with solar workers who lost their jobs due to the net-metering decision in NV (it's really, really wonky). Bernie's event is not yet public, and I think we have a chance to get ahead of him on this, without diving too deep into a very wonky, complicated state issue.

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Bobzien suggested that since our campaign probably doesn't want to get too in the weeds of this very specific state issue anyways, we could make it a meeting about energy and conservation in general, and focus on things like the recent SCOTUS decision to temporarily block Obama's effort to combat climate change by regulating emissions from coal-fired power plants. Other topics will include how to create a grid for the 21st century. He is also willing to discuss public land conservation if we want to.

He said even if we make it a more of a general meeting about energy, we all know that the net-metering issue will come up and can all be prepared and probably still get some attention for it.

I think this is a great opportunity to sway some people in the north to Hillary, get some positive coverage, and get ahead of the solar/clean energy issue before Bernie.

For background: Bobzien has not been too out front on the net-metering issue in NV. He thinks what NV Energy and the PUC is doing is wrong, but needs to be cautious in how he approaches it. He said he is very capable of navigating the issue if it comes up and typically sticks to the talking points that we need to do what we can as a state to move towards a clean energy 21st century. He is incredible on these issues and we don't feel any hesitation.

*Approx 20 people; open press*

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Date: 2/4/2016 3:23:17 PM

Subject: Re: HRC and DMR

+ Tony whose team should check my facts as well aside from the delegate math

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Lily Adams

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On Feb 4, 2016, at 10:03 PM, Teddy Goff <[tgoff@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tgoff@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+ JFerg if we wanna move this to tipsheets

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 11:01 PM, Lily Adams <[ladams@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ladams@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Great - JP/CR, once one of you all are good then Teddy's team can post.

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 10:00 PM, Robby Mook <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Ditto

On Feb 4, 2016, at 10:58 PM, Teddy Goff <[tgoff@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tgoff@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+ Rob to proof and post once this is locked. I think it's great.

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 10:56 PM, Troy Price <[tprice@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tprice@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Love it. Let me know when it's out and I will send around to our endorsers/influencers.

Troy

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On Feb 4, 2016, at 9:23 PM, Elias, Marc (Perkins Coie) <[MElias@perkinscoie.com](mailto:MElias@perkinscoie.com)> wrote:

Excellent.

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On Feb 4, 2016, at 10:15 PM, Matt Paul <[mpaul@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:mpaul@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+ Troy

This is really strong.

On Thursday, February 4, 2016, Lily Adams <[ladams@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:ladams@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

This has some suggestions from Reynolds but wanted to get it to the full group since she's in debate mode. we still havent heard from the IDP on what the specific 11 precincts are. the math is what they gave us so we havent been able to double check.

#### Draft Medium Post on Iowa

There's been even more bluster than usual from the Sanders campaign, this time in an effort to disqualify Hillary Clinton's historic victory in Monday night's Iowa caucus.

Disparaging good news for Hillary Clinton has become a pattern for the Sanders camp. If you support someone else? You're dismissed as part of the "[establishment](#)," unless of course they want to [claim your support in ads](#) anyways. If a process doesn't go their way? It's invalid or flawed or they blame the Iowans who ran it.

In Iowa, the Sanders camp started floating conspiracy theories leading up to the caucus. First, it was two weeks ago when they posited that [Microsoft](#) might steal the caucus from them. Now that the caucus is over, they are calling into question the results that were reported by everyday [Iowans](#).

Hillary Clinton won the Iowa caucus with incredibly high turnout - a level of turnout the Sanders camp claimed would earn them a win. It was a close contest and a hard fought campaign. But Hillary won. And once it became apparent that they had lost, the Bernie Sanders campaign began to peddle frivolous claims that have been disproven in an effort to poison an otherwise historic night for Hillary Clinton, our supporters, and volunteers.

Remember coin flip-gate where people claimed Hillary won all the coin tosses? Turns out that [wasn't true](#). In fact, according to the official count, Sen. Sanders won more coin tosses than Hillary Clinton.

Or how about the "90 precincts" with no chairs? Also untrue. Certainly there were precincts that took a while to report but once they all did, it was clear Hillary had won.

Now the Sanders campaign is disputing the reported results that were sent in by everyday Iowans - volunteers, no less! - to the Democratic Party. All three campaigns have checked the results of certain precincts against their own data reported to them from volunteers. That's normal. For the Sanders campaign's challenges, there are 7 total precincts they are questioning (out of a whopping total 1,681 precincts!) and the Iowa Democratic Party is checking the results on a few more. And they will follow the same standard procedure for these questions as they did for precincts we asked them to look at - they'll look at the numbers reported that night, check the math and figure out if there are any discrepancies or misallocation of delegates.

Here's the kicker. Even if the Sanders campaign were to win all of their challenges - the marginal bump they receive in support would not be enough to overcome Hillary Clinton's win margin. Those are just the facts.

Here's the math.

*Total Precincts in Contest: 11 (7 from Sanders and 4 from the Iowa Democratic Party)*

*Total State Delegates being Contested: 1.7947 (not enough to change outcome)*

*If every contest were to go in the favor of Sanders:*

*HRC = -.775*

Sanders = +.758  
MOM = +.0166

It may be inconvenient for the Sanders campaign that Hillary Clinton won the Iowa caucus, but it's the truth. Eight years ago Hillary came in third here in Iowa and when she did, she congratulated the winner. We suggest Senator Sanders do the same.

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 5:07 PM, John Podesta <jp66@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:  
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On Feb 4, 2016, at 5:47 PM, Michael Halle <mhalle@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 4:05 PM, Michael Halle <mhalle@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Just talked to the IDP and have some good data here. First, Kathy Obradabadf;ljaksd from the DMR is writing a column on this to run either tomorrow or Sunday (we should have IDP push to have it run tomorrow) but that will give good ammo. We also need to push the IDP to release the below

Total Precincts in Contest: 11 (7 from Sanders and 7 from Chairs)  
Total State Delegates being Contested: 1.7947 (not enough to change outcome)

If every contest were to go in the favor of Sanders:  
HRC = -.775  
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On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 3:56 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:  
[Sure](#)

**From:** Michael Halle [mailto:mhalle@hillaryclinton.com ]  
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**To:** Kate Offerdahl <kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com >  
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Subject: Re: HRC and DMR

Are people fine to have Troy Price join this call too?

I think we need to get our endorsers behind this and hard.

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 3:22 PM, Kate Offerdahl  
<kofferdahl@hillaryclinton.com > wrote:

Let's do 5:30pm. Sending around a number now.

On Thu, Feb 4, 2016 at 4:07 PM, Jennifer Palmieri  
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Adding Elias and adding Kate to see if she can set up a time for a call for us to discuss.

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From: Lily Adams [mailto:ladams@hillaryclinton.com ]  
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To: Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com >  
Cc: Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com >; Matt Paul  
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Same

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Lily Adams

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On Feb 4, 2016, at 2:58 PM, Christina Reynolds  
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Free between now and 5 EST, then after 5:30 or so.

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<creynolds@hillaryclinton.com >  
Subject: HRC and DMR

I just told her about them calling for an audit and Sanders campaign saying that they are looking at some inconsistencies.

She is very upset about it – convinced they will try to take the

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victory away from her and wear the party down. She wants a big effort to fight here.

Suggest a call....

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Date: 4/11/2012 4:42:12 AM

Subject: response to deparle

John—We've been working to figure out how best to respond to the DeParle article. Hoping Galston will do something in TNR, and Kamarck will do a LTE. Planning an event on poverty, and maybe one on domestic policy. But I whipped up the oped below as something someone could use as a starting point if they wanted to refute. Would be great to get your thoughts, suggestions on whether the below is helpful, and advice on how to approach.

Best,  
Marc

Two stories emerged from the world of social policy last week—one big, and the other seemingly small. The big story was a new look at the welfare reform bill of 1996, and a broad suggestion that the changes made 16 years ago have not served the nation's poor since the Great Recession began. Second, to relatively less fanfare, the Centers for Disease Control announced that the American teen birthrate has fallen to an historic low—dropping from a recent peak in the early 1990s.

The two stories may appear unrelated—but they're not. And maybe more important, together they offer an interesting lesson on how policy is reinterpreted through the prism of ideology in Washington today.

First, we need to recall the oft-forgotten paradigm shift that marked the 1990s. When Governor Bill Clinton pledged to “end welfare as we know it” during the 1992 campaign, he was at the vanguard of a movement to adapt a series of creaky New Deal-era programs to the challenges of the information-age economy. At its creation in 1935, the nation's primary cash assistance program, Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), had hoped to keep single mothers from joining the workforce, engineering a way to keep them home with their kids. By the 1990s, however, conventional wisdom was that the program had created a series of perverse incentives, and that a cycle of dependency was preventing young adults from reaching their potential. Rather than breaking the cycle of poverty, welfare seemed to be perpetuating it—and the new challenge was to help every able-bodied American find an opportunity to *earn* a living.

With that as its challenges, the Clinton administration began a long-term effort to strengthen the nation's social safety net—not simply by reforming AFDC, but by expanding opportunity for those in need up a hand up. It began in 1993 with a dramatic expansion of the Earned Income Tax Credit—a program that rewards individuals who join the workforce with additional income. It continued with the welfare bill, which aimed to end the cycle of dependency, expand vastly support for child care, and give states much more flexibility in providing support. It continued through the unprecedented expansion of health insurance for children (the S-CHIP program), marking the single largest investment in children's health care since 1965. And the same paradigm drove dozens of other efforts, from the expansion of the Hope Scholarship, to the Vice President's efforts to expand access to the Internet, from the Welfare-to-Work Tax Credit and Welfare-to-Work Partnership to the broader economic strategy which created nearly 23 million new jobs.

What cannot be disputed, of course, are the broad effects of the Clinton's administration's effort to lift Americans out of poverty. Over the course of his tenure, the poverty rate in the United States dropped 25 percent. African-Americans, for one, saw poverty drop to a record low. A Congressional Budget Office [report](#) recently detailed how economic growth and the expansion of the EITC vastly overwhelmed the fiscal impact of reforming AFDC.

Which brings us back to the recent news about teen pregnancy. Few circumstances prolong the cycle of poverty than the birth of a baby born to a teenager. But the National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy, a public-private partnership President Clinton helped to found, has been successful in large part because its efforts have been integrated into a comprehensive strategy to integrate low income communities with the economic opportunities of the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

A host of other policy decisions need to be considered in any analysis of the welfare bill: the fact that many who would have been eligible for AFDC during the Great Recession were instead eligible for unemployment; that others were eligible for disability benefits; that the food stamp program has continued to grow; or that, had Al Gore succeeded President Clinton, the nation's social safety net would have continued to evolve in ways likely more beneficial to the poor than they did under George W. Bush.

But what is most clear today is that the welfare reform bill of 1996 cannot be judged in a vacuum. It needs to be understood as part of a much broader—and very successful—strategy to combat poverty throughout the United States. That the Clinton administration managed to end welfare as we *knew* it marks one of the great successes of the progressive movement. And as policymakers craft efforts, once again, to reform the nation's social safety net at a time of growing inequality, we ought to keep the proper lessons from that historic success in mind.

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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)  
Date: 9/29/2015 9:08:56 AM  
Subject: The attacks on women's health are just beginning...

John,

Cecile Richards, the courageous leader of Planned Parenthood, testified before Congress today. Ms. Richards took the stand to defend the rights of all women in this country to make their own healthcare decisions and have access to essential health services. At this moment, it is important for us to remember just how depraved and out of touch the extreme right wing agenda fueling this attack on Planned Parenthood is.

House and Senate Republicans are all too eager to endlessly wage their war on women's rights while hiding behind their warped pseudo-morality. As they bemoan the loss of life due to abortions out of one side of their mouths, they scream for the slashing of crucial social programs that provide security and opportunity for our children out of the other. These hypocrites think that a politician knows what is better for a woman's health than her and her own doctor and they will stop at nothing until these crucial services are shutdown entirely — a feat they've essentially already accomplished in a number of states.

They claim to love and support women, but are also the party whose members actually say and believe there is a such thing as "legitimate rape" and that "some girls rape easy." Republicans speak endlessly of "family values" — yet strip funding to assistance programs and refuse to support paid medical and family leave. We're sorry, but forcing a teenage incest victim to bear her father's child or requiring them to drive hundreds of miles to another state to visit a reproductive health clinic are NOT "family values" in our view.

This recent assault is just the tip of the iceberg and we are certain the vitriol from our opponents on the right will not only continue, but increase. It is time to stand up, fight back, and retake control of this important discussion. That's why we launched our newest online ad, "The Chosen," aimed at highlighting the important concept of a woman's choice in this debate. We hope to start a conversation about the importance of defending this right for all women in this country.

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Thanks for your attention and continued support,

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Subject: Hispanic Media Clips

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## Hispanic Media Clips

Monday, November 26, 2007

Electability - Hillary Rodham Clinton says she's the best candidate to win the presidency against Republicans. Speaking in Iowa yesterday, she argued she has more experience battling the GOP than any other candidate in the Democratic field, reports *Terra.com* and *Hispanidad* in the Spanish language version of an AP article.

Iraq - Due to the fact that violence has decreased in Baghdad, the leading Democratic presidential candidates are adopting a new attitude towards Iraq: recognize that there has been some success in that regard, reports *El Nuevo Herald* in the Spanish language version of an AFP article. It mentions that the advisors of both Senator Clinton and Obama have agreed that security conditions have improved since more troops were shipped to Iraq. Yet, the article adds that, advances made in Iraq have not shifted the candidates' position - they are still committed to bringing the troops back home.

Immigration - Maribel Hastings writes a story on immigration published by both *El Diario La Prensa* (NY) and *La Opinion* (both outlets part of the *Impremedia* group), on how even though it's not a "priority issue" for voters, the issue has become one of the most dangerous political subjects for the presidential candidates. She mentions how some Republicans like Rudy Giuliani have changed their position, while others are just flat out anti-immigrant like Tom Tancredo, and how Democrats like Senator Clinton have been accused of shifting their positions.

Healthcare - Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger said that in order for universal healthcare to work people are going to have to start approaching it in the same way they do with car insurance, reports *La Opinion*. It mentions that the idea of universal healthcare does well in the polls, and that Democratic candidates Hillary Clinton and John Edwards are both driving as one of the central issues for their campaigns. The story mentions that Governor Schwarzenegger's plan is the most ambitious healthcare plan since HRC's in the 1990's.

Obama - *El Diario La Prensa* (NY) picks up a short note on Senator Obama's visit to New York this Thursday, for a fundraising event in the Apollo theatre in Harlem - "only block away from WJC's office", adds the story.

### Electability

Clinton assures she is the candidate with the best chance to win against the Republicans -

[Clinton asegura que es la candidata con más posibilidades de batir ...](#)

Terra España - 11/25/07

Clinton assures she is the candidate with the best chance to win against the Republicans -

[EEUU. - Clinton asegura que es la candidata con más posibilidades ...](#)

Hispanidad - 11/25/07

### Iraq

Democrats adopt new attitude towards the Iraq war - [Nueva actitud de demócratas hacia la guerra](#)

El Nuevo Herald - 11/25/07



Immigration

Immigration debate: Republican and Democratic candidates are forced to debate the “taboo” issue - [Inmigración a debate: Candidatos republicanos y demócratas se ven ...](#)  
El Diario (New York) – 11/25/07

Immigration debate: Republican and Democratic candidates are forced to debate the “taboo” issue - [Aspirantes rehúyen al tema migratorio](#)  
La Opinión Digital – 11/26/07

Healthcare

California’s universal healthcare being studied - [Estudian seguro obligatorio de salud en California](#)  
La Opinión Digital – 11/25/07

Obama

Obama at the Apollo in Harlem - [Obama en el Apollo de Harlem](#)  
El Diario La Prensa – 11/25/07

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"Connolly Keigher" <ckeigher@hillaryclinton.com>  
Date: 7/26/2015 6:11:24 AM  
Subject: Re: Climate Change tick tock 7.25

Can we get final plan for climate rollout to Connolly so we can print and share with HRC  
Want her to see the robust support this is getting

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 25, 2015, at 4:36 PM, Kristina Schake <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

+ Huma.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 25, 2015, at 4:08 PM, Kristina Schake <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Removing most of the group, adding Iowa, Alex and Robby.

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On Jul 25, 2015, at 3:21 PM, Kristina Schake <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She has two organizing events tomorrow afternoon. The second one ends at 5:30 pm Iowa time. She could say at both she'll have a video coming out that night to tease it. Then in Monday morning's event she can give real remarks about her plan at the green facility. Matt what do you think? + Dan.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 25, 2015, at 3:13 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She just said here at the organizing event in Iowa that she'd be rolling out parts of her plan tomorrow and Monday.

On Jul 25, 2015, at 2:52 PM, Rebecca Chalif <[rchalif@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:rchalif@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hey all,  
Here is the current tick tock for the climate change roll out with everything I am tracking. If I'm missing anything from your department please add it and let me know of any other changes.  
Thanks!

- Rebecca

**Climate Change Roll Out – Tick Tock**

**SUNDAY**

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**Digital:**

6:50 PM Change social avatars to leaf

6:55 PM Podesta tweets staff photo teaser

**7:00 PM Video posted on Facebook, twitter and YouTube**

7:05 PM SMS announcement

7:05 PM “Share this” email to all staff

7:10 PM Signed tweet from HRC (text only)

7:15 PM Email to full list w/ video

8:00 PM and 9:00 PM Social graphics posted

8:30 PM Digital Content emailed to celebs/influencers

**Communications/Surrogates:**

7:05 PM Fact Sheet posted to The Briefing – Ian/Ortega

7:05 PM Flag for youth press (Mic and Vice) – Xochitl/Rob

7:10 PM Talking Points distributed to surrogates – Adrienne

8:00 PM Flag for cable producers – Adrienne

8:00 PM Email to full surrogate list with briefing page, video link and sharable content and direct content for enviro friendly celebrity surrogates

TBD background call with reporters – Fallon

**Political/States:**

4:00PM Outreach calls

○ John Podesta Calls:

- Sen. Markey
- Sen. Boxer
- Sen. Whitehouse
- Sen. Murray (Leadership)
- Sen. Schumer (Leadership/NY)
- Gene Karpinski (LCV)
- Fred Krupp (EDF)
- Rhea Suh (NRDC)
- Michael Brune (Sierra Club)

○ Jake Sullivan calls:

- Bill McKibben ([350.org](http://350.org) )

○ Pete, Trevor and Ben

- Sierra (Brune)
- LVC (Tiernan)
- EDF (Mark)
- NRDC (Aliya)

- SolarCity (Brad Buss)
- NRG ( David and colleagues)
- NextEra (Jim and Chris)
- AWEA (Rob Gramlich)
- Carol Browner
- Heather Zichal
- Sue Tierney
- Francis
- Michael O.
- Bill Ritter
- Kauffman
- Jim Williams
- Greg Datson
- Kate Gordon
- Matt Lee-Ashley
- Jason Grumet

8:00 PM Podesta Conference Call:

- Cong. Grijalva (Progressive Caucus and will be endorsing)
- Cong. Pallone (Ranking on E&C)
- Cong. Israel (NY Member)
- Cong Becerra (Leadership)

**MONDAY**

Climate focused event in Iowa

- TBD location

**Digital:**

9:00 AM Email shareable content to enviro groups/influencers

10:00 AM Green Tee goes live in store

10:15 AM Post Instagram video of Green t shirt

TBD time Amplify HRC remarks in Iowa

TBD time Contrast Video Out

TBD time Amplify contrast video and additional graphics

**Communications/Surrogates:**

Possible release of contrast video to TV

Contrast document posted to The Briefing

Brief people booked on TV – Adrienne

**Political:****11:00 AM Enviro Group Call with Podesta/Jake:**

- Tiernan Sittenfeld (LCV) [tiernan\\_sittenfeld@lcv.org](mailto:tiernan_sittenfeld@lcv.org)
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- Jim Williams (E3): [jim@ethree.com](mailto:jim@ethree.com)

**11:30 AM Broad Group Call with Podesta/Jake (Business, Members of Congress, Early State/Primary Stakeholders)****Finance:**

AM - Share video and fact sheet with donors

**TUESDAY**

Town hall in Nashua, NH and organizing event in Concord

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## McCain would tackle big budget problems: aide

Fri Mar 7, 2008 3:28pm EST

By Caren Bohan

CHICAGO (Reuters) - Republican presidential candidate John McCain is committed to tackling the problem of mandatory social spending for the nation's elderly and poor and is well aware that just paring wasteful items from the U.S. budget will not solve fiscal ills, a top aide told Reuters.

The Arizona senator has long railed against special-project spending known as "earmarks" and has made his vow to eliminate them a top economic theme.

Critics say cutting such spending would not even come close to solving budget deficits that private economists worry will balloon as the huge baby boom generation retires.

Douglas Holtz-Eakin, McCain's top economic adviser, said in an interview billions could be saved by cutting budgetary fat but that was not a cure-all. Even with a leaner discretionary budget, he said, "there would still be pressure on spending" because of the future costs of the Social Security retirement plan and Medicare and Medicaid health programs.

U.S. politicians widely agree the looming entitlement crunch must be addressed but proposed remedies often become lightning rods for controversy, as President George W. Bush found out when his failed plan to overhaul Social Security became ammunition for Democrats in congressional elections.

Holtz-Eakin said if McCain fulfilled a pledge to bring more discipline to other areas of the budget, he would acquire the clout needed to address entitlement spending.

"Unless you clean up the culture and make it clear to the American people that you are doing things in the national interest, you're are not going to have the moral authority to take on the more challenging issues," Holtz-Eakin told Reuters.

"We're going to get a thorough scrub of the budget," Holtz-Eakin said, adding that McCain would then turn his attention to reining in Social Security's future growth and overhauling Pentagon contracting practices that lead to overspending.

### TANKER FIGHT

McCain's efforts to revamp Pentagon procurement practices by torpedoing the recent Boeing deal has caused a political firestorm. One week ago the Air Force awarded a \$35 billion program to build mid-air refueling tankers to Boeing's arch-rival, Airbus, and its partner, Northrop-Grumman.

McCain led an investigation that killed an earlier Air Force proposal to lease 100 Boeing 767 refueling tankers.

On Social Security, McCain has steered clear of outlining a lot of specifics because he says changes should be worked out through bipartisan negotiations with the U.S. Congress. He has expressed openness to measures like slowing the growth of future benefits by changing the way they are indexed for inflation. In an interview with The Wall Street Journal earlier this week he said he supported Bush's plan for private retirement accounts.

McCain will vie for the White House in November against either Illinois Sen. Barack Obama or New York Sen. Hillary Clinton, who are still locked in a battle for the Democratic presidential nomination.

The presidential race takes place against a backdrop of growing worries about the economy with many private economists fearing the United States may already be in a recession.

Polls show U.S. voters put the economy at the top of their list of concerns -- even ranking it higher than the unpopular Iraq war.

While McCain, a Vietnam War hero, touts his grasp of foreign affairs, Democrats say he is vulnerable on the economy because of a remark he made in December that was seen by analysts a faux pas that will haunt him in a general election.

"The issue of economics is not something I've understood as well as I should," McCain told the Boston Globe while campaigning in New Hampshire. He said he would consult former Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan's book.

Holtz-Eakin attributed the comment to the senator's "self-deprecating" style and said McCain was, chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, which handles economic and regulatory matters.

The McCain adviser, who has taught economics at Columbia and Princeton universities and is a former head of the Congressional Budget Office, insisted the Republican senator was in fact "a very astute practitioner of economics."

(Additional reporting by Andy Sullivan)

(Editing by Lori Santos and Bill Trott)

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Remember last Sunday when John predicted McCain's top econ guy could be baited into saying something crazy on entitlements?

Scroll down for the story on Douglas Holtz-Eakin saying McCain will cut entitlements. Chrstina, do we have the whole story - or better still, the transcript?

----- Original Message -----

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 Sent: Mon Mar 10 07:55:23 2008  
 Subject: Politico Playbook: "Everyone can do the math" -- resending with link to the President singing

BREAKING NEWS -- Vice President Cheney heads to the Middle East on Sunday, including a West Bank stop. The White House: "The Vice President will meet with Sultan Qaboos of Oman, King Abdullah of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Prime Minister Olmert of Israel, President Abbas and Prime Minister Fayyad of the Palestinian Territories, President Gul and Prime Minister Erdogan of Turkey."

Good Monday morning. The cover of The New Yorker has Senator Clinton and Senator Obama in bed together, both lunging for a ringing red phone. The title: "I'll Get It."

She's closer. He's trying to reach over her.

Kevin Madden and James Carville are scheduled to sit down with guest host John King tonight on CNN's "Larry King Live."

Stephen Saunders is a birthday boy. My Grandma Powers is 95, and still keeping copy editors on their toes at the Portland Oregonian -- and at Politico.

VIDEO DU JOUR 1, Shaky Bootleg Edition: At Saturday's "off-camera" Gridiron Club dinner, President Bush joins in "Auld Lang Syne," holding hands with Helen Thomas. He gives her a peck at the end. (Hat tip: Ann Compton)  
<http://youtube.com/watch?v=bbCkC4OyTV4>

VIDEO DU JOUR 2 -- Jamaican singer Coco Tea is out with a reggae tribute to Senator Obama. (Hat tip: "Good Morning America") AP: "He becomes the second major Caribbean musician to endorse Obama in song, joining Trinidadian calypso star Mighty Sparrow, who recently recorded a track titled 'Barack the Magnificent.'"  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Tw8tesd5EA> <<http://exchange.acc-email.com/exchweb/bin/redir.asp?URL=http://exchange.acc-email.com/exchweb/bin/redir.asp?URL=http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Tw8tesd5EA>>

TOP STORY: The Wall Street Journal says the National Security Agency "now monitors huge volumes of records of domestic emails and Internet searches as well as bank transfers, credit-card transactions, travel and telephone records. The NSA receives this so-called 'transactional' data from other agencies or private companies, and its sophisticated software programs analyze the various transactions for suspicious patterns. Then



they spit out leads to be explored by counterterrorism programs across the U.S. government, such as the NSA's own Terrorist Surveillance Program, formed to intercept phone calls and emails between the U.S. and overseas without a judge's approval when a link to al Qaeda is suspected."

TOPS IN POLITICS -- "House GOP funk worsens," by Politico's John Bresnahan and Josh Kraushaar: "For National Republican Congressional Committee Chairman Tom Cole (Okla.), every week seems to bring a new set of problems. On Saturday night, things got even worse. With Democrat Bill Foster's victory in the Illinois 14th District special election, Democrats now hold the seats occupied only 21 months ago by former Speaker Dennis Hastert (Ill.) and former House Majority Leader Tom DeLay (Texas) — the two GOP lawmakers who ran the House from 1998 to 2006."

BRIEFING: The New Yorker seriously pushes Secretary Rice for veep, and thinks it's a charade to say Senator Clinton is really even with Senator Obama. Southern Baptists, the nation's largest Protestant denomination, get serious about global warming. And the N.Y. Times says the feuding by Clinton aides reflects poorly on their boss. The deets:

OBAMA TODAY: The senator is in Mississippi, which has its primary tomorrow. At a union building in Washington, Obama military advisers ("former service secretaries for each of the Armed Forces – Clifford Alexander, Jr. (US Army), Richard Danzig (US Navy), and F. Whitten Peters (US Air Force)," per the release)" hold a presser "to discuss why Obama has demonstrated the judgment and has the experience to be Commander In Chief." The Rezko trial resumes this a.m.

CLINTON TODAY: The senator becomes the first of the two Ds to kick off the Pennsylvania campaign with a stop in Scranton, where her father, Hugh Rodham, was born and buried. The WashTimes fronts, "Family ties offer boost to Clinton in Pennsylvania." She's there again tomorrow. President Clinton is there Tuesday and Wednesday.

The N.Y. fronts, "Sniping by Her Aides Hurt Clinton's Image as Manager," by Nagourney, Healy & Zernike: "[I]nterviews with campaign aides, associates and friends suggest that Mrs. Clinton, at least until February, was a detached manager. ... [S]he paid little attention to detail, delegated decisions large and small and deferred to advisers on critical questions. Mrs. Clinton accepted or seemed unaware of the intense factionalism and feuding that often paralyzed her campaign and that prevented her aides from reaching consensus on basic questions like what states to fight in and how to go after Mr. Obama ... Mrs. Clinton showed a tendency toward an insular management style, relying on a coterie of aides who have worked for her for years."

McCain TODAY: Presser in Phoenix. Funder in St. Louis. Douglas Holtz-Eakin, the senator's top economic adviser, told Caren Bohan of Reuters that McCain is committed to tackling the problem of mandatory spending on Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid and is well aware that just paring wasteful items from the U.S. budget will not solve fiscal ills.

THE PRESIDENT TODAY: Makes East Room remarks in honor of Women's History Month and International Women's Day. Per AP: "Polish Prime Minister Donald Tusk is hoping talks Monday with President Bush will help break an impasse on allowing U.S. missile defense interceptors to be based on Polish soil."

THE V.P. TODAY: Headlines the Georgia State Republican Party's President's Day Dinner.

BOOKERS/PRODUCERS – "SOUTHERN BAPTIST leaders take unusual step of urging fight against climate change," from AP: "In a major shift, a group of Southern Baptist leaders said their denomination has been 'too timid' on environmental issues and has a biblical duty to stop global warming. The declaration, signed by the president of the Southern Baptist Convention among others and released Monday, shows a growing urgency about climate change even within groups that once dismissed claims of an overheating planet as a liberal ruse. The conservative denomination has 16.3 million members and is the largest Protestant group in the U.S."

TALKER: The New Yorker's Ryan Lizza writes in his five-page "The Iron Lady" that Clinton campaign chairman Terry McAuliffe "indulged in an impromptu we-told-you-so session" with reporters on the night of the big Ohio victory.

"The next day, a Clinton adviser was more candid about what lies ahead," Lizza continues. " 'Inside the campaign, people are not idiots,' she told me. 'EVERYONE CAN DO THE MATH. It isn't like the Obama campaign has some special abacus. We can do these calculations, too. Everyone recognizes how steep this hill is. But you gotta keep your game face on.' "

\*\*\* "For Clinton, it will be vital in the weeks ahead to maintain the public perception that she can still win."

In the same issue, Hendrik Hertzberg suggests – sincerely – that Secretary RICE be Senator McCain's shrewdest choice for V.P.:

"Her failures would be buried in an avalanche of positive publicity for a personal story as yet only vaguely known to the broad public. ... Her ascension, though nowhere near as momentous a breakthrough as the election of Obama or Clinton, would be a breakthrough all the same. ... By appointing first Colin Powell and then Rice to the most senior job in the Cabinet, a job of global scope, Bush changed the way millions of white Americans think about black public officials. This may turn out to be the most positive legacy of his benighted Presidency."

ALSO DRIVING THE CONVERSATION:

1) COUNT THE DAYS TILL YOU READ ... a story asking, "Can a Mormon win 'American Idol'?" TWO Church members are in the final 12 – David Archuleta, 17, of Murray, Utah, and Brooke White, 24, of Mesa, Ariz.

Playbook's Bay Area Correspondent writes with tongue in cheek: "America may not be ready for a Mormon in the Oval Office, but we are

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dominating reality TV."

2) SCOOP: Greg Miller of the L.A. Times, "Senate verdict is mixed on Bush's prewar claims":

"After an acrimonious investigation that spanned four years, the Senate Intelligence Committee is preparing to release a detailed critique of the Bush administration's claims in the buildup to war with Iraq ... The document criticizes White House officials for making assertions that failed to reflect disagreements or uncertainties in the underlying intelligence on Iraq, officials said. But the report acknowledges that many claims were consistent with intelligence assessments in circulation at the time."

THAT took FOUR YEARS? The LAT adds: "The report focusing on the Bush administration's prewar statements is set to be delivered to members of the committee this week, officials said. But it could be weeks away from public release because members may push for changes, and much of the material cited in the report has yet to be approved for declassification." Republicans will add a rebuttal.

3) The N.Y. Daily News rains on the DREAM TICKET conceit, which made the front pages of both New York tabs yesterday after President Clinton told ABC News in Mississippi that his wife and Senator Obama would be "an almost unstoppable force."

Jake Tapper notes on "Good Morning America" that the Clintons "keep dropping hints": "Obama and his allies feel this is more like an undesired arranged marriage -- a shotgun one, at that."

"HIL'S CHUTZPAH," screams this morning's N.Y. Daily News. Columnist Michael Goodwin says: "Talk about chutzpah! For the third time in a week, the Clintons are pushing the idea of a presidential ticket of Hillary and Barack Obama. ... It's a dream team all right, as in dream on.

"It's a fantasy because, in the Clintons' pitch, naturally, she is on top of the ticket and Obama is her No. 2. That's rich of her, considering that Obama leads in both the delegate race and the popular vote. Forget those pesky voters - Hillary has declared herself the winner! ... She's like a con artist trying to sell a house she doesn't own. Based on the votes so far, she should have suggested herself as the vice presidential running mate. ...

\*\*\* "The offer of a joint ticket looks like an olive branch, but it's really a knife aimed at cutting Obama down to size. In the words of one Clintonista, 'It's a way of belittling him' by suggesting he's not ready to be President and would lose the general election as nominee to John McCain. It's the same attack she has been using all along, though now it's presented as a compliment."

4) CRACKING THE CODE -- A Financial Times editorial says: "In spite of his recent demagoguery on the subject, Mr Obama has broadly pro-trade views that he now feels obliged to disguise. Exactly the same is true of Mrs Clinton, who was once an enthusiastic supporter of Nafta (as she was right to be). One of the most damaging charges you can make against a US presidential candidate is that he or she is a hypocrite -- but, unattractive as that trait may be, there are much worse things, and protectionism is one.

5) PRIMER -- As a public service, we're picking up the first three Qs and As from the AP's "Obama-Rezko Q&A: Connections with indicted donor Rezko raise complex questions for Obama," By Christopher Wills in Springfield, Ill.:

"Q: Who is Tony Rezko?

"A: Antoin 'Tony' Rezko is a millionaire Chicago businessman who has long helped young politicians raise money and make connections. Raised in Syria, he moved to Chicago to study engineering but wound up making money in real estate and fast food. He is now on trial in federal court on mail fraud, wire fraud, money laundering and attempted extortion charges.

"Q: What is his relationship to Obama?

"A: He's been friendly with Obama for years, even offering him a job after Obama finished law school. Obama turned down the offer, but a political friendship developed. Rezko and his family donated at least \$21,457 to Obama - and helped raise tens of thousands more - for his campaigns in Illinois, though not for his presidential bid. He also advised Obama on the purchase of a new Chicago home and, in his wife's name, purchased a vacant lot next to the new Obama home at the same time.

"Q: Why is Rezko on trial?

"A: Prosecutors allege he tried to shake down companies seeking contracts from Illinois regulatory boards for campaign contributions and payoffs. They say he used his influence with Gov. Rod Blagojevich to get people appointed to the boards and then threatened to have them block contracts unless the companies paid millions of dollars in kickbacks."

6) PEOPLE: U.S. Rep. Bobby RUSH (D-Ill.) was recovering at home Sunday after undergoing surgery recently to remove a cancerous tumor from his salivary gland. -- Chicago Tribune

7) FRENCH ELECTIONS: President Nicolas Sarkozy's backers lost in Paris and other key French cities in the first round of municipal elections seen as a referendum on the increasingly unpopular conservative. -- AP

SPANISH ELECTIONS: Spain's ruling Socialists won a second term in elections Sunday as voters brushed aside concerns over the slowing economy and soaring immigration and backed the party's liberal social reforms. --AFP

8) FEDWATCH – When Bloomberg's John M. Berry writes a Commentary, people listen: "Federal Reserve officials are being forced to consider limiting the size of future interest rate cuts because of the worsening inflation picture. That suggests that when the Federal Open Market Committee meets on March 18 it will reduce its 3 percent overnight lending rate target by a half-point and some officials may be arguing only for a quarter point."

9) BUSINESS BURST, from the Financial Times: "Bank of America will come under increasing pressure this week to rescind its offer to put a top Countrywide executive in charge of the companies' combined mortgage business after reports that Countrywide is the subject of a criminal investigation by US authorities."

10) SPORTS BLINK: It's Championship Week in men's college basketball, with Selection Sunday six days away. So ESPN.com's "Bubble Watch" goes daily.

USA Today says Deckard's comeback Wildcats look good for a bid: "Just a week ago, Ohio State looked like a long shot for the NCAA men's tournament. The Buckeyes shored up their résumé quickly with victories bound to impress the selection committee. They defeated No. 18 Michigan State 63-54 Sunday in Columbus. ... Kentucky (18-11) also is inching closer to a berth. The Wildcats closed their regular season by beating two-time defending NCAA champion Florida 75-70 Sunday, ending a streak of seven losses to Florida and painting a grim picture for the Gators' NCAA hopes."

11) DESSERT, from N.Y. Post's "Page 6": "He's Now O-tip – Q-TIP has gone political. The rapper, formerly of the group 'A Tribe Called Quest,' will debut a solo album this June that's heavy on guest stars, including presidential hopeful Barack Obama, who speaks throughout one song. 'I've got Norah Jones on there, but Barack is the big one. You'll see what happens, I can't reveal too much,' Q-Tip told Page Six Thursday at the Details magazine party at Le Royale for his album, 'The Renaissance,' and a photo shoot he did for the March issue. Spike Lee also makes an appearance on the album in a number with a political twist."

12) SECONDS, from AP – "3 members of Hootie and the Blowfish prepping solo releases": "When Hootie and the Blowfish play at a fundraiser to benefit the Animal Mission this week, the bandmates likely will compare notes on their recent solo efforts. Guitarist Mark Bryan and lead singer Darius Rucker are working on their second solo efforts, while drummer Jim 'Son' Sonefeld is making his solo debut. Bassist Dean Felber doesn't have any solo plans yet."

13) WEATHER – WJLA ABC 7's forecast for D.C.: "A quick-moving clipper system leads to increasing clouds through the day with cool highs near 50 degrees." Goodness – sounds exotic. Take a big coat – it's 35 right now.

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Subject: YOUR Schedule & Press Logistics for Tomorrow

Attachments: JDP Vegas Schedule 10 12.docx

John- your draft schedule and movements for tomorrow attached and below (attachment is slightly easier to read).

Car information and POCs for the press hits are included, although tomorrow MSNBC will send me an the updated name and number for the person who will actually greet you up front (as opposed to the producer) for your 2:00 PM. CNN POCs will be Jennifer and Alexa for your 10:00 AM.

For tomorrow morning, the CNN car should know to take you to the South Valet Entrance at the Wynn, where Jennifer/Alexa will meet you, but if you have any trouble you can reach me OR Jennifer/Alexa.

Wednesday early AM hits are still unconfirmed, but we're working to lock them in tomorrow-- will update your schedule. You should get guidance from the Comms folks on the ground for the post-debate spin room, but let me know if you have any questions and I can track down answers.

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## **JOHN D. PODESTA**

### **SCHEDULE**

#### **Las Vegas**

***Monday, Oct. 12- Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2015***

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**Wednesday, October, 14 2015: ORD→ LGA**

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## **SCHEDULE FOR JOHN D. PODESTA**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13TH – WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14TH**

**DATE: Tuesday, October 13, 2015**

8:55 AM **DRIVE:** Four Seasons Las Vegas to Wynn Las Vegas

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9:10 AM Car Company: Sunny’s Worldwide

Confirmation Number: 107986\*1

Dispatch Hotline: 1-800-949-0949

[drive time: 15 minutes]

10:00AM **Interview with Wolf Blitzer CNN**

10:30 AM Location: Wynn Las Vegas

CNN Contacts: Jennifer Simpson (202) 569-9180; Alexa Miranda (917) 797-8358

10:45 AM **DRIVE: Wynn Las Vegas to Four Seasons Las Vegas**

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11:00 AM     **HOLD**

1:00 PM       Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas

1:00 PM **DRIVE: Four Seasons Las Vegas to Wynn Las Vegas**

1:15 PM Car Company: Sunny’s Worldwide

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2:00 PM **Interview with Chuck Todd MSNBC**

2:30 PM Location: Wynn Las Vegas

MSNBC Contact: TBD

2:45 PM **DRIVE: Wynn Las Vegas to Four Seasons Las Vegas**

3:00 PM Car Company: Sunny’s Worldwide

Confirmation Number: 108124\*1

Dispatch Hotline: 1-800-949-0949

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4:00 PM **HOLD**

Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas

5:00 PM **HRC & STAFF Depart Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas**

En route Wynn Las Vegas

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5:15 PM **Arrive Wynn Las Vegas**

5:40 PM **DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE HOSTED BY CNN &**

8:10 PM **FACEBOOK**

Location: Lafite Ballroom, Wynn Las Vegas

8:30 PM **Post-Debate Interview with CNN**

9:00 PM Location: Spin Room, Wynn Las Vegas

CNN Contact: TBD

9:00 PM **Post-Debate Interview with MSNBC**

9:30 PM Location: Spin Room, or outside of the Spin Room, Wynn Las Vegas

MSNBC Contact: TBD

**DATE: Wednesday, October 14, 2015**

4:00 AM **Interview with Good Morning America**

4:30 AM Location: Wynn Las Vegas

ABC Contact: TBD

4:30 AM **Interview with NBC**

5:00 AM Location: Wynn Las Vegas

NBC Contact: TBD

5:00 AM **Interview with CNN**

5:30 AM Location: Wynn Las Vegas

CNN Contact: TBD

6:00 AM **Depart Wynn Las Vegas**

En route Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas

[drive time: 15 minutes]

6:15 AM      **HOLD**

10:45 AM      Four Seasons Hotel Las Vegas

10:45 AM **Depart for LAS**

11:00 AM [drive time: 15 minutes]

12:05 PM **FLY: LAS - ORD**

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Right now, in my last year in office, I want to look beyond the next 12 months and focus in on the challenges we as a nation will face in the years and decades ahead.

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Thanks for always being with me.

Barack Obama

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There are multiple ways to participate in this year's institute, including individual sessions, keynotes, social hours, lunch presentations, and multi-day workshops. Of particular note are two opportunities for deeper engagement at TLISI through participation in our design seminars, which we call **Productive Open Design Spaces (PODS)**, and new this year, our **Doyle Inclusive Pedagogy Colloquium (IPC)**.

### Productive Open Design Spaces

The Productive Open Design Space (PODS) is a team-based opportunity for groups of faculty and staff to explore a curricular or pedagogical project in a flexible, design-centered environment. With the support of a facilitator and CNDLS coaches, participants are provided space and time to think through their project, design model solutions, and plan for continued development. [Proposals for this 4-day studio are due April 15. Limited funding to support post-TLISI project work may be available. Visit our \[website\]\(#\) to learn more and apply.](#)

### Doyle Inclusive Pedagogy Colloquium

The Doyle Inclusive Pedagogy Colloquium (IPC) is a 4-day intensive workshop with sessions focused on developing and incorporating diverse teaching strategies, principles of active learning, and other pedagogical approaches to promote an inclusive learning environment in courses of any subject matter. Session topics include self-awareness and implicit bias in the classroom, facilitating difficult discussions, and syllabus design for inclusive learning goals.

The IPC is open to all faculty and there are three ways to participate: You can register to participate in the week-long Colloquium. Or, if you'd like a more extended engagement with the issues, you can apply to be a Doyle Faculty Fellow for the coming academic year. Finally, you can simply join us for some of the exciting talks and workshops that are part of the week. [Our \[website\]\(#\) details more information about registering for the IPC or applying to be a Doyle Faculty Fellow \(deadline April 30\).](#)

Please visit the [TLISI website](#) for more information and to view our schedule-at-a-glance. Registration will open later this spring. Stay tuned!





From: "[Robby Mook](#)" <[re47@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:re47@hillaryclinton.com)>  
To: "[Kristina Schake](#)" <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)>  
Date: 7/25/2015 10:16:39 AM  
Subject: Re: Climate Change tick tock 7.25

Is she currently just touring or also speaking at the event?

On Sat, Jul 25, 2015 at 5:08 PM, Kristina Schake <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:  
Removing most of the group, adding Iowa, Alex and Robby.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 25, 2015, at 3:21 PM, Kristina Schake <[kschake@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:kschake@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She has two organizing events tomorrow afternoon. The second one ends at 5:30 pm Iowa time. She could say at both she'll have a video coming out that night to tease it. Then in Monday morning's event she can give real remarks about her plan at the green facility. Matt what do you think? + Dan.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 25, 2015, at 3:13 PM, Nick Merrill <[nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

She just said here at the organizing event in Iowa that she'd be rolling out parts of her plan tomorrow and Monday.

On Jul 25, 2015, at 2:52 PM, Rebecca Chalif <[rchalif@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:rchalif@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Hey all,

Here is the current tick tock for the climate change roll out with everything I am tracking. If I'm missing anything from your department please add it and let me know of any other changes. Thanks!

- Rebecca

## Climate Change Roll Out – Tick Tock

### SUNDAY

#### **Digital:**

6:50 PM Change social avatars to leaf

6:55 PM Podesta tweets staff photo teaser

**7:00 PM Video posted on Facebook, twitter and YouTube**

7:05 PM SMS announcement

7:05 PM “Share this” email to all staff

7:10 PM Signed tweet from HRC (text only)

7:15 PM Email to full list w/ video

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8:00 PM and 9:00 PM Social graphics posted

8:30 PM Digital Content emailed to celebs/influencers

### **Communications/Surrogates:**

7:05 PM Fact Sheet posted to The Briefing – Ian/Ortega

7:05 PM Flag for youth press (Mic and Vice) – Xochitl/Rob

7:10 PM Talking Points distributed to surrogates – Adrienne

8:00 PM Flag for cable producers – Adrienne

8:00 PM Email to full surrogate list with briefing page, video link and sharable content and direct content for enviro friendly celebrity surrogates

TBD background call with reporters – Fallon

### **Political/States:**

4:00PM Outreach calls

○ John Podesta Calls:

- Sen. Markey
- Sen. Boxer
- Sen. Whitehouse
- Sen. Murray (Leadership)
- Sen. Schumer (Leadership/NY)
- Gene Karpinski (LCV)
- Fred Krupp (EDF)
- Rhea Suh (NRDC)
- Michael Brune (Sierra Club)

○ Jake Sullivan calls:

- Bill McKibben ([350.org](http://350.org) )

○ Pete, Trevor and Ben

- Sierra (Brune)
- LVC (Tiernan)
- EDF (Mark)
- NRDC (Aliya)
- SolarCity (Brad Buss)
- NRG ( David and colleagues)
- NextEra (Jim and Chris)
- AWEA (Rob Gramlich)
- Carol Browner
- Heather Zichal
- Sue Tierney
- Francis
- Michael O.
- Bill Ritter
- Kauffman
- Jim Williams
- Greg Datson
- Kate Gordon

- Matt Lee-Ashley
- Jason Grumet

**8:00 PM Podesta Conference Call:**

- Cong. Grijalva (Progressive Caucus and will be endorsing)
- Cong. Pallone (Ranking on E&C)
- Cong. Israel (NY Member)
- Cong Becerra (Leadership)

**MONDAY**

Climate focused event in Iowa

- TBD location

**Digital:**

9:00 AM Email shareable content to enviro groups/influencers

10:00 AM Green Tee goes live in store

10:15 AM Post Instagram video of Green t shirt

TBD time Amplify HRC remarks in Iowa

TBD time Contrast Video Out

TBD time Amplify contrast video and additional graphics

**Communications/Surrogates:**

Possible release of contrast video to TV

Contrast document posted to The Briefing

Brief people booked on TV – Adrienne

**Political:****11:00 AM Enviro Group Call with Podesta/Jake:**

- Tiernan Sittenfeld (LCV) [tiernan\\_sittenfeld@lcv.org](mailto:tiernan_sittenfeld@lcv.org)
- Sarah Chieffo (LCV) [Sara\\_Chieffo@lcv.org](mailto:Sara_Chieffo@lcv.org)
- Mark Brownstein (EDF) [mbrownstein@edf.org](mailto:mbrownstein@edf.org)
- David Doniger (NRDC) [ddoniger@nrdc.org](mailto:ddoniger@nrdc.org) ,
- Susan Casey-Lefkowitz (NRDC) [sclefkowitz@nrdc.org](mailto:sclefkowitz@nrdc.org) ,
- David Hawkins (NRDC) [dahawk7843@gmail.com](mailto:dahawk7843@gmail.com)
- John Coequyt (Sierra Club) [john.coequyt@sierraclub.org](mailto:john.coequyt@sierraclub.org)
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- Bob Perciasepe (C2es)
- Greg Dotson (CAP) [gdotson@gmail.com](mailto:gdotson@gmail.com)
- Matt Lee-Ashley (CAP) [mattleeashley@gmail.com](mailto:mattleeashley@gmail.com)
- Jim Williams (E3): [jim@ethree.com](mailto:jim@ethree.com)

**11:30 AM Broad Group Call with Podesta/Jake (Business, Members of Congress, Early State/Primary Stakeholders)**

**Finance:**

AM - Share video and fact sheet with donors

**TUESDAY**

Town hall in Nashua, NH and organizing event in Concord

<Climate Change Tick Tock.docx>

From: "Tony Podesta" <podesta@podesta.com>

To: [john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)

Date: 11/18/2014 3:14:23 PM

Subject: FW: josh/mcbee

Can u call me this evening  
202 352 4645

From: Kimberley Fritts

Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 5:00 PM

To: Tony Podesta

Subject: josh/mcbee

<http://www.mcbeestrategic.com/portfolio/josh-lahey/>

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| To:          | <a href="mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com">john.podesta@gmail.com</a>                                  |
| Date:        | 8/26/2015 6:04:24 AM                                                                                |
| Subject:     | Canceled Event: Daily Senior Staff Meeting @ Wed Aug 26, 2015 9am - 9:30am (john.podesta@gmail.com) |
| Attachments: | invite.ics                                                                                          |

This event has been canceled and removed from your calendar.

Daily Senior Staff Meeting

Link to Department Update Slides:  
<https://docs.google.com/a/hillaryclinton.com/presentation/d/1C9iszQGLL7nT9ldSOt49AhDcyMucIhkA6BZ9Yf9jAwY/edit?usp=sharing>

Purpose: Flagging major issues, department daily updates and needs.

- Agenda:
- 1. Robby's major issues
  - 2. Major issues today
  - 3. Department updates

When Wed Aug 26, 2015 9am – 9:30am Eastern Time

Where Iowa Conference Room / or Dial-In Number: (718) 766-5165 (no pin) ([map](#) )

john.podesta@gmail.com

Calendar

- Who
- Robby Mook - organizer
  - Marissa Astor - creator
  - [charlie.baker@deweysquare.com](mailto:charlie.baker@deweysquare.com)
  - Jennifer Palmieri
  - Tracey Lewis
  - John Podesta
  - Marc Elias
  - Lona Valmoro
  - Oren Shur
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  - Huma Abedin
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- [Sawsan Bay](#) - optional

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From: "Teddy Goff" <[tgoff@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:tgoff@hillaryclinton.com)>

To: "Oren Shur" <[oshur@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:oshur@hillaryclinton.com)>

Date: 3/5/2016 7:48:28 AM

Subject: Re: helpful graphic

this is good. do we stand behind these projections?

On Sat, Mar 5, 2016 at 2:47 PM, Oren Shur <[oshur@hillaryclinton.com](mailto:oshur@hillaryclinton.com)> wrote:

Just flagging this, VOX graphic that went around yesterday – pretty good:





From: "Eryn Sepp" <[eryn.sepp@gmail.com](mailto:eryn.sepp@gmail.com)>  
To: "John Podesta" <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)>  
Date: 6/8/2015 11:18:56 AM  
Subject: Re: Ragner runners

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Oh nice!! Amy would make 12.

Eryn M. Sepp  
Cell: 818-456-2881

On Jun 8, 2015, at 6:17 PM, John Podesta <[john.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)> wrote:

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Fucile, Tamara <[Tamara\\_L\\_Fucile@omb.eop.gov](mailto:Tamara_L_Fucile@omb.eop.gov)>  
Date: Monday, June 8, 2015  
Subject: Ragner runners  
To: "[John.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:John.podesta@gmail.com)" <[John.podesta@gmail.com](mailto:John.podesta@gmail.com)>

Brian Deese is definitely in. Sounds like he told you he wanted to do it a while ago, but wasn't sure it registered. I'm also working on Amy Rosenbaum, as she's a pretty avid runner. Not sure if I'll get her there or not.

I actually looked at the course the other day for the first time. Didn't look nearly as bad as I thought it would be (will probably regret this statement)

From: ["Alan Franklin" <alan@progressnowaction.org>](mailto:alan@progressnowaction.org)  
To: [bigcampaign@googlegroups.com](mailto:bigcampaign@googlegroups.com)  
Date: 7/11/2008 3:03:21 AM  
Subject: [big campaign] "McCain=Bush" - worst fears confirmed

<http://www.progressnowaction.org/page/community/post/al/Cqyl>

As it turns out, it wasn't the Secret Service who ordered Denver Police to [remove librarian Carol Kreck](#) from the line outside McCain's "public town hall" Monday, her only "offense" being her carrying an [inoffensive sign](#) that read "McCain=Bush."

It wasn't the DPD's idea, and the DCPA security guard who claimed on camera that the "Secret Service" had ordered her removal was, um, mistaken. Or maybe he was covering up the far less defensible truth of the matter, which is

[McCain staff asked for protester's ouster](#)

*It was Sen. John McCain's staff who asked security at the Denver Center for the Performing Arts to remove people holding protest signs at the venue -- not U.S. Secret Service agents, who were not involved in Carol Kreck's ouster from the gallery.*

*A video of the incident circulating widely on the Internet shows a DCPA security guard saying that he was told by the Secret Service to remove Kreck, who was holding a paper sign that said "McCain = Bush."*

*But Thursday, after two days of being vilified by bloggers, letter writers and others, the Secret Service emphatically denied involvement.*

*"Contrary to some recent reporting, the Secret Service had no involvement in Ms. Kreck being removed from the area," said Malcolm D. Wiley Sr., spokesman for the Secret Service. "It was not done at our request or suggestion. Any assertion to the contrary is inaccurate and inconsistent with our established policies and procedures."*

*DCPA spokeswoman Suzanne Blandon said the guard who told Kreck to leave was "simply mistaken" in identifying the Secret Service as the agency that wanted her to leave. Blandon said the guard did not intend to use the Secret Service as leverage and did not mean to mislead anyone...*

There you have it. Far worse than the original report that the Secret Service was behind Ms. Kreck's ouster--which they could have 'justified' a dozen different security-related ways, at least initially--it appears that the whole fiasco was instigated by McCain staffers who were concerned about only one thing: the embarrassing message of the sign she was carrying.

Note that today's article states that McCain's staff only requested the removal of attendees with *protest* signs--dozens of people festooned with pro-McCain schwag were allowed in, contrary to claims from McCain's campaign that *nobody* was. That's a critical point.

It wasn't a uniform security restriction imposed by the Secret Service, and it was not some [unsupportable distinction](#) between "public places" and "not really public public places" arranged between the city and the Performing Arts Center--although that appears to have been the pretext. And not an overzealous DCPA security guard striking out on his own.

No, it was McCain's people who did this. Because they *didn't like her sign*. As clear and audacious a violation of Carol Kreck's right to free speech as can be imagined.

[Click here to make a donation](#) to our fund to defend Carol Kreck, and thanks to all of you who have donated thousands of dollars already. Looks like the money will be well spent, fighting for Ms. Kreck's rights--and yours, too.

See also:

- [Video: MSNBC's Countdown reports on Carol Kreck/McCain "town hall" civil liberties issues](#)
- [Release: First Amendment Rights Violated by McCain Campaign](#)
- [Librarian carrying McCain=Bush sign kicked out of McCain Event](#)

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10/18/2016

This is a list of individuals. It is not affiliated with any group or organization.

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Tierney, Susan" <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com>](mailto:Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com)
Date: 5/31/2015 12:26:27 PM
Subject: Re: howdy

My morning changed a bit. How about any time between 1:00-3:30?

On Sunday, May 31, 2015, Tierney, Susan <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com> wrote:
I'll e happy to step out of a mtg when I see your call -- whenever it's convenient for you. 617-901-6921. Thanks!

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617-901-6921 (mobile)

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2015 05:12 PM
To: Tierney, Susan
Subject: RE: howdy

You good late morning tomorrow?

On May 31, 2015 4:05 PM, "Tierney, Susan" <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com> wrote:
Hi John –

Hope you've been having a good Spring, and that you had fun at the Columbia event honoring you.

Do you have any time this week to catch up? If so, please shoot me some times.

Cheers –

Sue

From: Tierney, Susan
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2015 11:50 PM
To: 'John Podesta'
Subject: RE: howdy

Any old time on Thursday that's good for you is good for me.

Cheers

Sue

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2015 11:04 PM
To: Tierney, Susan
Subject: Re: howdy

Thursday is better for me.

On Monday, May 18, 2015, Tierney, Susan <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com> wrote:
Hope you're not fried.

I could talk either:

- Wed except 11-12 eastern
- Thursday any r metime.

Looking forward to catching up.

Best –

Sue

From: John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2015 8:09 PM
To: Tierney, Susan
Subject: Re: howdy

Sorry Sue,

I've been on the road for the last 3 weeks. Want to try to talk Wednesday or Thursday?

On Monday, May 18, 2015, Tierney, Susan <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com > wrote:

Hi John – Hope you're doing very well.

I am so disappointed that I will not be in NYC for Columbia U's Energy Policy Center's celebration of your public service. Maybe I can offer you an appropriate toast the next time we find ourselves at the same meeting. Congratulations.

Please let me know whether and, if so, when you'd like to catch up about ClimateWorks matters.

Best –

Sue

From: Tierney, Susan
Sent: Tuesday, April 21, 2015 5:59 PM
To: 'John Podesta'
Subject: RE: howdy

Hello again!

I'd love to catch up whenever it's convenient for you either this week or next. I have enthusiastic reactions to report, and want to share them with you.

If you want to pass this along to someone who manages your calendar, please do.

Best –

Sue

From: John Podesta [<mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, April 20, 2015 2:31 PM
To: Tierney, Susan
Subject: Re: howdy

Didn't get the vm. Interested in exploring. Let me know what the Board says.

On Apr 20, 2015 12:58 PM, "Tierney, Susan" <Susan.Tierney@analysisgroup.com > wrote:

Hi John –

I'm sure you've been swamped the past few weeks in the lead-up to Ms. Clinton's campaign. (I know she said to call her Hillary, but it seems a little informal!) Hope that things are going well there.

I left a voice mail a few weeks ago, after the ClimateWorks board, and I'm wondering whether I had the right number. I wanted to relay to you the fact that after our discussion last month, we (the ClimateWorks board) decided to take seriously your suggestion that we think hard about how the array of issues associated with different forms of affiliation with the Honorable Mr. Podesta. Since then, we have asked our legal counsel about issues, and we've explored some of the optics in the US and abroad. Nothing has arisen that would cause us to not want you as part of the team. In fact, there's huge enthusiasm for that. We're discussing it again on our board call tomorrow, and I will circle back to you after that.

Happy Spring.

Sue

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From: "Burns Strider" <burns.strider@americanbridge.org>

To: [CTRFriendsFamily](mailto:CTRFriendsFamily@americanbridge.org) <CTRFriendsFamily@americanbridge.org>

Date: 9/12/2014 6:32:01 AM

Subject: Correct The Record Friday September 12, 2014 Afternoon Roundup



Correct The Record Friday September 12, 2014 Afternoon Roundup:

Tweets:

Pres. Bill Clinton @billclinton: #OTD in '94 I welcomed the 1st class of @Americorps. Grateful to the 900K members who've kept the spirit of service alive in the U.S. #Proud [9/12/14, [10:33 a.m. EDT](#)]

Correct The Record @CorrectRecord: [@HillaryClinton](#) called for an emergency appropriation to protect [@AmeriCorps](#) [#AmeriCorps20](#) <http://correctrecord.org/hillary-clintons-strong-support-of-ameri-corps/...> [9/12/14, [1:08 p.m. EDT](#)]

Correct The Record @CorrectRecord: [@HillaryClinton](#) worked to expand [@AmeriCorps](#) and provide more substantial education awards. [#AmeriCorps20](#) <http://correctrecord.org/hillary-clintons-strong-support-of-ameri-corps/...> [9/12/14, [12:57 p.m. EDT](#)]

Correct The Record @CorrectRecord: Americans vote for who "they believe is the most qualified to lead our nation – gender, race and religion aside." <http://time.com/3329430/chuck-todd-hillary-clinton/...> [9/12/14, [10:26 a.m. EDT](#)]

Headlines:

[CNN: "Clinton tops Democrats in Iowa while Huckabee leads Republicans"](#)

"According to a new CNN/ORC poll, 53% of all registered Democrats contacted in Iowa said they would support Hillary Clinton if the 2016 caucuses were held today."

[Washington Post: "Hillary Clinton returns to Iowa, trailed by criticisms about 2008 loss"](#)

"Hillary Rodham Clinton returns to Iowa this weekend for the first time since her devastating loss in the 2008 presidential caucuses, arriving as the undeclared frontrunner for the 2016 Democratic nomination but still trailed by criticisms about her first campaign here."

[The Wire: "Hillary Clinton Returns to Iowa a Mere Mortal"](#)

"Hillary Clinton returns to Iowa on Sunday for the first time in six years, but she'll do so without the same god-like political status she held at the peak of her popularity as secretary of state."

[The Hill: "Clinton allies target Iowa youth"](#)

"The Ready for Hillary SuperPAC is visiting six college campuses in Iowa next week, piggybacking on Hillary Clinton's first visit to the state since her disappointing loss in the 2008 presidential election."

[Wall Street Journal blog: Japan Realtime: "Hillary Clinton Talks Up Paid Family Leave"](#)

"In a videotaped speech to a largely adoring crowd, Mrs. Clinton highlighted that paid leave is one area the U.S. still lags behind even Japan."

[Washington Times: "Bill Clinton touts Hillary's credentials at White House event"](#)

"Mr. Clinton, who launched the first AmeriCorps class on Sept. 12, 1994, told the audience on the South Lawn that Mrs. Clinton has been a longtime supporter of national service."

[Washington Post blog: The Fix: "Hillary Clinton is going to Iowa this weekend. How she acts will be telling."](#)

"Her trip to Iowa is one of the first major tests of what Hillary Clinton 2016 will look like and how -- if at all -- it will differ from Hillary Clinton 2008."

[Washington Post opinion: Sen. Marco Rubio: "Let's reject the veiled isolationism of Obama and Clinton"](#)

"President Obama's call on Wednesday for the United States to lead an international military campaign in the Middle East has the potential to begin a departure from the isolationism that he and former secretary of state Hillary Rodham Clinton have advocated during their years in office."

[Weekly Standard blog: The Blog: "Hillary Clinton Quietly Scrubs 'Remarks' From Website"](#)

"Hillary Clinton is widely considered, should she enter the 2016 presidential race, the Democratic front runner. But the former secretary of state is shrinking rather than building an already limited website presence."

Articles:

[CNN: "Clinton tops Democrats in Iowa while Huckabee leads Republicans"](#)

By Dan Merica

September 12, 2014, 10:18 a.m. EDT

Hillary Clinton is heading to Iowa as the politician that most Democrats would choose as their 2016 presidential nominee.

According to a new CNN/ORC poll, 53% of all registered Democrats contacted in Iowa said they would support Hillary Clinton if the 2016 caucuses were held today. That number far outpaces the 15% that would opt for Vice President Joe Biden, 7% who would choose Sen. Elizabeth Warren and 5% who would pick Sen. Bernie Sanders.

Clinton will be visiting Iowa for the first time in six years on Sunday when she headlines the last Harkin Steak Fry. Biden, likewise, will be in the state Wednesday to speak at a liberal Catholic event in Des Moines.

Although Clinton tops Biden with men and women, there is a noticeable gender split between the two politicians. Sixty-three percent of women favor Clinton, compared with Biden's 10%. With men, however, Biden is drawing 21% support -- a number more than twice his support among women.

On the Republican side, Mike Huckabee nearly laps the field with 21% of all registered Republicans contacted in the poll saying they would support the former Arkansas governor if the 2016 Iowa caucuses were held today.

Paul Ryan is second with 12%, and there is a cadre of politicians -- including Sen. Rand Paul, former Florida Gov. Jeb Bush and New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie -- with support in the single digits.

Huckabee and Ryan are getting similar support with men -- 15% and 16%, respectively -- but it is with women that the former Arkansas governor jumps ahead of the congressman.

Twenty-seven percent of registered Republican women polled said they would pick Huckabee, compared with 8% who choose Ryan.

As the first-in-the-nation caucus state, Iowa is critically important to presidential hopefuls and can make or break a campaign.

With almost two years until the 2016 presidential election and a little over a year before the Iowa caucuses, most Republicans and Democrats polled have openly admitted that they are toying with the idea of running for president.

The CNN/ORC poll was conducted September 8-10, with 1,013 Iowa adults -- 608 likely voters -- questioned by telephone. The survey's overall

sampling error is plus or minus 4 percentage points.

[Washington Post: "Hillary Clinton returns to Iowa, trailed by criticisms about 2008 loss"](#)

By Dan Balz and Philip Rucker

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DES MOINES — Hillary Rodham Clinton returns to Iowa this weekend for the first time since her devastating loss in the 2008 presidential caucuses, arriving as the undeclared frontrunner for the 2016 Democratic nomination but still trailed by criticisms about her first campaign here.

The former secretary of state and her husband, former president Bill Clinton, will be in Iowa for Sen. Tom Harkin's (D-Iowa) annual steak fry on Sunday. But if the ostensible purpose of her visit is to pay tribute to Harkin — who is retiring after 40 years of elective office in Washington — she will not escape from the speculation that this is simply one more step toward a formal presidential campaign. At a minimum, it will mark her initial foray on the campaign trail for this fall's midterm elections.

"I don't expect her to talk about her future decisions," said Harkin's wife, Ruth, who is a longtime Hillary Clinton friend and supporter. "They're going to be announced next year. But this is a very significant moment for her to greet Iowa voters."

Clinton's 2008 effort in Iowa was plagued by startup problems and affected by the overall dysfunction of her national campaign team. By the time she corrected her course, Obama had moved ahead of her on the ground.

But it was more than staff problems that hurt Clinton here in 2008. As a candidate, she often chafed at the demands of the caucus process, including the time required to court individual activists across the state. She disliked traveling too far from Des Moines and certain friendly hotels.

Added to that are questions raised by this summer's book tour about whether her campaign instincts have dulled. Clinton's time since leaving the Senate has been devoted to foreign policy discussions inside the administration, interaction with world leaders and more than a year of lucrative speechmaking as a private citizen — rather than being in more regular contact with everyday Americans.

At this point, Clinton has no strong challenger in Iowa, for her a welcome contrast to eight years ago when she faced then-senator Barack Obama and a well-entrenched John Edwards, the party's 2004 vice presidential nominee.

Nonetheless, she won't have Iowa totally to herself this weekend. Sen. Bernard Sanders (I-Vt.), who is contemplating running for president, will appear at several events, while Vice President Biden, who was the featured speaker at last year's Harkin steak fry, will be in the state next week. Gov. Martin O'Malley (D-Md.) has been a frequent visitor here.

Still, she remains the dominant prospective candidate in her party. Anticipation of Clinton's appearance (as well as her husband's), and the fact that this is the last of Harkin's 37 steak fry events, will draw a large crowd at a balloon field in Indianola on Sunday afternoon.

Democratic activists and local party officials are eager to see and hear from her, even as they offer suggestions for how she should run differently in 2016.

Walt Piegler, the Democratic chair in Dubuque County, called Clinton "a lead-pipe cinch" if she runs for the nomination, though he has long been a supporter of Biden and would back him again if he were to run in 2016. "There's a great deal of support for her in Dubuque among my central committee," he said. "They like her and they like Bill."

But many of these same activists say Clinton needs to learn from the mistakes of her last campaign, which drew criticism for not understanding the culture of Iowa's caucus politics and because the Clinton entourage often got in the way of her ability to connect more effectively with voters.

Julie Stewart, Democratic chair in Dallas County outside Des Moines, said her personal experience with Clinton has always positive, but she was critical of the Clinton national team of 2008. "She brought people from New York and that just didn't work," she said. "Obama hired Iowans or Midwesterners. Even though she grew up in the Midwest, the people she brought with her, I don't think they connected well."

A conversation with a group of Iowa Democratic activists earlier this year revealed similar complaints. The activists respected Clinton for her experience but still found her less approachable than some others in their party. And they too complained about Clinton's national team.

"The BlackBerry was more important than the contact with [people]," Dale Todd, a developer of affordable house who had backed Obama in the 2008 caucuses, said last spring. "We would be sitting right here, and they would be working their BlackBerry, and you just felt like you weren't getting through."

Bonnie Campbell, who was co-chair of Clinton's 2008 Iowa campaign, said the criticism of Clinton as someone who could not connect with voters in Iowa still baffles her. "I'm mystified by it," she said. "I attended many events where she stayed till the last hand had been shaken. ... There was a really strong, important give and take. I just don't know. I don't think that's accurate."

But Campbell acknowledged the challenges Clinton would face trying to run a campaign close to the ground, given her stature and the security protection that accompanies her. "The hardest challenge of all is putting together a strategy that's true to her personality and style, which I do think the one-on-one is," she said. "Thinking about how you do retail politics when you are such almost a larger-than-life figure is a real challenge."

Neither Clinton nor most of her national staff understood the intricacies of the sometimes-arcane caucus process. By the time the 2008 campaign here ended, both she and her husband were left with a sour taste about the caucuses, which they saw as undemocratic. Caucuses require voters to show up at a specified hour and stay for an extended period, unlike primaries that allow someone to vote at any time during the day.

The former president also was new to the caucus process in 2008. He never had to compete in the caucuses during his campaigns for the White House because he and others ceded the state to Harkin in the 1992 nominating contest, and he faced no primary competition in his reelection campaign. Even now, he is still fixated on what he thinks are the flaws of the process.

This time around, Clinton's allies, with the help of some of those who ran Obama's 2008 operation, are busy trying to avoid the problems of the past. Some are assembling a grass-roots network here that her eventual campaign could inherit while the state Democratic Party is moving to address some of the criticisms of the caucus process.

Ready for Hillary, a pro-Clinton super PAC, began organizing in Iowa in January and has been signing up supporters at fairs and political gatherings in all 99 counties. "It's just like a campaign, absent an announced candidate," Campbell said. She admitted that she was skeptical when she attended the first Ready for Hillary organizing meetings in Des Moines but now is "all in." The groundwork will give Clinton a "huge advantage" in the caucuses.

Ready for Hillary officials said the group recently purchased the Iowa Democratic Party's 2008 caucus voter data, at a cost of \$20,000, which includes data about every Democrat who participated in the caucuses and which candidates they supported. The super PAC intends to target voters who caucused for Obama and other candidates to persuade them to support Clinton, as well as reconnect with those who caucused for Clinton the first time.

The Iowa Democratic Party has proposed changes to caucus rules in an effort to make them more accessible to more people. Scott Brennan, the state Democratic chair, said the proposals are the result of recommendations from a process that drew advice from many sources. A Democratic activist, who declined to be identified in order to be candid, said Iowa supporters of Clinton worked to encourage the changes.

The party is trying to make caucus locations more accessible for handicapped voters, improve childcare options for parents of small children, and create options for military men and women serving overseas to participate. Also under consideration is a rule allowing so-called satellite caucuses in which, for instance, a group of laborers in a factory working a shift during the caucus time could assemble their own caucus at their workplace, so long as their employer accommodates them.

"It's all about how can we get more people involved in the process," Brennan said.

Iowa was always a difficult state for Clinton in 2008. Though she held a big lead in national polls throughout 2007 and was running ahead in most other states, she never was able to build that kind of commanding support in Iowa against either Obama or John Edwards.

The state looked daunting enough that Mike Henry, who was the deputy campaign manager, wrote a memo recommending that Clinton skip the state entirely. When the memo leaked, the Clinton campaign disavowed the contents, though in retrospect the advice might have served her well, given her third-place finish here.

This time, Iowa activists say that whether she has real or nominal competition, she should run all-out in Iowa ahead of the 2016 caucuses. And even supporters say they hope she will have competition, if only to sharpen her skills as a candidate.

"If she ultimately decides to run for the White House in 2016, she needs to come here and do the work that everyone does in Iowa," Brennan said.

"In Iowa, shoe leather wins elections better than anything," Pregler said. "Just go greet and meet. . . . I'd just tell her to be Hillary."

[The Wire: "Hillary Clinton Returns to Iowa a Mere Mortal"](#)

By Russell Berman

September 12, 2014

Hillary Clinton returns to Iowa on Sunday for the first time in six years, but she'll do so without the same god-like political status she held at the peak of her popularity as secretary of state.

The former first lady and New York senator's poll numbers have come back down to earth after years in the stratosphere – the result of renewed Republican attacks since she left the State Department and, in all likelihood, collateral damage from the unraveling of President Obama's foreign policy.

An NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll released this week found that Clinton's favorability was barely above water; 43 percent of respondents viewed her positively compared to 41 percent who held a negative view of her. That represents a sharp drop from less than two years ago, when 58 percent of registered voters viewed her positively just before she left the Obama administration.

Clinton does remain queen of the Democrats: A CNN poll released Friday of registered Democrats in Iowa found that 53 percent would support her for president, more than three times the level for any other potential candidate. But that finding could say as much about the lack of competition as it does about Clinton herself.

Vice President Joe Biden is the only other Democrat with a national following that is currently giving thought to a 2016 campaign.

Clinton's fall was easily predicted, of course. Her years as secretary of state shielded her from the rough-and-tumble of campaign politics, and even some of Obama's top political advisers have pushed her to stay on the sidelines as long as she could before jumping back into the fray.

Yet Clinton has clearly chosen a middle road. While she hasn't weighed in on every controversy or gone attacking Republican presidential hopefuls, she put herself back firmly in the public eye with a seemingly never-ending book tour this summer.

Now, she'll cross what is likely the last hurdle before becoming a candidate again by speaking at Sen. Tom Harkin's annual Steak Fry, a highly political fundraiser in the first voting state in 2016. Political observers will closely watch her talk for the outlines of a campaign stump speech, and she is expected to hit the road for Democratic candidates in the weeks leading up to the midterm elections.

Republicans will be watching, too, and they are welcoming Clinton back to Iowa by reminding her, in an email blast, of what happened last time she visited the Hawkeye State:

Hillary Clinton Returns To The Site Of Her Most Stinging Political Defeat

[The Hill: "Clinton allies target Iowa youth"](#)

By Amie Parnes

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The Ready for Hillary SuperPAC is visiting six college campuses in Iowa next week, piggybacking on Hillary Clinton's first visit to the state since her disappointing loss in the 2008 presidential election.

Clinton will appear Sunday at Sen. Tom Harkin's steak fry, a must-stop for any presidential contender that might be even more important this year given Harkin's pending retirement.

She'll have an opportunity to speak — and possibly flip steaks — before a crowd of 5,000 people in the state that will hold the first contest in the 2016 presidential race.

Clinton finished a disappointing third in the Iowa caucuses in 2008 behind not only then-Sen. Barack Obama (D-Ill.), but to former Sen. John Edwards (D-N.C.), too.

Sunday's visit and the SuperPAC's work shows she's determined to deliver a better result this year, and her allies are already keying in on young voters.

Twenty-three percent of Democratic caucus goers in 2008 were under 30 years old, highlighting the importance of winning the demographic in Iowa — in the primary and general election, in which Iowa is a swing state.

More than half of the younger voters in Iowa supported Obama over Clinton, according to exit polling data.

The Ready for Hillary SuperPAC — which has already visited all of the Hawkeye State's 99 counties — will stop at Iowa State University, Drake University, the University of Iowa, Cornell College, Grinnell College and the University of Northern Iowa as part of an early effort to promote Clinton — who remains officially an undecided candidate. The visits are spread out throughout the week beginning on Tuesday and running through Friday.

Polls suggest Clinton could do better in Iowa this time.

A new CNN/ORC poll released Friday shows that 53 percent of registered voters in Iowa say they would back her in a caucus, if it were held today. She's well ahead of Vice President Joe Biden — who is set to visit the state on Wednesday — at 15 percent. And Elizabeth Warren (D-Mass.) received just 7 percent of support in the poll.

Here are four other things to watch for this weekend from both Hillary Clinton and former President Bill Clinton, who will accompany his wife to the steak fry.

1) It's not a rehearsal but a 'soft open'

The Clintons are aware of the stakes involved in Sunday's event.

One former aide to Hillary Clinton said the steak fry amounts to not a rehearsal but a "soft open" for a potential Clinton campaign and an entree to the Hawkeye state.

And as Clinton criss-crosses the country to campaign for various midterm candidates in the coming weeks, she'll have a large entourage accompanying her.

Ready for Hillary aides — along with their bus — are expected to be at many of the midterm campaign stops to maximize the punch of each appearance, just as they are in Iowa.

2) Don't expect either Clinton to say anything about 2016

Yes, it's Iowa. Yes, it's an event with not just one but two Clintons. And yes, it's the first public political event, Hillary Clinton has attended in years.

But don't expect a peep about a run for the White House, or even a joke about coming back for a repeat visit.

Clinton allies say that while there are obviously 2016 overtones to the event, they will keep the focus on Harkin during the visit — and also try to help Rep. Bruce Braley (D-Iowa), who is facing a difficult race in keeping the Harkin seat in Democrats' hands.

Republicans scoff at that notion, however, that the trip by the former secretary of State isn't about 2016.

"Hillary is going to Iowa because she's currently running a campaign for president — a rather unsuccessful one thus far seeing as her favorables have dropped 20 points since leaving State according to the most recent Wall Street Journal poll," said Tim Miller, the executive director of the SuperPAC America Rising.

3) Don't expect her to talk about her 2008 defeat.

Iowa and 2008 is a sore subject for most Clintonites, and Hillary Clinton doesn't like to wallow in the history.

Most aides blame a poor Iowa strategy for the defeat, but would rather put their past dealings with Iowa in the "lessons learned" category.

"We'd like to forget any of that happened and focus on what's ahead," said one former aide to Clinton.

But those who oppose Clinton will want to constantly remind people about her Iowa failings. The Republican National Committee will be sending out a document to allies reminding them of Hillary's third-place showing in 2008's caucus.

4) Iowans will be saturated with Hillary Clinton...starting now

Coming into Des Moines from out of town? Expect to see a Ready for Hillary billboard when leaving the airport. And expect other Hawkeye state billboards — including one in downtown Des Moines — to sprout soon.

It's also set up to be a media circus.

More than a year before the Iowa Caucuses, approximately 200 reporters have been credentialed to cover the steak fry, which C-SPAN will broadcast live.

[Wall Street Journal blog: Japan Realtime: "Hillary Clinton Talks Up Paid Family Leave"](#)

By Eleanor Warnock

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Much has been made of how far Japan still has to go to bring the number of female workers up to the level of its counterparts. But Hillary Clinton—seen as potentially the first female American president—pointed out to Japan's biggest ever conference on women's issues that that the U.S. also has a long way to go.

In a videotaped speech to a largely adoring crowd, Mrs. Clinton highlighted that paid leave is one area the U.S. still lags behind even Japan.

"The United States, unfortunately, is one of a handful of developed countries without paid family leave," the former secretary of state said in a video address to attendees of a Japanese government co-hosted conference on women's issues.

U.S. federal law does not guarantee that leave by workers to care for newborn children or sick family members is paid. In Japan, a portion of pay is guaranteed.

"If we give parents the flexibility on the job and paid family leave it actually helps productivity, which in turn helps all of us," she said.

Mrs. Clinton has expressed her support for the idea before but has said it may take time to achieve, according to U.S. media reports.

Interestingly, one of the biggest pushes by former U.S. president Bill Clinton during his first term in office was signing the Family and Medical Leave Act into law in 1993. The law guaranteed unpaid leave to eligible workers if a family member falls ill or in the case of pregnancy.

In her address Friday, Mrs. Clinton also mentioned that women hold a higher percentage of low-wage jobs in the U.S., and took a swipe at Silicon Valley.

"The situation is even worse in some key industries," she said. "Women account for just 11% of directors on the boards of technology companies"

compared with 17% overall.

On that count, however, the U.S. has Japan beat. Only 1.23% of board members in Japan are women, according to the Japanese government.

[Washington Times: "Bill Clinton touts Hillary's credentials at White House event"](#)

By Dave Boyer

September 12, 2014

At a White House ceremony Friday marking the 20th anniversary of the AmeriCorps program, former President Bill Clinton sounded as if he was doing a little early 2016 campaigning for wife Hillary.

Mr. Clinton, who launched the first AmeriCorps class on Sept. 12, 1994, told the audience on the South Lawn that Mrs. Clinton has been a longtime supporter of national service.

"I shared that great day with a lot of people, including Hillary, who campaigned across America with me in 1992, promising that we would create a national service program," Mr. Clinton said.

Then, with President Obama at his side, Mr. Clinton recited a bit of his wife's resume for the mostly young audience.

"She had participated in all kinds of community service; her first job was with the Children's Defense Fund," Mr. Clinton said. "She started the Legal Aid program in Arkansas at our university. We have lived this for a long time."

Mrs. Clinton hasn't announced whether she'll run for the White House in 2016 but is widely expected to become a candidate.

Mr. Clinton said it's "one of the most important things I ever had a role in."

Mr. Obama urged Congress to approve his budget request of \$1.05 billion for the Corporation for National and Community Service, a slight increase from fiscal 2014 enacted levels. The budget also calls for a restructuring of AmeriCorps.

The president remembered his days as a community organizer in Chicago and said he wouldn't have become president without that experience.

"It gave me a sense of direction about how I wanted to live my life," Mr. Obama said. "It made me whole. It gave me center. It gave me a compass."

[Washington Post blog: The Fix: "Hillary Clinton is going to Iowa this weekend. How she acts will be telling."](#)

By Chris Cillizza

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Let's get one thing out of the way: Hillary Clinton is a massive favorite to win the Iowa caucuses -- and the Democratic presidential nomination -- in 2016. (If she runs, of course, which everyone now assumes she will.) Just in case you aren't hip to that reality, CNN and the Opinion Research Corporation released a poll on Friday that made it crystal clear; Clinton led the 2016 field in Iowa with 53 percent followed by Vice President Joe Biden at 15 percent. No one else even got into double digits.

So, when Clinton stops in Iowa for the first time in six years this Sunday -- she and her husband are headlining Sen. Tom Harkin's final Steak Fry -- she will be greeted like a hero. But, it's worth remembering Clinton's problems in Iowa in 2008 when analyzing the approach she takes to all of that adoration.

Clinton finished third in the 2008 Iowa caucuses -- John Edwards narrowly edged her out for second. There were lots and lots of reasons given for her struggles in the state up to and including:

* The Clinton machine wasn't strong in Iowa since Bill Clinton didn't seriously compete in the state in 1992 (native son Harkin made the race non-competitive) and was unchallenged for the Democratic nomination in 1996.

* Clinton was out of step -- particularly on the war in Iraq -- with the liberal activists that comprise the bulk of the caucus vote. Both Obama and Edwards were significantly more outspoken in their opposition to the war than Clinton.

* Clinton fundamentally misunderstood the Iowa electorate. She ran a Rose Garden campaign when Iowa voters wanted her to drop the big entourage and simply talk to them one on one.

It's that last criticism that may be most telling as it relates to 2016. Clinton and former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani were the two most famous candidates in the 2008 race. Both came to Iowa wearing that fame -- cocooned off from average folks, defaulting to larger rallies rather than the hand to hand work that has, traditionally, been rewarded by Iowa voters.

Giuliani quickly realized Iowa wasn't for him, skipping the state to spend more time in New Hampshire. (Giuliani eventually scrapped that strategy too; making Florida his firewall. It became his Waterloo.) Clinton stayed; she had no choice since the frontrunner for the nomination can't pick and choose which states to seriously contest.

The exit poll conducted after Clinton's third place finish in Iowa speaks to the problem she had connecting with the electorate on any level other than celebrity-to-suppliant. One in five Iowa Democratic caucus-goers said that a candidate who "cares about people like me" was the most important characteristic in making their choice. Edwards got 44 percent among that group -- double Clinton's 22 percent. (Obama took 24 percent.) By contrast, among the 20 percent of caucus-goers who said a candidate with the "right experience" to be president was most important to them, Clinton lapped the competition by winning almost half of their votes.

The takeaway from the 2008 exit poll is this: No one doubted Clinton's competence. They doubted her compassion. She was always "Hillary Clinton" and never Hillary Clinton. It seems more than coincidental that when, in the runup to the New Hampshire primary, Clinton let more of her "real self" show, her polls numbers improved drastically.

Clinton hasn't talked extensively about what she thinks she did wrong in 2008. But, she has parted ways with pollster and chief strategist Mark Penn, the leading advocate of a strategy that focused on Clinton's competence not her compassion. And, early indications -- particularly in how she has talked about being a woman running for president -- suggest she will take a different approach this time around.

That said, her post-Secretary of State life has largely been defined by making big-dollar speeches and limiting her exposure to the press and most everyone else. Her trip to Iowa is one of the first major tests of what Hillary Clinton 2016 will look like and how -- if at all -- it will differ from Hillary Clinton 2008.

[Washington Post opinion: Sen. Marco Rubio: "Let's reject the veiled isolationism of Obama and Clinton"](#)

By Sen. Marco Rubio

September 12, 2014, 7:31 a.m. EDT

President Obama's call on Wednesday for the United States to lead an international military campaign in the Middle East has the potential to begin a departure from the isolationism that he and former secretary of state Hillary Rodham Clinton have advocated during their years in office. There is a risk, however, that the president's focus on a counterterrorism campaign akin to those waged in Yemen and Somalia, and his reliance on regional partners to deal with the challenge posed by the Islamic State, could lead to the continuation of what has been the most disengaged presidential foreign policy in modern American history.

From his focus on prematurely ending wars in the interest of "nation-building here at home" to his abandonment of America's traditional allies in an effort to placate America's enemies, President Obama has made it clear that he is different from his post-World War II predecessors. The question now is whether, facing this new threat, the president will rise to the occasion and truly reassert American leadership.

Five and a half years of the Obama/Clinton worldview has given Americans a graphic and often horrific view of the chaos that is unleashed in the world when America walks away from its traditional role as the guarantor of global security. From Syria and Iraq to eastern Ukraine and the South China Sea, we are seeing what the world will look like if our leaders continue choosing detachment: more violence, rivals and partners alike taking advantage of our inaction, and a steady increase in threats to our citizens and to our prosperity.

The Obama administration did not advocate this global retreat on its own. Members of my own Republican Party have also at times embraced the Democrats' narrative that too much American leadership is the problem, rather than the solution to global instability. Not too long ago, some neo-isolationists even claimed that America has no significant national interest in the conflicts in Syria and Iraq, and that American support for the Syrian opposition fueled the growth of the Islamic State.

The truth is that, when the Syrian people rose up in 2011 in protest against Bashar al-Assad's brutal rule, our vital national interest was to prevent a protracted civil war in which radical jihadists from all over the world could rush into a vacuum. If they could seize operational spaces, they could use them to plan and carry out attacks against our allies and ultimately America.

In the early stages of this conflict, responsible, bipartisan voices called for U.S. leadership, hoping precisely to prevent the outcome we have now seen play out. I urged Secretary Clinton and President Obama to intervene decisively to oust Assad and to identify and arm the moderate Syrian opposition. Instead, we were told that Assad was a "reformer" and that we should not get involved. At a critical decision point early in the Syrian crisis, when our involvement could have swayed the outcome, the isolationist voices won. America effectively stood on the sidelines, letting the problem fester for more than three years as the moderates opposing the regime were pushed aside by better-funded and better-armed jihadists. Meanwhile, the administration's incoherent policy further empowered Assad, strengthening his grip on power as chaos, violence and refugees spilled across Syria's borders, threatening the entire region.

Some former Obama administration officials, notably Secretary Clinton, have tried to argue that they advocated internally for a different approach, that they saw the train wreck coming. But the fact of the matter is that when they were in positions of responsibility, they failed to prevent the situation that now exists. "What are we going to arm them with and against what?" Secretary Clinton said of the Syrian opposition in 2012. She and other administration officials who found their voices only after they left office were complicit in implementing and publicly defending the president's disastrous foreign policies — and we'll be dealing with the consequences for decades to come.

When President Obama finally proposed intervening militarily in Syria last year, his primary objective was to censure Assad for using chemical weapons. He argued that America should remain disengaged from the core conflict. He presented no viable plan to remove the Assad regime from power, significantly assist the moderate rebels or substantially degrade the radical jihadists.

More than three years into the conflict, we have done very little to support the non-jihadist opposition. After admitting in a late-August news conference that he had no strategy, the president now assures us that he has a plan to destroy the Islamic State. With any time wasted, the challenge only grows.

While the president abdicated leadership, other regional actors irresponsibly armed groups within Syria without regard for their ideology or goals. These nations chose to do so not because of U.S. involvement, but because of the lack thereof. The result is that today, Syria has become a prime operational space for radical jihadists from around the world.

With its base in Syria, the Islamic State is now perhaps the most extreme, powerful and capable terrorist group ever, with the clear intention of establishing an Islamic caliphate to dominate the region and launch attacks against anyone who doesn't share its warped ideology.

The group didn't achieve all this because America was too involved; just the opposite. It rose most quickly in America's absence and is intent on driving us out of the Middle East. It is counting on us to abandon our support of Jordan, Israel and other allies. It plans to terrorize us into retreat.

America and the Islamic State are on an unavoidable collision course — and there will be a price as we finally confront this challenge. We should not think this struggle will be quick or risk-free. But every American should know that the price of further disengagement now would be greater sacrifice later.

To confront the Islamic State terrorists, we need a sustained air campaign targeting their leadership, sources of income and supply routes, wherever they exist. We must increase our efforts to equip and capacitate non-jihadists in Syria to fight the terrorist group. And we must arm and support forces in Iraq confronting it, including responsible Iraqi partners and the Kurds. In addition, we must persuade nations in the region threatened by the Islamic State to participate in real efforts to defeat it.

But we are fooling ourselves if we think that this will be just another counterterrorism campaign like the strategy the United States has pursued in Yemen and Somalia. Those cases are not success stories but containment strategies. The conflict in Syria is impossible to contain. The long-term threat posed by the Islamic State is much greater than that posed by al-Shabab or al-Qaeda in the Arabian Peninsula. If we are serious, as the president said, about ultimately destroying the Islamic State, we cannot rule anything out.

Part of our response should also be reflected in our budgetary discussions here at home. It is no coincidence that those Republicans who would continue the president's failed isolationist policies would also accelerate another grave mistake of the Obama era: the weakening of our defense capabilities through misguided priorities and round after round of defense cuts, even as crises multiply. In their minds, a retreat on the world stage has the benefit of a smaller, less capable military to go along with it.

Taken together, a continued weakening of America's role in the world in word and deed, and a reduction in U.S. military capabilities, would mark a dramatic and almost irreversible change in American foreign and national security policy — a change that would make the current chaos in the world pale in comparison.

As he "bears witness" to their violations of international order, President Obama likes to levy the charge that America's foes, from Vladimir Putin to the Islamic State, are on the "wrong side of history." But presidents are not supposed to be witnesses to history; they are supposed to help shape it in America's favor. Those of us entrusted with public service are called to lead not in the world as we wish it were, but rather in the world as it is. The world is more connected than it once was, and recent history has proved that without American leadership, global instability threatens not only our national security, but also our economy and our very way of life.

Leadership demands shaping public opinion, not chasing it; speaking the hard truths on complex issues; and rallying the American people to confront the difficult challenges of our time. And those who seek to lead our country should understand that the world needs more American engagement, not less. Decisive and targeted use of America's military, diplomatic and economic power will not only defeat the Islamic State and deliver us from this crisis, it will also strengthen America and ensure our long-term security.

A key lesson from President Obama's first 51 / 2 years in office is that isolationism and disengagement, no matter how they're disguised, only put more American lives at risk.

[Weekly Standard blog: The Blog: "Hillary Clinton Quietly Scrubs 'Remarks' From Website"](#)

By Jeryl Bier

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Hillary Clinton is widely considered, should she enter the 2016 presidential race, the Democratic front runner. But the former secretary of state is shrinking rather than building an already limited website presence.

Sometime within the last two months, Hillaryclintonoffice.com quietly removed the only substantive content featured on her website, a set of remarks from three events from early 2013. The home page of the site that included a "remarks" button in addition to the "contact" button vanished sometime between July 23 and August 27 as these images show:

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Mrs. Clinton launched the website within a week of concluding her tenure as secretary of state in February 2013. By April, transcripts of remarks from three events in which Clinton took part were added: February 14, 2013, remarks at the Joint Civilian Service Award Presentation; April 2, 2013, remarks at Vital Voices (a non-governmental organization promoting women's leadership); and April 5, 2013, remarks at Women in the World summit. The latter two events chiefly consisted of Clinton's own remarks on a variety of issues related to women's place in societies around the world and their struggles, and Clinton's efforts and actions on those issues as secretary.

The first event, the Joint Civilian Service Award Presentation, included remarks from not only Clinton but also from Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff General Martin Dempsey, then-Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta, and an unnamed announcer. Dempsey had glowing words for Clinton for "working tirelessly in the aftermath of the Arab Spring and to ensure we had a strong coalition in Libya" and "recogniz[ing] that there are limits to hard power and that we need both hard power and soft power." As Dempsey presented Clinton with the award, the announcer lauded Clinton's "smart power strategy."

Panetta's praise for Clinton was effusive as he recalled working together during Bill Clinton's presidency as well as Hillary's term as secretary of state. He credited her with important roles during the planning for the successful bin Laden raid, as well as issues regarding "Afghanistan and Syria and terrorist attacks, and even on our own defense strategy, including the whole issue of Asia Pacific rebalance," adding that the two of them had together made recommendations to President Obama regarding "difficult choices in Iraq and Afghanistan and Libya and the Middle East." Before presenting Clinton with a second award, Panetta closed his remarks with what could easily be taken for an endorsement of Clinton for future public service:

"Today ... it is now clear that we need to maintain a strong military force to deal with the unstable and unpredictable and undeniably dangerous world that we live in. But it is equally clear that we must enhance our other key levers of power, our economic and diplomatic power, if we are to truly achieve peace in the 21st century. Delivering on that vision will require wisdom, and it will require a will to act, qualities that Hillary Clinton exemplified throughout her career and as secretary of state."

In Clinton's own remarks, she seemed to close the door on future service by referring to herself as a "retired public official" who had "left the State Department in the capable hands of Secretary John Kerry." She said that she was "enormously proud of what we have achieved" using her "smart power approach," having "gone a long way to restore America's global leadership and to make progress on some of the great challenges we face, from taking the fight to the leadership of Al Qaeda to reasserting the United States as a Pacific power."

Clinton's performance in favorability polls has been dropping in recent months, even as her legacy as secretary of state has been called into question with deteriorating conditions across the world stage. Also, in addition to Clinton's own book "Hard Choices" released this summer, several other books came out in recent months examining her life and careers, including Clinton, Inc.

Now that this set of remarks has been removed from Clinton's website, their availability elsewhere appears rather limited. However, the Still4hill.com website documents at least two of the events, even including some photos, and the Daily Beast still has the transcript of the Women in the World event. Clinton's office did not respond to a request for comment about the removal of the remarks from her website.

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Date: 10/17/2015 1:56:34 AM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: Birmingham News Op-Ed

Believe it's running in Sunday edition

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On Oct 17, 2015, at 8:55 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Did this run?

On Fri, Oct 16, 2015 at 11:41 AM, Ian Sams <isams@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Thank you, Lauren! I am moving this to the AL.com opinion folks now.

On Fri, Oct 16, 2015 at 11:37 AM, Lauren Peterson <lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Hi all,

The attached draft has been approved by HRC.

Thank you!

Lauren

###

In Alabama, without an ID, you can't vote. Yet Governor Bentley announced plans this month to close 31 driver's license offices across the state, including in every single county where African Americans make up more than 75 percent of registered voters. The closings would make getting driver's licenses and personal identification cards much harder for many African Americans, putting up new barriers to voting. As many Alabamans have said in recent days, that's just dead wrong.

Governor Bentley is insisting that the closings had nothing to do with race, but the facts tell a different story. The parallels are inescapable: Alabama is living through a blast from the Jim Crow past. Fifty years after Rosa Parks sat, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. marched, and John Lewis bled, it's hard to believe Americans are still forced to fight for their right to vote—especially in places where the civil rights movement fought so hard all those years ago.

Governor Bentley has offered the same excuses we've always heard to justify laws that disproportionately affect people of color—or, for that matter, low-income people, women, young people, and seniors. It reminds me of that old saying: "You find a turtle on a fence post, it didn't get there on its own." Institutionalized racism doesn't just happen. People make it happen.

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But for every Republican governor working to dismantle voting rights across our country, there are Americans determined to keep marching forward. I'm proud of everyone in Alabama who leapt to confront this injustice. The outcry has been so strong, it's forced politicians in Montgomery to reconsider. Governor Bentley and the legislature should listen to those voices and immediately reverse the decision to close DMV offices.

But the reforms can't stop there. Alabama is one of 17 states with no early voting. That needs to change. Alabama should make sure those who serve time have their voting rights restored. And they should eliminate the discriminatory requirement that people provide proof of citizenship when they register to vote. Too many people don't have access to their birth certificate or passport—especially college students who are living away from home. We should be doing everything we can to get more people involved in our political process, not turning them away when they try to participate.

Alabama isn't alone. Over the past few years, many states have passed laws that make voting harder. Since the Supreme Court gutted a key provision of the Voting Rights Act, the situation has gotten even worse. And some people—including many Republican candidates for president—would keep pushing our country in this shameful direction.

Jeb Bush says he wouldn't reauthorize the Voting Rights Act because voting conditions have improved since it was passed. As Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg put it, that's like throwing away your umbrella in a rainstorm because you're not getting wet. When asked recently about voter ID laws, Marco Rubio replied, "What's the big deal?" John Kasich restricted early voting in Ohio after the 2008 election, when 77 percent of early voters in the most populated county were African American. What part of democracy are all these candidates afraid of?

Many of the leaders and activists who led the original fight for the right to vote are no longer alive to stop these abuses. But we are. And we have an obligation to act.

First, Congress should put principle ahead of politics and pass the Voting Rights Advancement Act. This bipartisan bill would restore the full protections of the Voting Rights Act.

Second, we should set a standard across this country of at least 20 days of early, in-person voting—including opportunities for weekend and evening voting.

Third, we should enact universal, automatic voter registration, so every young person in every state is automatically registered to vote when they turn 18, unless they opt out. I applaud California for beginning to implement a similar approach last week. More states should follow their lead.

These steps alone won't solve all of the challenges we face. But we owe it to future generations to fight back against attacks on voting. We also owe it to them to make sure our voting system works for a modern

America. We need to meet this moment with the bravery and determination of those who came before us. It's time for leaders in every party, at every level of government, to be on the right side of history. And once again, the movement can start right here in Alabama.

On Thu, Oct 15, 2015 at 3:59 PM, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com> wrote:
Well that is a new spin. But glad you have talked to them to get the real scoop.

John Anzalone

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Subject: Re: DRAFT: Birmingham News Op-Ed

In Alabama today and just met with state legislators and political folks; I would not put it on the legislature - essentially the Gov is now saying he "found" the money but holding it hostage to force black rural democrats to agree to raise taxes on some of the state's poorest people
So its promise to raise taxes on poor people in order to get your offices back.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 15, 2015, at 2:46 PM, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com> wrote:

I would consider running this by Senator Hank Sanders from Selma but yes I think we should change it and move the focus onto the legislature to make it happen. It was after all the super-majority in the legislature who made these cuts. While the Gov signed the budget after the special session, Bentley actually had a funding plan that included big tax increases to fill the hole in the budget that the legislature would not go along with. So to make the legislature the focus I think would be the right place.

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Subject: Re: DRAFT: Birmingham News Op-Ed

Flagging that Gov. Bentley announced a plan to reopen the 31 offices, should this be changed to call on him/legislature to do that? Given his new plan, is the 'excuses' language too strong? http://www.al.com/news/index.ssf/2015/10/bentley_plan_would_reopen_clos.html

change including those in eight of the 10 counties with the highest percentage of African Americans to: including in 8 out of 12 total majority-minority counties or including in 7 counties where the African American population is more than two-thirds.

Alabama is one of 17 states with no early voting, would adjust "handful" language <http://www.ncsl.org/>

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[research/elections-and-campaigns/absentee-and-early-voting.aspx](https://www.research/elections-and-campaigns/absentee-and-early-voting.aspx)

Change Rubio hit to Marco Rubio asked "what's the big deal" about voter id laws.

Change Kasich hit to: ...a state where 77 percent of early voters in 2008 were African American in the most populated county

On Thu, Oct 15, 2015 at 11:11 AM, John Anzalone <john@algpolling.com> wrote:

One thing I would consider up front is helping readers understand the link between closing these offices and voting, meaning that people get personal identification cards here. We assume people get it but I actually don't think people do. So I would add as second line to help them out, something like:

This means that getting drivers licenses and personal identification cards required by law to vote is doubly hard for these mostly rural voters.

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Subject: RE: DRAFT: Birmingham News Op-Ed

This is great Lauren. Just a reminder, we have to submit by **COB today** to have this run on Sunday. If folks could take a look and make edits so we can get HRC approval, thatd be great

From: Lauren Peterson [mailto:lpeterson@hillaryclinton.com]]

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Subject: DRAFT: Birmingham News Op-Ed

Hi everyone,

Sending around this Birmingham News op-ed to coincide with Hillary's trip to Alabama. The op-ed will run this weekend.

Please take a look and let me know your thoughts - this reflects preliminary input from many of you, which has been much appreciated! I could definitely use research's eyes on the statistics and the GOP contrast.

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Thanks!

Lauren

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This month, Alabama announced the closing of 31 driver's license offices in counties across the state, including those in eight of the 10 counties with the highest percentage of African Americans. Despite Governor Bentley's insistence that the decision—which came a year after the state's voter ID law took effect—has nothing to do with race, the parallels are inescapable: Alabama is living through a blast from the Jim Crow past.

It's hard to believe that 50 years after Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. marched and Rosa Parks sat and John Lewis bled, Americans are still fighting to exercise the most fundamental right in our democracy. Meanwhile, Governor Bentley is offering the same excuses we've heard for half a century to justify laws that disproportionately affect people of color, low-income people, women, young people, and seniors. It reminds me of a saying from Arkansas: "You find a turtle on a fence post, it did not get there on its own."

But for every Republican governor working to dismantle voting rights, there are Americans determined to keep marching forward. I'm proud of the outcry in Alabama from people who have come together to demand better. It's time for Governor Bentley to listen to your voices and reverse the decision to close DMV offices in the Black Belt and other rural counties. But the reforms shouldn't stop there. Alabama is one of a handful of states with no early voting—that needs to change. Alabama should also eliminate the discriminatory and demeaning state requirement that people provide proof of citizenship along with their voter registration forms—a law modeled on one that has stopped more than 30,000 would-be voters from registering in Kansas. And they should make sure that Americans who have served time should have their voting rights restored once they're released.

Unfortunately (but not surprisingly), Alabama isn't an outlier. Over the past few years, many states have passed laws that make it harder to vote. Since the Supreme Court gutted a key provision of the Voting Rights Act, a dire situation has gotten even worse. And there are those—including many of the Republican candidates for president—who would continue to push our country in this shameful direction.

Jeb Bush says he wouldn't reauthorize the Voting Rights Act—because it's gotten easier to vote since it was passed. As Justice Ginsburg has said, that's like throwing away your umbrella in a rainstorm because you're not getting wet. Marco Rubio has supported harsh voter ID laws. John Kasich restricted early voting in Ohio—a state where 77

percent of early voters in 2008 were African American. What part of democracy are they so afraid of?

Many of the people who fought and sacrificed for the right to vote are no longer alive to witness these abuses. But we are. And we have an obligation to stop the systematic and deliberate effort to disenfranchise voters.

First, Congress should put principle ahead of politics and pass the Voting Rights Advancement Act—a bipartisan bill that would restore the full protections of the Voting Rights Act.

Second, we should set a standard across this country of at least 20 days of early, in-person voting—including opportunities for weekend and evening voting.

Third, we should go even further. We need universal, automatic voter registration—so that every young person in every state is automatically registered to vote when they turn 18, unless they choose to opt out. I applaud California for implementing this measure last week—an incredible victory in our most populous state.

These steps alone won't solve all of the challenges we face. But we owe it to future generations to fight back against attacks on voting, and to meet this moment with the bravery and determination of those who have come before us. It's time for leaders in every party, at every level of government, to be on the right side of history.

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Subject: WEEKLY WRAP-UP: Roy Moore the poet, Jeb the technocrat, and a bisexual governor?

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The Best of Political Animal

- Jeb Bush thinks that engaging in techno-babble is an excellent way for a reactionary politician to make shilling for deregulated and untaxed capitalist enterprises sound cool. [Read it.](#)
- If Oregon's governor John Kitzhaber resigns, he'll be replaced by Secretary of State Kate Brown, the nation's first openly-identifying bisexual statewide elected official. [Read it.](#)
- The current Chief Justice of the Alabama Supreme Court's poetry is as good an example as I've seen of the seething hatred harbored by a lot of Christian Right super-patriots. [Read it.](#)

Scott Walker is ALL about Jobs

The governor wants to change the mission statement of the Wisconsin university system from "a search from the truth" to meeting the state's "workforce needs." [Read it.](#)

The GOP is Clueless on How to Fund the DHS

It's inevitable that the Republicans will be blamed if anything bad should happen while the Department of Homeland Security is trying to operate without funds. [Read it.](#)

How College Mergers Can Screw Students

What happened when George Washington University took over the Corcoran School of Art. [Read it.](#)

Maureen Dowd Doesn't Define Girlish

There are two ideas here. The first is that it's sexist to accuse her of harboring ill-will towards that president for treating her with scorn, as if this isn't a universal reaction human beings have to being disrespected. The second is that she's been singled out for pariah status because she's a woman. [Read it.](#)

From the magazine

The Rise and Fall of the U.S. Government

While other conservatives say that the American state has become too powerful, Francis Fukuyama argues that it has grown too weak. By John J. Dilulio Jr. [Read it.](#)



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"Charles Baker" <cbaker@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 7/30/2015 6:31:30 AM
Subject: Re: Idea

Gordon,

I am adding Charlie Baker who has the lead for us on this. I am assuming you guys probably know each other, but if not, happy to make a more appropriate introduction. Also copying Robby. Thanks for thinking of this and the offer.

John

On Thursday, July 30, 2015, Giffin, Gordon <gordon.giffin@dentons.com> wrote:

In my continuing effort to find ways to help it occurs to me that I might be able to assist in connection with preparations for the convention. Before going to Canada I was legal counsel for 3 successive conventions (Atlanta, NY & Chicago). I also chaired the DNC site selection committee for Chicago and negotiated the contracts with the cities. I assume, without taking anything for granted, some preparatory work will be required and you won't want to divert people who are focused on the day to day campaign. I would be delighted to help.

Gordon D Giffin

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From: "Ross Offinger" <ross@kirstengillibrand.com>

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 8/17/2010 3:38:40 AM

Subject: see this?

Dear John,

We have less than nine days until our key FEC fundraising deadline at midnight on August 25. Kirsten said it best - she may not have the bottomless pockets of these Republicans, but she has something even more powerful: She has you.

We're counting on grassroots donors like you to push back against the self-funders and corporate-backed Republicans. They're going to use their millions to buy air time and spread lies, we have to be ready to take them on before the September 14th Primary Election Day.

[Click here to rush your donation of \\$250, \\$500, or more to Kirsten's campaign. With less than 9 days left before this critical filing deadline, Kirsten is counting on you to help her push back against the self-funded Republicans.](#)

Thanks for stepping up,

Ross

From: Kirsten Gillibrand

Date: Sat, 14 Aug 2010 10:42:32 -0400

To: Ross Offinger

Subject: Overdrive



Dear Friend,

September 14 is going to be a big day for our campaign. Not only do we have our primary, but we will learn who our Republican opponent is -- our general election will go into overdrive.

Each of the Republicans I could face can self fund and write their campaigns a large check at any time, flooding the airwaves with misinformation. We have to be ready.

That's where I need your help. I've always relied on people like you-the grassroots -- to support my campaign. And with the general election quickly approaching, I need you now more than ever.

August 25 is a key FEC fundraising deadline before Primary Day -- before my opponent really starts pulling out all the stops. I may not have the deep pockets that these Republicans have, but I do have you. Won't you please make a donation today so I can meet my goal of raising \$75,000?

[Click here to make a donation of \\$250, \\$500, or more to my campaign today, before the August 25 filing deadline. The only way I can beat back these self-funded Republicans is with your support.](#)



We need more progressives, not believers of Bush trickle-down economics, in the U.S.

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Senate. Progressives extend jobless benefits to those struggling to find work and cut middle-class taxes. Progressives fight to provide health care coverage to the uninsured and all our kids. Progressives believe men and women serving in the military shouldn't be expelled solely based on who they love.

I want to return to Washington so I can keep fighting for the things that are important to you – to make sure you have a strong, progressive voice in the Senate. But I can't get there without your help.

You've always been there for me in the past, and I can't tell you how much that means to me. I'm proud of the fact that my campaign is based on the support of thousands of donors and not on the wealth of one individual. Please stand with me today and show these Republicans that their cash can't stamp out the power of the grassroots.

[Click here to make a contribution to my campaign before the August 25 fundraising deadline and help me reach my goal of raising \\$75,000.](#)

Like I said, September 14 is a big day. I've got to act fast so that I'm prepared to confront my Republican opponent head on. I hope I'll have you there by my side.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Gillibrand

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From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

To: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com>

Date: 3/16/2015 2:34:16 AM

Subject: Re: HRC @ Irish-American Hall of Fame

That was supposed to be a "three-fer," not three-get.

I really want my blackberry back.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 16, 2015, at 9:32 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <jennifer.m.palmieri@gmail.com> wrote:

>

> Just talked with John.

>

> We suggest for news making value, adding in that the Senate is going for "three-get" against women's rights - holding our first African American woman aAG and trafficking bill hostage in an effort to weaken women's rights and endanger women's health.

>

> Think that would be a really good hit! What do others think?

>

> Sent from my iPhone

>

>> On Mar 16, 2015, at 9:26 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

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>> Sure – will add.

>>

>>> On 3/16/15, 9:24 AM, "Joel Benenson" <jbenenson@bsgco.com> wrote:

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>>> Instead of "learn a thing or two from that legacy" can we put a little more bite in it:

>>>

>>> Something like --- learn a thing or two from generations of leaders who put party aside and worked to put peace ahead of politics when it came to America's interests in the world.

>>>

>>> -----Original Message-----

>>> From: Dan Schwerin [mailto:dschwerin@hrcoffice.com]

>>> Sent: Monday, March 16, 2015 8:14 AM

>>> To: John Podesta; Mandy Grunwald; John Anzalone; Joel Benenson;

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>>> Subject: Re: HRC @ Irish-American Hall of Fame

>>>

>>> Update on today's speech: Last night the Secretary asked for a shorter, lighter draft, so I've given her the attached new version. There's still an Iran hit in here, but it's now more of an aside. We'll see if she goes for it.

>>>

>>>> On 3/15/15, 4:11 PM, "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>>> Given the crowd and the event, I think you can shorten the Iran section by dropping 2 graphs:

>>>> The one beginning "We all know there are some Republicans..." And the

>>>> next one "But there still are a few..."

>>>> I think you get all you need without those graphs and will elicit less
>>>> cringing in the crowd.
>>>>
>>>> JP
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>>>>
>>>>> On Mar 14, 2015, at 6:10 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hrcoffice.com>
>>>>> wrote:
>>>>>
>>>>> All, attached for your review is a draft of HRC's speech at the
>>>>> Irish-American Hall of Fame on Monday.
>>>>>
>>>>> As we discussed, I've included some tough lines about the
>>>>> Republican's Iran letter at the top, in contrast to the spirit of
>>>>> bipartisanship that's defined our support for peace in Northern
>>>>> Ireland. Do folks still feel this is a good place to hit that message
>>>>> again?
>>>>>
>>>>> I've also got a light joke at the top that touches on events of the
>>>>> past week. See if you think that works.
>>>>>
>>>>> Thanks
>>>>> Dan
>>>>>
>>>>>
>>>>> <2015-03-14 Irish-American Hall of Fame - 6pm.docx>
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From: "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 6/23/2015 11:34:55 AM

Subject: Re: Receipt from sadik

That's ok--EQ Cap's reimbursement process is the easiest of everyone we've ever worked with. Just forward as we get them to Beth.

On Tue, Jun 23, 2015 at 6:27 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com > wrote:
I'll have anothervfrom dc.

On Jun 23, 2015 3:25 PM, "Eryn Sepp" <eryn.sepp@gmail.com > wrote:
Thank you. Just forwarded to Beth Smith.

On Tue, Jun 23, 2015 at 6:07 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com > wrote:
Cab to SFO

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Reply to this email to leave feedback for sadik



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Subject: [big campaign] AUFC Announces Bush Legacy Bus

Attachments: Bus Fact Sheet (2).pdf



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DATE: May 15, 2008

CONTACT: Jeremy Funk, 202-470-5878

Editors Note: High Resolution Photos and a Rendering of the Bus Are Available Upon Request. Bus Fact Sheet Attached.

With Republicans Reeling Due to their Association with President Bush, Americans United for Change Announces Bush Legacy Bus - Museum on Wheels Holds Bush, Conservative Allies Accountable for Failure

Tour begins in June, travels Coast-to-Coast Featuring Exhibits on Bush and Conservative Policies That Have Harmed Our National Security, Sacrificed Domestic Priorities



[Click Here to View New Bush Legacy Tour Homepage](#)

Washington D.C. – With Republicans reeling due to their association with President Bush, and amid what supporters of the President have dubbed his “[legacy year](#),” Americans United for Change announced the upcoming national tour of the “Bush Legacy Bus.” This latest chapter in AUFC’s ongoing Bush Legacy Project, which will cement into history how two terms of failed conservative policies – supported by Bush and his allies including Sen. John McCain - have weakened America’s security abroad while neglecting and undermining important priorities here at home. Click here to view AUFC’s new Bush Legacy Tour homepage: <http://www.bushlegacytour.com>.

This 45-foot long museum on wheels, powered by biodiesel, and weighing in at 28 tons, features interactive exhibits on the worst policy failures that grew out of the conservative agenda. Visitors will be given the chance to reflect on the Administration’s tragically inept response to Hurricane Katrina, mismanaged and endless war in Iraq, ‘trickle-down’ economic policies that favored the wealthiest Americans and more. The tour kicks off in Washington D.C. in late June and travels from coast-to-coast throughout the summer and fall stopping in the hometowns of Bush’s allies in Congress, both national political conventions and symbolic and historic locations like New Orleans and Crawford, TX.

“The Bush Legacy Project is not just about Bush – it is about the conservative ideology he and his allies in Congress, including John McCain, represent,” said Brad Woodhouse, President of Americans United for Change and founder of the Bush Legacy Project. “It’s time to stick a stake in the heart of conservative ideology, which is a failed governing philosophy. The Bush Legacy Bus is just one piece in an ongoing effort to redefine American political values and to create an enduring progressive majority in America. The bus will serve to educate Americans about how the conservative policies President Bush and his allies in Congress have pursued have failed America and why progressive approaches to healthcare, the economy, foreign policy and other issues provide the solutions Americans are looking for.”

The goals of the “Bush Legacy Project” are threefold:

Remind American voters why they have lost faith in President Bush and his conservative agenda.

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Shift the center of the political debate toward progressive solutions to our nation's most intractable problems by demonstrating the failure of Bush's policies and conservative ideology.

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From: "Tony Carrk" <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Jake Sullivan" <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 6/18/2015 6:12:53 AM
Subject: Re: For the am re: Charleston and NALEO

Just Playing devil's advocate: if we come strong on no tpa without Taa, would that then open us up to giving a position on all the possible "process" qs

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 1:09 PM, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

This is what I propose on any trade question:

- TAA needs to be an indispensable part of our trade policy, as the President has made clear. So I can't support an outcome that leaves TAA out in the cold.
- This underscores a broader point. We should be negotiating the best possible terms for American workers and companies in our trade deals, but we also have to protect our workers outside our trade deals so they can compete and win in the global economy. The larger context matters. That's why we have to raise the minimum wage, strengthen labor protections, invest in our workers and our education system, etc. etc. etc.

From: Jennifer Palmieri [mailto:jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com]
Sent: Thursday, June 18, 2015 12:48 PM
To: Huma Abedin
Cc: Christina Reynolds; Dan Schwerin; Amanda Renteria; Connolly Keigher; Nick Merrill; Jake Sullivan; Marlon Marshall; Kristina Schake; John Podesta; Robby Mook; Maya Harris; John Podesta; Brian Fallon; Tony Carrk
Subject: Re: For the am re: Charleston and NALEO

Think just in time for her interviews.

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 9:47 AM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Seriously. So what does this mean? Need anything for her speech or just in time for interviews?

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 9:29 AM, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Quick note, for the sake of interviews: Looks like TPA is passing as we speak;

<https://twitter.com/davidshepardson/status/611570802098589697>

Just passed the 218 threshold, House vote on # TPA is 218-202 with 14 members yet to vote

From: Huma Abedin [mailto:ha16@hillaryclinton.com]
Sent: Thursday, June 18, 2015 11:54 AM
To: Dan Schwerin
Cc: Amanda Renteria; Connolly Keigher; Jennifer Palmieri; Nick Merrill; Jake Sullivan; Marlon Marshall; Christina Reynolds; Kristina Schake; John Podesta; Robby Mook; Maya Harris; John Podesta; Brian Fallon; Tony Carrk
Subject: Re: For the am re: Charleston and NALEO

She wants to say something about guns.

Having heard that the suspect got a gun for his birthday has really underscored importance of saying something. She just wrote a line in. Dan, I'll call you.

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 8:46 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I left in this graph:

And I don't have to wait to become President to take a stand right here and right now against divisive rhetoric that demonizes immigrants and their families. It's wrong and no one should stand for it.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 11:44 AM, Amanda Renteria <arenteria@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I know we don't want to attack on trump. But we can say. Something. Along the lines of --- Let's be loving in every way we can. I know it is hurtful to And I hope all other candidates will stand with me to say we need to be loving and think about how this affects young Latino kids and truly all of our kids. Not acknowledging the hurtful comments worry me.

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 8:25 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

With suspect in custody, i'm taking out that line on p2. Connolly, you could just swap out that page.

Also attaching new topper for Vets.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 11:22 AM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Just heard from clay
They have the suspect

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 7:59 AM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Agree with all that - no big attacks today from her or the campaign.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 10:56 AM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Spoke to Marlon earlier. she will call mayor of charleston and Jim clyburn this morning.

She has dans latest remarks which I think are the right balance and true to what she would want to say.

I think any hit will be tough to execute. Since Jeb was supposed to be in charleston and pulled down his schedule, what if he shows up at the vigil. We will have a split screen of her attacking and him standing with families so I agree right call to not do. Feel same about the john statement for today.

On Jun 18, 2015, at 7:39 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

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Sorry, pls use this one. Fixed one more small thing.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 10:21 AM, Dan Schwerin
<dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Remarks revised again.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 10:11 AM, Nick Merrill
<nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Looks like the FBI has identified the shooter as Dylann Storm Roof, but doesn't look like they have him in custody.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 9:01 AM, Jennifer Palmieri
<jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Agree with that for remarks.

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 5:51 AM, Jake Sullivan
<jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I would hold on guns for now until we know more.

If she is asked today about it she can say that the first priority is to bring the killer to justice and care for the grieving families and there will be time to work through how this happened and how to prevent such tragedies in the future.

On Jun 18, 2015, at 8:36 AM, Dan Schwerin
<dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

+ Amanda. Attached is a revised speech without contrast and with a few more grace notes to shift the tone. Nothing in here on guns, so let me know if folks think we need that, or if we need to make more wholesale changes.

On Thu, Jun 18, 2015 at 7:14 AM, Marlon Marshall
<mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Given that the killer hasn't been caught yet, should we also say something about finding them and bringing them to justice?

On Jun 18, 2015, at 7:13 AM, Christina Reynolds
<creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Savannah's interview with Rev Brown, a pastor of a nearby church and friend of Pinckney was pretty moving--asked how he was feeling about what had happened and did he believe it could have happened in his community, he gave a long answer about why the easy availability of guns in America made it less surprising and was resulting in the rise of

violence in America, even in places like churches that wanted to keep their doors open to everyone.

On Jun 18, 2015, at 7:08 AM, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Agree with Kristina, at least given the coverage now.

A reminder that Bernie is in SC today. They have not tweeted or done anything on their website that I could find about a schedule change yet.

On Faith and Freedom, Jeb is there tomorrow. Today is Rubio, Paul and Cruz.

We are getting questions about whether Pinckney was at our event yesterday--MSNBC says that was confirmed at some point, but let us know if we should confirm that.

On Jun 18, 2015, at 7:04 AM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Watching the TV coverage right now. Think John is right on the Trump hit. It has already been declared a hate crime. The shooter came into the prayer meeting, sat down for a few minutes and then started shooting. He has not been caught yet.

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On Jun 18, 2015, at 6:26 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Jeb pulled his schedule down. Trump hit will be very hard to execute today. Seems like tone needs to combine being somber and hopeful.

On Thursday, June 18, 2015, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
This is horrible news

I'm also inclined to keep the trump comments in but I haven't been able to see TV coverage so I don't have a sense of how much play this is getting. I assume the republicans are still moving forward with their forum? Did Jeb pull his schedule because of the shooting?

On Jun 18, 2015, at 3:39 AM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

This is really bad. I agree we should do a topper at NALEO. And it's a close call on the GOP/Trump hit. Am inclined to keep it but could also see dropping. Below are some first thoughts on what she could say. And attached is an updated full draft, with a few additional edits to smooth things out.

"Before I begin, I want to say a word about the tragedy in Charleston, South Carolina, where I was just yesterday.

The shock and pain of this crime cuts deep. Nine people murdered in a house of God.

Today, we pray for the victims. We pray for the families. And we pray for justice.

The church is known as Mother Emanuel. And like any mother, it holds

its flock close.
Today is a day to
hold each other
even closer.

Fifty years ago, Dr.
Martin Luther King,
Jr. told the families
of the three girls
killed in the
bombing of the
Sixteenth Street
Baptist Church in
Birmingham, “You
do not walk alone.”

Today we say to the
families of Mother
Emanuel and to all
the people of
Charleston, “You do
not walk alone.”

You do not walk
alone because
millions of
Americans are
walking with you.
In grief. In
solidarity. In
determination. We
are with you.

Now, let us turn
from sorrow to
service. Because I
want to salute
NALEO for your
important
contributions to our
communities and
our country...."

On Thu, Jun 18,
2015 at 1:53 AM,
Jennifer Palmieri
<jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>
wrote:

Friends -

Wanted to start a
chain about some
follow up related
to Charleston.

1) Huma is
getting updates
from Clay. I

assume he will tell us if he thinks HRC needs to call the Mayor or anyone else.

2) I think we should put a topper on her NALEO remarks about the shooting. But defer to Huma and Clay if they think a statement is needed on paper sooner than that.

3) Since she is doing interviews, I assume she will be asked about guns policy. Policy and Research - can you send us relevant back up to help us get ready?

4) Asking if we think she should still do the Trump hit in NALEO. I think so - but like other views.

5) HRC wanted to talk about the Jeb attack and John response in the am. May want to reconsider this - didn't Jeb pull down his events for tomorrow? Is he doing the faith forum?

6) Can someone also send the back up on the Trump hit?

Thanks, all

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Subject: [big campaign] TODAY'S FINANCIAL CRISIS IS THE MCC SAME AS SAVINGS AND LOAN SCANDAL

Attachments: Keating 5 Scandal_short.doc

TODAY'S FINANCIAL CRISIS IS THE MCCSAME AS SAVINGS AND LOAN SCANDAL

McCain has been at the center of a circle of greed, special interest favors, and lack of bank and government oversight once before. McCain was reprimanded by the Senate Ethics Committee for his "Poor Judgment" during the Savings and Loan scandal. Years later McCain, along with Phil Gramm, advocated for the aggressive deregulation of Wall Street that led to today's financial crisis.

"The reason why it's topical now isn't just because the federal government is using a similar rescue model to bail out Wall Street but also because of presidential nominee, John McCain's involvement both then and now."

[Oregon Statesman Journal [10/04/08](#)]

*See attached Research on McCain and the Keating 5 scandal

* Clip from [Third Term](#) linking McCain's actions in Keating 5 to his response to today's current financial crisis

*Campaign Money Watch ad tying Keating to the economy: <http://www.campaignmoney.org/keating>

MCCAIN, GRAMM, SUPPORTED WALL STREET DE-REGULATION

Economic experts say that McCain Advisor Phil Gramm and others are to blame for the current crisis that is shaking Wall Street. Gramm's successful effort to pass banking reform laws in 1999, which reduced decades-old regulations separating banking, insurance and brokerage activities, helped to create the current economic crisis. [ABC News, [9/17/08](#)]

McCain Voted to De-Regulate Wall Street McCain voted for 1999 Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act, which de-regulated wall street by breaking, "down the walls between banking, insurance, and securities..." [[American Banker](#), 3/11/08, emphasis added]

MCCAIN HAS ALWAYS PUT LOBBYISTS AHEAD OF AMERICAN FAMILIES

McCain Donor, Charles Keating, "Sought a Quid Pro Quo" From McCain. The banker's attitude was summed up the day a reporter asked whether his political donations to the senators encouraged their intervention. 'I want to say in the most forceful way I can, I certainly hope so,' Keating replied." [[Associated Press](#), 3/23/08]

For Keating, McCain Pressured Federal Regulators to Ignore Problems At his Donor's Bank. In 1987, the [Los Angeles Times](#) reported: "Five U.S. senators in an unusual show of support for a constituent, pressed federal regulators at a meeting last April to wind up a then yearlong examination of Lincoln Savings & Loan Assn. and to end 'unfair treatment' of the Irvine-based S&L, a spokesman for one of the senators said Monday." [[Los Angeles Times](#), 9/29/87, emphasis added]

McCain's "Poor Judgment" Admonished By Senate Ethics Committee. According to the [Associated Press](#), the Senate Ethics Committee admonished McCain for his involvement in the Keating 5 Scandal, saying he used "poor judgment." [[Associated Press](#), 12/20/07]

U.S. Taxpayers Paid \$2.8 Billion for McCain's Mistake. The [Associated Press](#) reported, "The U.S. government seized Lincoln in 1989, sticking taxpayers with a bailout cost of \$2.8 billion." [[Associated Press](#), 3/23/08]

MCCAIN CAMPAIGN IS RUN BY INSURANCE, DEFENSE COMPANY AND OIL LOBBYISTS

McCain Has At Least [164 Lobbyists](#) Running His Campaign, Raising Money For Him, And Setting His Policy Agenda

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Subject: In Next TV Ad, Clinton Pledges to 'Reshuffle Deck' In Favor of Hard-Working Americans



In Next TV Ad, Clinton Pledges to 'Reshuffle Deck' In Favor of Hard-Working Americans

30-Second Spot Will Enter Rotation in NH and Iowa as Part of Previously Announced Ad Buy

Noting that American CEOs earn 300 times the salary of the typical worker, Hillary Clinton vows to "reshuffle" the deck on behalf of everyday Americans in a [new television ad](#) set to begin airing this week.

Invoking her own family's story -- and how her mother, despite never attending college herself, was able to see her daughter graduate from law school -- Clinton says she wants to build an economy that rewards hard-working Americans "so being middle class means something again."



"The deck is stacked in favor of those at the top," Clinton says in her campaign's new ad.

"We need to have people believing that their work will be rewarded. So I'm going to do everything I can to get that deck reshuffled," she adds.

The ad's message echoes a major theme of Clinton's campaign. In a key policy speech delivered last month in New York, Clinton declared that increasing middle-class incomes was the defining economic challenge of our time, and would be her chief pursuit as president.

The 30-second spot, entitled "Reshuffle," will hit the airwaves this week in Iowa and New Hampshire as part of the campaign's opening, five-week ad buy, which was first announced last month. It features Clinton speaking direct-to-camera, interspersed with archival photos of Clinton's family and footage of her interacting with workers at their jobsites.

Below is a script of "[Reshuffle.](#)"

Hillary Clinton:

“When you see that you’ve got CEOs making 300 times what the average worker’s making you know the deck is stacked in favor of those at the top.

“I want it to be back where it was when I came of age. Where my mom who never got to go to college could see her daughter go to law school.

We need to have people believing that their work will be rewarded. So I’m going to be doing everything I can to try to get that deck reshuffled so being middle class means something again.”

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Subject: Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday John!

Hope you have a great day and best of luck in your new role in the White House!

Best wishes,

Marc Schloss

From: ["Alan Franklin, ProgressNow Colorado" <info@progressnowcolorado.org>](mailto:info@progressnowcolorado.org)

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Date: 4/26/2011 2:58:52 AM

Subject: A vote too far

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Dear Friend,

Two weeks ago, I wrote asking you to [contact](#) our Colorado members of Congress, and demand they reject the right-wing 2012 federal budget proposal. This budget would destroy Medicare in ten years, slash funding for essential, basic functions of government like education and transportation, while giving away even more massive new tax cuts to the richest Americans and corporations. Literally thousands of Coloradans responded and directly contacted your members of Congress using ProgressNow Colorado's innovative online tools: which we can offer [because of member support](#).

Now that four Colorado representatives--Cory Gardner, Doug Lamborn, Mike Coffman, and Scott Tipton--have gone on the permanent record in support of destroying Medicare by voting for the so-called "Ryan Plan," I wanted to share with you just a few of the thousands of letters Colorado voters wrote to them, both before and after their vote.

Jan in Carbondale wrote to her Congressman, Scott Tipton: "Your vote for the Ryan budget did not surprise me but *I will not forget it* at election time! Folks have worked hard for years and paid taxes for this coverage. As a retired senior I know how important Medicare is to us. We were self employed for over a decade and had to buy health insurance on the open market. It was expensive and was a disaster... As a social worker with the elderly I know that a major factor that has kept our senior population from bankruptcy and/or overwhelming poverty has been Medicare. I would never trust the insurance companies with taking care of our seniors' health! You are a fool to think that they would."

Daniel in Pueblo tells Rep. Tipton: "The budget proposed by Rep. Ryan is a blatant attack on the most vulnerable in our society. It is a way of balancing the federal budget to, at the same time, allow further reductions in taxes on wealthy individuals and corporations. Rep. Ryan's proposed budget relies on unproven gimmicks such as 'tax cuts will increase revenue' and 'further tax cuts for the wealthy and businesses will result in job creation.' Neither of these gimmicks has so far resulted in significant job creation..."

Lisa in Fort Collins has a message for freshman Rep. Cory Gardner: "I am an unaffiliated voter in Colorado. I am appalled at the GOP's total disregard for Americans' well-being. I am and have always been a member of the middle class, and the GOP's behavior has already done so much harm to so many people. Please remember, we elected you and we can and will remove you from office at the next election should you continue to disregard what is best for us and all Americans!"

Cynthia in Fort Collins, to Rep. Gardner: "After working all my life and consistently contributing to welfare of social funds in order to receive Social Security and Medicare, I now have to face an uncertain future at the age of 66? How reckless and arrogant can Congress be to propose cuts that hit the most vulnerable citizens. What about military cuts and equal taxes for the wealthy? My faith in politicians has gone from some to none."

Around the nation as members of Congress went home for Easter recess, Republicans who supported the "Ryan Plan" budget have been greeted with outrage from their angry constituents (*House Republicans face backlash at home over budget plan, Los Angeles Times, 4/23/2011*). There is a growing sense among many Republicans that they have made a terrible mistake by voting for the privatization of Medicare, and massive

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cuts to vital government services while giving new tax breaks to the rich. This is not the “fiscal responsibility” they promised Americans.

Now we fight back. For going on seven years now, ProgressNow Colorado has taken the fight to Colorado conservatives when they vote against the best interests of our state. Between now and Election Day 2012, every Colorado voter needs to know what Reps. Gardner, Tipton, Coffman and Lamborn have committed to: just as we’ve done with their right-wing predecessors.

But we can’t do it [without you](#) . We never have, actually. Citizen support for ProgressNow Colorado is how we helped stop Bob Beauprez, Marilyn Musgrave, Bob Schaffer, and Ken Buck. If your goal in the next 18 months is to hold the right wing in Colorado accountable for their senseless attacks on the institutions that make our country great, I firmly believe there is *no better investment than ProgressNow Colorado*.

Don’t take my word for it—ask ex-Rep. Marilyn Musgrave. [Please click here to chip in \\$20 or whatever you can, either as a one-time or recurring monthly donation.](#)

Because 2012 is going to be a big, big year.

Sincerely,

Alan Franklin

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Subject: At the gate

And miss you all already. TSA examined and debated my mason jar of olives, but ultimately let me take them through.

Love you and thanks for great week!

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Subject: Greenpeace

Attachments: Greenpeace Pledge.pdf

John - Greenpeace asked us to sign their pledge ([attached](#)). We originally told them we are not signing pledges. Then, apparently on the ropeline, HRC signed Tom Steyer's NextGen pledge. When Greenpeace read in the press that we agreed to that pledge, they came back about theirs.

As you know (and suggested), we've been trying to follow a no-pledge-signing policy. Not to mention, Greenpeace's pledge includes a commitment not to accept contributions from fossil fuel interests. I am told they intend to be aggressive in pressuring candidates to sign their pledge, and may be more so with HRC since they will view the NextGen petition as undermining our no-pledges policy.

To address this, our thought was to explain to Greenpeace what happened and say that we are not going to sign their pledge, but that we would give them a statement ([see draft below](#)) embracing the principles of their pledge, which is mostly a democracy platform that we agree with.

Given the relationship, we wanted to check in with you before going back to Greenpeace in case you have concerns about going the statement route. Please let me know. Thanks.

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I believe it's time to reclaim our democracy, reform our distorted campaign finance system, and restore access to the ballot box in all 50 states.

That starts with reversing Citizens United. As president, I'll appoint Supreme Court justices who recognize that Citizens United is bad for America. If necessary, I'll fight for a constitutional amendment that overturns it. But I won't stop there—I'll also fight to increase transparency in our politics by requiring federal contractors to full disclose their political spending and calling on the Securities and Exchange Commission to require that publicly traded companies do the same. And I'll get rid of the special tax breaks that are going to oil and gas companies and use that money to invest in making America the clean energy superpower of the 21st century.

And I believe nothing is more vital to our democracy than protecting our right to vote. We should be making it easier to vote, not harder. I'll fight to restore the full protections of the Voting Rights Act. I believe all Americans should be automatically registered to vote on their 18th birthdays, unless they opt out. Every state should have at least 20 days of early in-person voting. And no one should ever have to wait more than 30 minutes to cast a ballot.

Citizens United and its aftermath have twisted and perverted our democratic system. Now the deck is stacked even more in favor of those at the top. But as Al Smith, another Democrat from New York, once said, "All the ills of democracy can be cured by more democracy." So that's what we need now: more transparency, more accountability, and above all, more citizens exercising their right to vote.

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Subject: 100 days out...



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Dear John,

Today marks 100 days until Election Day and I am pleased to update you on some of our most recent efforts. Thank you for continuing to be a partner in this critically important work.

With deep appreciation,

Gene Karpinski
President

LCV Launches \$1.5 Million "Flat Earth Five" Program to Defeat Five Climate Deniers

The League of Conservation Voters (LCV) announced this week the launch of a new \$1.5 million program aimed at defeating five climate change deniers in the House of Representatives this election cycle. Reps. Ann Marie Buerkle (NY-24) and Dan Benishek (MI-1) are the first candidates named to the program, called the "Flat Earth Five." A new House incumbent will be named to the program each week over the next three weeks.

Earlier this week, LCV Senior Vice President of Campaigns Navin Nayak was featured on MSNBC's Hardball with Chris Matthews, where he talked about the "Flat Earth Five." [Click here to view the video.](#)

LCV, MCV, and Hunter and Anglers Announce Partnership to Defeat Rehberg

Earlier this month, Montana Hunters and Anglers Leadership Fund, Montana Conservation Voters, and the League of Conservation Voters announced a major partnership to defeat Congressman Dennis Rehberg's bid to represent Montana in the United States Senate. Last week, a \$350,000 television ad campaign began airing, targeting Rehberg's record on issues related to Montana's outdoor heritage.

The ad, launched in the Billings, Missoula, and Great Falls markets, is sponsored by the Montana Hunters and Anglers Leadership Fund and will air through July. The League of Conservation Voters has spent an additional \$337,053 on door to door canvassing to date in Montana. [Click here to view the ad.](#)

LCV Launches Major TV Ad Buy Criticizing Heller Votes

This week, LCV launched a major \$150,000 television ad campaign criticizing Nevada Senator Dean Heller for voting to protect tax breaks for Big Oil at the expense of clean energy. The ad, which is running in the Reno market, asks constituents to contact Senator Heller and urge him to vote to end oil industry tax breaks, which continues to be one of LCV's top legislative priorities. [Click here to view the ad.](#)

Heller's extreme voting record has earned him an abysmal 14% lifetime score on LCV's *National Environmental Scorecard*. The non-partisan scorecard is a nationally accepted yardstick used to rate members of Congress on environmental and clean energy issues. For more information, visit <http://www.lcv.org/scorecard>.

Safe Chemicals Act Passes Senate Committee

We are pleased to report that this week the Senate Environment and Public Works Committee passed the Safe Chemicals Act affirming the urgent need to reform the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) in order to protect public health and the environment from toxic chemicals. This week's vote was the first on significant TSCA reform in over 35 years, despite a growing body of scientific evidence that demonstrates the link between chemicals in our everyday products and rising incidences of health problems, particularly in children.

The public can no longer afford to wait while Congressional Republicans and the industry employ tactics of deception and delay. The time for action is now. [Click here to urge your senators to pass the Safe Chemicals Act.](#)

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With only 100 days to go until Election Day, now is the time to donate to pro-environment political candidates and if you care about the environment, the best giving strategy is to “bundle” your contributions with contributions from others who share your environmental values. Bundling through LCV Action Fund’s *GiveGreen* magnifies the power of your contribution by calling attention to the environmental values that drive you to support the candidate in the first place. LCV Action Fund has already raised and contributed over \$1 million in support of environmental candidates this cycle. Help us reach our goal of raising at least \$1.5 million. Visit www.givegreen.com today to support LCV Action Fund’s featured environmental champions.

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By Andrew Restuccia

11/16/2015 10:09 AM EDT

Brian Deese, a senior adviser to President Barack Obama, will travel to Ottawa, Canada, today to talk to officials in Prime Minister Justin Trudeau's new government about cooperating on climate change and energy issues.

The meeting comes two weeks before diplomats from nearly 200 nations arrive in Paris in hopes of clinching a new international agreement to curb emissions - and it could signal a reset of the U.S.-Canada relationship on climate change after years of tension between Obama and former Prime Minister Stephen Harper.

Trudeau, like Harper, supported approving the Keystone XL oil pipeline, a project that Obama [rejected](#) earlier this month. But he has [signaled](#) that he is open to doing more on climate change than his predecessor.

Indeed, signs are growing that Canada is serious about cooperating with the United States on climate change. Canadian Natural Resources Minister Jim Carr, who is in Paris for a meeting of energy ministers, [told](#) the Globe and Mail in an interview late last week that he has been given a "mandate to work with U.S. and Mexican ministers to develop an ambitious North American clean energy and environment agreement."

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We highlight breaking news stories and human biotech developments in biopolitics in 2015.



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by Marcy Darnovsky, *The New Yorker*
CRISPR is a potentially society-altering technology, and democratic engagement with its trajectory is crucial and pressing.

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► [More Questions than Answers at Gene Editing Summit](#)

[Quotes CGS's Marcy Darnovsky]

by Chloe Poston, *Genes to Genomes*

"Marcy Darnovsky reminded the room of the societal implications of germ line editing, warning that parents will want to choose traits that society values most."

► [Are There Genes for Intelligence — And Is It Racist to Ask?](#)

[Quotes CGS Advisory Board member Dorothy Roberts]

by Robin Marantz Henig, *National Geographic*

The bottom line, said Dorothy Roberts, is that studying the genetics of intelligence “cannot possibly be socially neutral.”

► [Bayer Forms Gene Editing Partnership with CRISPR Therapeutics](#)

by Ludwig Burger, *Reuters*

Under the deal, the German drugmaker will pay for the joint venture's research over the next five years, 300 million euros in total.

► [We Can Design Our Descendants. But Should We?](#)

by Margaret Somerville, *The Globe and Mail [Canada]*

Ethically, we must place the future child at the centre of the decision-making. We must also protect society.

► [GM Insects and Moral Blackmail](#)

by Jack Stilgoe and Sarah Hartley, *The Guardian [UK]*

Scientists have raised concerns about extreme and potentially existential environmental and security risks, including the extinction of species and/or ecosystems.

► [Church May Back GM Embryos to Cure Inherited Diseases](#)

by Oliver Moody, *The Times*

The Church of England could agree to the genetic modification of human embryos.

► [First Genetically Edited Cows Arrive at UC Davis](#)

by Edward Ortiz, *Sacramento Bee*

The two calves will never grow horns typical of their breed. Instead, they'll always sport soft hair where hard mounds normally emerge.

► [Personalized Medicine: A Faustian Bargain?](#)

by Eleonore Pauwels & Jim Dratwa, *Scientific American*

Individually tailored therapies could be too expensive for many of those whose DNA donations go into creating the treatments.

► [Clinical Genetics Has a Big Problem That's Affecting People's Lives](#)

by Ed Yong, *The Atlantic*

Many geneticists have tales where mistakes in the scientific literature have led to wrong — and sometimes harmful — diagnoses.

► [Genetic Testing May Be Coming to Your Office](#)

by Rachel Emma Silverman, *The Wall Street Journal*

Health advocates raise concerns about privacy and the potential for illegal discrimination based on employees' genetic information.

► [It is Ridiculously Hard for Californians to get their DNA out of the FBI's Genetic Database](#)

by Kashmir Hill, *Fusion*

More states should make DNA expungement automatic. People shouldn't forfeit their genetic rights simply because of an arrest.

► [Fifty New Clinical Trials, a \\$150 Million Partnership and Much More: California's Coming Stem Cell 'Powerhouse'](#)

by David Jensen, *California Stem Cell Report*

Directors of the California stem cell agency approved an \$890 million plan for the next five years to build an “industrial stem cell therapeutic powerhouse” in the Golden State.

► [Health Canada all but ignores illegal ad for surrogate, cash for egg donors, internal documents reveal](#)

by Tom Blackwell, *National Post* [Canada]

Evidence shows that Health Canada has not just turned a blind eye, but has been complicit with illegal activity.

► [Ontario funds one cycle of IVF — while supplies last](#)

Alison Motluk, *Canadian Medical Association Journal*

Not all Ontarians who are eligible for a funded cycle of in vitro fertilization will necessarily get it, and it's not clear just how the 5000 annual spots will be allocated to individual patients.

► [Mexican State Votes to Ban Surrogacy for Gay Men and Foreign People](#)

by Associated Press in Mexico City, *The Guardian* [UK]

Tabasco was the only Mexican state to allow surrogacy, supposedly on a non-commercial basis.

► [Lack Of Diversity In Clinical Trials Presents Possible Health Consequences](#)

by Rae Ellen Bichell, *National Public Radio*

Despite striking ethnic disparities in the incidence and mortality of diseases like cancer and respiratory disease, minorities are not well represented in clinical trials.

► [Policing the ethics police: Research review boards face scrutiny as feds propose new rules](#)

by Sabriya Rice, *Modern Healthcare*

Critics say Institutional Review Boards are too lax, have unqualified members, are riddled with conflicts of interest, and are overwhelmed by the volume of studies they must review.

► [Science is Embarrassingly White. That's a Huge Problem.](#)

by Daniela Hernandez, *Fusion*

"If you don't diversify something like science, society doesn't change and the people who have power and are in charge of knowledge generation, they do not change."

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Astronomer Meg Urry reflects on a turbulent year for women in science.



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John--

Would you have a little time to talk today?

Elizabeth

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This morning, Sen. John Cornyn (R-TX) refused to say what Republicans would be willing to “to give in return” if Democrats accepted GOP proposals after the bipartisan health care summit. Cornyn insisted that the Democrats must scrap the current legislation and start from scratch if they hope to win bipartisan support.

CNN anchor [Kiran Chetry](#) twice tried to ask Cornyn if there is “anything Republicans would be willing to give on in return,” but Cornyn responded by criticizing the existing legislation:

CORNYN: Really, I think it's not possible to take this bill or this proposal, this 11 page summary and to work with it around the edges. **We're going to have to put it on the shelf. That's what the American people want us to do and start over and we would be glad to do that.**

Watch it:

Republicans have long argued, [somewhat disingenuously](#) , that placing capping non-economic damages would reduce health care spending and Obama has signaled that [he may be willing to accept some of their proposals](#). It's unlikely that Obama will adopt caps, but he could embrace a ['Sorry-Works' proposal](#) . While in the Senate, Obama also co-sponsored “legislation aimed at [reducing both medical errors and lawsuits](#) through a program known as Sorry Works, rooted in the idea that injured patients value an apology as much as money.” That legislation would have given physicians who disclosed their errors “certain protections from liability within the context of the program, in order to promote a safe environment for disclosure.”

I've proposed four other areas where Democrats and Republicans can reach bipartisan agreement [here](#) . But if Cornyn's answer is any indication, Republican's are more interested in obstructing reform than passing it.

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So good

On Mar 12, 2016, at 12:45 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Crowd of 1700 here at the Carpenters Union. She did the Trump topper again and people went nuts, particularly when she quoted Edward R. Murrow (although I'm not sure anyone has caught onto that being what she's doing yet).

She's transitioned to the jobs stuff now, will keep everyone posted.

On Mar 12, 2016, at 10:17 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here at the canvass kickoff in St Louis.

She did the Trump hit in full.

Talked about breaking down barriers, said she was the only one with a plan to create jobs.

Came back to Trump, talked about divisiveness.

Anger is not a plan, etc

Transcript coming.

On Mar 8, 2016, at 2:19 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

6 radio interviews and 2 coffee shops this morning. Interviews were all live or taped Detroit stations with the exception of one we did into Flint. Quick hits, mostly centered around getting out to vote. Flint came up in every one, and then education, and ACA. No flags. Every single interviewer was for her. Highlight of the morning was one of the hosts, whose stage name is "Foolish" asked a question, to which HRC replied "Well, Foolish, that is far from a foolish question." Awkward chuckles all around.

We did 2 OTRs, both at very hip coffee shops a couple of miles outside of downtown Detroit.

The first was Avalon, not too far from the Shinola Store. HRC walked in and chatted with the baristas a little, then went to one of two small sitting areas and shook a lot of hands. She had several interesting conversations, one with a woman who has cystic fibrosis, and her friend who also has it had met and chatted with HRC in NH. We'll get the audio and have the exchanges transcribed.

Second OTR was at Astro coffee, near the old Detroit train station, which was pretty striking. HRC shook a lot of hands and ordered yet more coffee. Lots of people seemed to have voted, and lots said they'd voted for her.

Back at the hotel now, likely until we leave for Cleveland this evening.

On Mar 6, 2016, at 2:27 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

ICYMI, HRC did a 7 minute pre-taped hit on Face the Nation this morning. Dickerson began by asking if Senator Sanders should stay in the race until the end. She said that's for him to decide, she's proud to have more delegates and to have built a broad coalition that can win in November. He asked about enthusiasm on the Republican side. She said that she was proud to have gotten more votes than anyone in this race, and mentioned that she has more white support than anyone if you exclude Vermont. She got asked about Trump bring people into his coalition, she said she wanted everyone in hers. Asked about emails and played a little offense on the WaPo report this morning that made clear how many state officials, including career, we're sending what's now considered classified. Name-checked Powell and mentioned that he called this all absurd. Final question was about Libya, stemming from the NYT 2-parter last week. Handled it well.

Then we went to church. 3 to be exact.

We began at the Holy Ghost Cathedral, with about 400 congregants I'd guess. The Bishop gave a rousing introduction about how much she loves Hillary Clinton, because HRC is a woman who's been through difficult times and come out on the other side with the Glory of God.

HRC's remarks were powerful, she talked about the need for us to unite. That we need citizenship and stewardship in addition to leadership. Real togetherness message. She told the story of the prodigal son, and used it to talk to the congregation about the discipline of gratitude. She then did Flint, schools in Detroit, and then a litany on breaking down barriers. Ended by talking about the need to never grow weary doing good.

Next up was Russell Street Missionary Baptist Church

Pastor gave a nice intro, started by praising President Clinton, said "today she comes before us standing in her own shoes, with her own record, and her own vision." Mentioned Debra and other strong women from the bible.

HRC opened with love and kindness. Talked about Flint, ended by saying that we need to stand up for each other and our future.

Final church was Triumph Church. The sanctuary was a beautiful wooden dome with stained glass windows. She opened with barriers here, then praised Obama and the ACA. Talked about togetherness, and did Flint at the end.

Very good morning.

On a personal note, I just had two Coney Island hot dogs at the famous Lafayette Coney Island next to the hotel. I highly recommend. Bring your defibrillator, or ask to borrow one from USSS.

On Mar 5, 2016, at 1:20 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Jobs speech was great. She stuck to the script mostly, cut out a few things (didn't mention the /ideas webpage and cut out the story at the end). Only real add was a line at the end about "bad mouthing America" that some tried to seize on as a shot at Bernie, but it was (mostly) about the GOP.

The Harwood interview was a little less substantive than promised, but she did fine. Got clawbacks in there, and a lot of questions about her approach to the economy, but all in the context of Bernie, Trump, what's politically viable. She got emails as well, handled well.

Did an OTR at Kuzzo's Chicken and Waffles with the Mayor and Congresswoman Brenda Lawrence. Lots of enthusiasm, lots of selfies.

We did 4 radio interviews, into Jackson, MS, New Orleans x2, and Detroit. All very positive interviews, disproportionately about college affordability and education writ large.

More tomorrow.

On Mar 1, 2016, at 2:50 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Two OTRs with Governor Mark Dayton complete.

Walked into Mapps Cafe in a trendy neighborhood near U of M, greeted by about 50 patrons and 25 press.

We are now officially no longer 88 days from a press avail, but 0. Merica, Karni, Abby Philipps, and some locals asked her questions. Merica asked her about expectations today, she said were working hard, hope people turn out. Asked about Sanders' path, she declined to comment, said she's going to keep going.

Local asked about message for Minnesota voters today. Talked about breaking down barriers.

Abby Philipps asked her about Trump being the eventual nominee. She dodged. Said they all have deeply troubling views.

of the WaPo asked about Trump, she said things like this need to be repudiated. She would continue speak out against bigotry.

Annie Karni asked her another expectations question (I think), she again have a pretty stock answer. She tried to ask about asking for Bernie to get out of the race, she said that everyone has to make their own decisions.

Local asked her about Trump, she talked about speaking out against insults.

She met a Somali woman who wanted to tel her she was going caucus for her through her daughter who was translation. HRC told her she would be the president for everyone.

She met another Somali American on the city council who she was impressed by.

HRC, Dayton, and the Lieutenant Governor made it to the counter ordered coffee (HRC got something called the Big Bang).

A guy came over to her at the counter and told her that he had just received a letter back

from her yesterday. He had written HRC about a health problem (I think with his dad). They had a really nice exchange about how useful it was for her to hear stories like his so she can figure out how to help.

Her final real interaction before leaving was with a Somali-American girl, probably 26 or 27, who said that Somali-American youth are being marginalized and experiencing prejudice, and given her comments about the African American community, how do we know she'd be any different now? She mentioned super predator specifically. HRC said she'd used the word one time, and to look at her record. The young woman said she knew what her record was and that it was supportive of the African American community, which is why so many have supported her campaign. She mentioned the Somali-American councilman that she'd just seen, and that she'd met with members of the community last time she was in Minneapolis. The girl responded by saying something to the effect of the councilman doesn't count. HRC told her that if she believes that than maybe she should run for office. At this point the Governor intervened and the conversation ended.

Left the coffee shop for Global Market, and indoor market with food and other stands that sell various things. We got mobbed in the lobby so barely made it to the proper market everywhere. Took some selfies and then out.

Taxiing now to head to Miami.

On Mar 1, 2016, at 11:19 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

8 interviews in the can here in Minneapolis this morning. We did early morning radio into Atlanta, Dallas, Houston, and did the Tom Joyner show with special guests. All very positive, with a few questions about trust.

Ryan Cameron, Host, The Ryan Cameron Morning Show, V 103, Atlanta, GA
Asked her how she was feeling, why they should vote for her, being a woman, 90s, crime bill, Superpredator (did her points), how will you continue a dialogue with the community.

Tom Joyner, Tom Joyner Morning Show

Roland Martin started off with a question about job growth for small businesses. Sharpton asked her about who she'd appoint as AG to protect voting rights, same with SCOTUS justices. Don Lemon, said she stopped talking about Sanders on the trail. She basically refuted that citing her rallies yesterday and proceeded to draw contrasts. Jacque Reid asked her about what can be done in communities. She talked a lot about breaking down barriers. Finally, Sybil Wilkes asked her about how her presidency would be different than her husbands.

DeDe, Host, Dede in the Morning (KKDA), Dallas, TX

Why is it important to get out and vote, Trump, asked about WJC in the WH. Last question was about Morgan Freeman voice HRC's ads.

Madd Hatta, Host, The Madd Hatta Morning Show (97.9), Houston, TX

"Mista Madd" opened by calling her Madam President, pretending it was a slip of the tongue. Questions were college loans, talked about making America whole again. Final Q was about wages. And then the final final Q was about what she'd do about health care.

We just wrapped up some satellite TV hits into Atlanta, Oklahoma City, Denver, and Little Rock. She got or emails in all but Denver. She didn't go full-bore on her most recent trust answer, but talked about not being a natural politician, had a warm tone, all in all did well. Not really a flag unless Healy and Chozick are trolling for nonsense this morning, but

should mention that she told the OK City anchor that WJC was her chief advisor. It was playful, but nonetheless.

Lori Geary WSB (Atlanta)

Trump/David Duke

Trust/FBI

Lied on BG?

College affordability

Ever thought we'd be where we are today with the name calling on the Republican side?

Christie Lewis KWTU (Oklahoma City)

What do you want to say to voters?

Trust

Energy sector

WJC (called him her chief advisor)

Emails

Marshall Zelinger- KMGH (Denver)

Why not Colorado today?

Caucuses

Federal banking system for marijuana/Hickenlooper

Mental health and guns

Mallory Brooks- KARK (Little Rock)

Arkansas Travelers

What was so special about AR, what are you most proud of?

- Wants to win in the fall

VP candidates?

Emails

Bernie's message

On Feb 29, 2016, at 12:37 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

600 at the Museum of Springfield history this morning, where I've learned that Springfield used to be a place where they manufactured Rolls Royces. They have some here from the 20s on display that are just beautiful, if you like that millionaires/ billionaires stuff.

Remarks were met with enthusiasm, but she was largely back to her longer/policy-laden stump, with trickle down again and a return to some other old hits on Republicans. In other words, November, with some of the new message stuff as bookends.

Got to Boston and were met by hundreds of people in the streets that couldn't fit into the Old South Meeting House (one of the places where the Tea Party was established--the 18th century Tea Party).

She's doing much the same thing here in Boston. She did do a nice riff (thanks to Dan being quick on his feet right before she hit the stage) on what our founders would think about Johnson Controls and Valleant Pharmaceuticals using American resources and not paying their fair share. "Now we may not go dumping prescription drugs into Boston Harbor, but I promise you they are going to pay a real price...

Working a ropeline now, then off to GMU.

On Feb 28, 2016, at 10:28 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Below its the readout that Adrienne sent around to many of you. This was a good rally. She loves her some Arkansas and Arkansas loves her. She opened with a little togetherness but quickly reverted to her stump, beginning with rising incomes. She ended by doing breaking barriers. There were a few hundred people in the room and then a few hundred more in a gymnasium next door where she spoke very briefly and worked another long rope line.

In the air headed to Springfield, MA now.

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Executive summary: This was one of Hillary's best recent rallies. She looked incredibly comfortable on stage as she spoke about the differences between her and the Republican nominees, our country's economic success under her husband, voting rights, Supreme Court and more.

Reporters noticed Hillary speaking more freely about her husband, referring to him by his first name and to his time as president. Mentions of her time in Arkansas, investment in jobs and infrastructure and debt-free college got the most applause. She got a lot of nods when she said, "its not enough to create opportunities for my granddaughter, I want to create opportunities for everybody."

Jennifer Epstein @jeneps

Small but enthusiastic crowd (partial crowd in photo) for Clinton in Pine Bluff, 45 miles south of Little Rock pic.twitter.com/hPsGXofVdC

Ruby Cramer @rubycramer

.@HillaryClinton revives the word awesome, describes commander-in-chief job as "an awesome responsibility."

Monica Alba @AlbaMonica

HRC in Pine Bluff: "Arkansas runs deep in me. I had 18 wonderful years living in this state."

Jennifer Epstein @jeneps 3m3 minutes ago

Clinton's only explicit mention of Donald Trump on the stump lately has been about not wanting to pay for his son to go to college

Jennifer Epstein @jeneps 1m1 minute ago

"People are being put through hoops" to be able to vote, Clinton says in Pine Bluff, Arkansas

Dan Merica @danmericaCNN

Clinton describes the GOP field as "one billionaire, two senators" in AR and knocks them for having healthcare but calling for ACA repeal.

Hannah Chanpong

A thing HRC is doing Arkansas: "during Bill's terms...two programs that Bill started...after Bill left office..."

Jennifer Epstein @jeneps

Jennifer Epstein Retweeted Hannah Chanpong

usually says "my husband"

Yuna Lee @4029Yuna

As for GOP candidates, she says "they are selling the same snake oil"
@HillaryClinton #4029News

Dan Merica @danmericaCNN

A Clinton line that does well in Arkansas: "We need to get back to what worked when my husband was president."

On Feb 28, 2016, at 4:48 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

2 churches and a coffee shop this morning. I was (and still am) feeling blessed and caffeinated this Sunday afternoon.

Churches were Greater Imani Church and Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church. Imani had about 2000 congregants there, 800 or so at Mississippi Blvd.

She gave a similar speech at each, sort of an abbreviated new stump, did togetherness, mothers of the movement, health care, love and kindness. First one was probably a little better organized, but crowd at each was fired up. Lots of applause and lots of individual cheers.

Left there and flew to Nashville, where we joined Tony Goldwyn and the Mayor Megan Barry for a coffee stop at Fido, near Vanderbilt. The place was packed, she ordered some coffee and took lots of photos, spoke to the owner and his son for awhile. On small thing to note: on the way in Tony asked her what she thought of Trump's David Duke comments this morning. She replied that it was "pathetic" under her breath, which has made a little news (in a good way).

The rally at Meharry Medical college was high-energy. Tony Goldwyn did LONG but solid intro. HRC visited an overflow room with about 400. 800 in the main room. She told the story again about the young, affluent white guy that emailed her after her Harlem speech and said he'd been arrested but through connections his parents made the charges go away. All people must be equal under the law.

Long ropeline and out.

On the plane headed to Arkansas (!!)

On Feb 26, 2016, at 3:07 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Good trip to Georgia.

City hall was packed, with several hundred more in overflow than in the event itself. HRC spoke at both, with Mayor Reed getting everyone fired up. Speech was shorter but pretty standard stump otherwise.

We left and went to the Statehouse which was electric. Who knew there were that many Democrats in Georgia. She addressed the Democratic Caucus and did a short version of her stump that was pretty crisp. She used a line about spending 10 months crafting policies, and while the press may have thought that was boring, she's very proud of it. People loved it. There were no press in the room.

We took many a selfie while wading through throngs of people, with more pouring over the balconies, and headed to Octane coffee shop for an OTR. Usher was going to join us but got stuck in traffic...

Dan Merica asked her if she was jealous that she didn't get Christie's endorsement, to which she responded with a prolonged smile (you could see the gears turning), and then said "Dan, I really like you. I really really like you." They are basically courting each other at this point.

She got one question from local CBS, general about why she's in Georgia. She gave a stock answer about being a good partner if she's lucky enough to win.

In the air headed to Orangeburg now.

On Feb 25, 2016, at 4:16 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Two events and two NBC interviews down, seem to be surviving the day.

I even venture to say it's going well.

The town hall in Kingstree was very engaging.
Stuck largely to remarks:

Senator Sanders wants to take us back on HC.

Hit the GOP, saying they have health care through their jobs so what do they have to worry about.

Schools/Education

Did the SCOTUS piece, including Sandoval:

"Now there's been some talk that the President might nominate the R Gov of NV. I love NV. But I sure hope the President chooses a true progressive that stands up to the values and interests of the people of this country, name-checked voting rights."

Q&A was strong, covered vets, someone asked about Haley, accusing her of being so focused on being GOP VP that she doesn't care about South Carolinians. Got asked about HIPYPY. Forgiveness of debt for enterprise in AfAm communities. Guns, Ukraine, child asked what she would do to stop terrorist attacks in the US, she gave a great answer that ended with her telling the little girl to worry about school and her friends, and HRC would worry about making sure she's safe. Puerto Rico question from a young autistic man- she advocated for them voting and if they choose to become a state allowing them to do so.

Morning Joe:

Are we seeing a new HRC?

Trust? In it for HRC or people?

Relatability/Jeb/WJC

Transcripts

Can you guarantee that you didn't say anything problematic?

"Absolutely"

Big banks

Orderly unwinding under Dodd Frank, there's a roadmap if one starts to fail.

You won't bail out?

If they pose a systemic risk, we'll bail them out.

Elizabeth Warren for VP?

I don't want to get ahead of myself.

Super predator, in the expected formulation where Joe basically baited her on the notion that it was silly

Did some smiley head nodding in agreement with Joe's SP assessment.

Was probably fine but let's keep an eye on.

Electability

I've been vetted

Hasn't even begun on the others

Talked about voter turnout, NV caucus being better for Dem turnout than GOP

Emails, you say it's partisan, but is it?
 Conflation of court fight which are partisan and what DOJ is doing.

Youth/Young women
She stayed closer than usual to the Teddy formulation:
It's Messed up
Feel like the system failed them
Excited by someone who says well change it all
I remember being that age
Want to meet people where they are
Want to have a real dialogue

Gridlock

Chuck Todd/MTP Daily

1) Nomination

Not someone who gets ahead of myself.
 Got to keep proving it over and over again.

2) Clyburn says you've been more conversational.

- So proud
- Fair observation
- We laid out a lot of policy in the beginning
- I wanted people to know my plans, etc
- Now we have some opportunities to talk about values at stake, breaking down barriers.
- Sense of convergence
- We've laid out the work we want to do.
- Now we can build on that about how we unite the country and have conversations about the future again.

3) Ohio/Bernie NAFTA hit

- Americans are asking who can stop other countries from hurting their workers and do a Manufacturing Renaissance...rest of answer we provided- got in both Ex-Im investments in Ohio and name checked the tire factory that benefitted from the New Markets Tax credit in Sumter.

4) Protestor last night

- Poor choice of words
- Wouldnt' use them today's
- Life's work
- Lifting up children and young people
- Never got the chance they deserved
- School to prison pipeline
- Going to keep being a champion
- Break down the barriers, economic and racism

5) Trump/Supporters are former Trump supporters.

- Too soon to make judgements about this.
- NV Caucuses stat on turnout

6) People say their second choice is Bernie, seems to be an appetite for radical change.

- People are disappointed and feel like they've been let down.

Here at the church in Florence right now and people are FIRED UP. She's using "imagine" to frame the whole

10/18/2016

speech. Working well.

On Feb 24, 2016, at 6:15 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Started the day with an interview with Joe Madison, she called him on our way to SC Strong in North Charleston.

Opened with a PBS story on the wealth gap growing. She talked about her plans and inequality in general. Follow up was about Obama's hesitancy to have targeted efforts, instead focusing on the all boats rise with the tide notion, so she skipped the Obama piece and talked about Clyburn's 10-20-30 , her own plans.

Then he played Gwen Carr's comments lasts night, quoted some of her lines including the one about HRC seeking them out, and compared it to Kennedy going to see MLK when he was arrested in Alabama. HRC gave a strong answer about being humbled, being a mother and a grandmother.

Gitmo Q at the end, answer tracked with her statement yesterday.

SC Strong went well. She did some very brief opening remarks, had a couple of the round table participants share their stories, and then we shuffled the press out.

Dropped by the Longshoremen's, she thanked everyone and asked for their vote. Great reception, they were very grateful that she came to the hall.

On the way to the airport we called Rhonda Rawlings for her show.

Rhonda started with minimum wage. HRC stuck to her standard lines, mentioned equal pay, got a follow up on why \$12 and defended it well.

College affordability. She said she think debt free public education is achievable. Covered student debt as well.

Breaking Down Barriers forum with the mothers in Greenville...talked about how amazing it was, then asked about policing. HRC talked about their ability to turn grief into action.

Ended with Obama's legacy.

Alpha Kappa Alpha event went well. She did some of her remarks, some ad libbing. She reprised her town hall Q from last night where she was asked about trust and forgiveness, repeated what she said about the importance of forgiveness and cited Mandela as our greatest example. Worked a rope line at the end for a fair amount of time.

Did two local affiliates before headed off to Sumter. CBS and NBC locals. Talked about the state of the race, why she's in SC, Gitmo, and a quick Q about emails and Benghazi in CBS. NBC asked her about SC, Trust, Trump, Bernie supporters and how to bring them around if she wins, and one interesting question about her unique ability to energize rooms with minorities in them.

We're in Sumter now at Moore College. She's been talking for 45 minutes. Covered it all! Possible impending Q&A...

On Feb 23, 2016, at 9:40 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Mothers of the Movement Event

Here's a summary, but for those of you that didn't watch...it was quite something.

She opened by acknowledging Herb Buhl, who she worked with when she was down here working for CDF in the 1960s. Told a funny story about not knowing how to drive a stick shift and him lending her a manual car.

She briefly told the stories of the mothers and the children they lost.

Guns are the leading cause of death among black men, more than the other leading 9 causes of death combined. There was an audible sigh in the audience.

Talked about Gabby Giffords, and the 9 year old girl shot along with the others that day.

No fly list.

Politics are hard, I know that. But sometimes the hard things are sometimes the things that are most important to do. President Obama wants to make guns a voting issue and I agree completely.

Please welcome these remarkable people who are taking this journey on behalf of all of us.

HRC turned it over to the guests.

Sabrina Fulton: "She walked in as a Presidential candidate, walked out as a compassionate mother."

No one took notes for her, she took notes for herself.

Maria Hamilton, mother of Dontre Hamilton, told her story.

Lucia McBath, mother of Jordan Davis.- told her story. I have watched her bring people and countries back into the fold back into the fray, and she has done a good thing.

Gwen Carr- Talked about all the outreach, how HRC came to them. Wondering what the catch was. "There was no catch, she was just genuinely concerned." I endorse her, because she endorsed us first.

Geneva Reed-Veal, Sandra Bland's mom. Did a wonderful rant on the media and how tired she was of them. Go out and vote. We have 9 months to put her in, she's the new baby."There are no secret emails."

Mark Kelly: X percent of children that die from gun violence in the developing world die in the US.

Gabby- Here to talk about Hillary Clinton, who is tough, she is courageous, she will fight to make our families safer. In the WH she will stand up to the gun lobby. Thanks why I'm voting for Hillary. Speaking is difficult for me but come January I want to say these two words...Madame President.

Standing ovation from the room, someone stood up and yelled "Madame President!" Everyone went nuts.

HRC said thanks to everyone, talked about their courage. I hope this is a movement that lasts, and ended to work a rope line.

At the very end, she briefly spoke to Alex Wagner on the rope line who was there with The Circus. I'm not sure it checked the box for us, but they talked briefly about how amazing the mothers were, what a moving event it was

On Feb 22, 2016, at 2:34 AM, Lorella Praeli <lpraeli@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

HRC met with the United Farm Workers (UFW) and earned their endorsement by the end of the meeting. Julie captured this unexpected moment on video--it was special! We'll be working with UFW to discuss the roll out plan. They've asked their members to hold the news.

- She reiterated her commitment to fight for CIR with a pathway to citizenship; protect and implement DACA and DAPA; and explore other ways to protect undocumented people via executive action ("create new categories").
- She stated support for UFW's legislative proposal to expand overtime pay for farm workers in CA, so overtime is av. after 40 hours/week or 8 hours/day.
- She was asked to help in the dispute between the UFW and CA-based Gerawan Farming. She said she's do everything possible. After the meeting, she had a private conversation with Arturo and expressed caution b/c of campaign.
- She was asked about healthcare for the undocumented community. Stated her support for all undocumented people to be able to buy in the exchange, but acknowledged that most people don't have the resources to afford it. She also said she would work to make the exchanges available to all, including subsidies, but immediately linked it to CIR. Also wants to work with states like CA and the UFW to explore other ways to provide HC
- Re Central American kids, she said government funded legal counsel for UCs and working with El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras to take down drug cartels and build the region.
- She was asked if she would appoint Obama to the SCOTUS. She said he would be a very good candidate, but she wouldn't have that power...and he probably wants a normal life. It was a fun exchange bet. her and the farm workers.

On Sun, Feb 21, 2016 at 7:08 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Just met with the farm workers for an hour here in Palo Alto. Very positive experience. I'll let Lorella expand, but from outside the room there was a lot of clapping and cheering, and chanting of Sí Se Puede.

Two SC radio interviews today:

1) We did a repeat with Cynthia Hardy that ended up being a very brief conversation HRC joined in progress about health disparities in communities of color.

2) She did a slightly tougher but ultimately very strong interview with Judi Gatson of 103.1 KISS FM. She asked HRC about her recent comments on not being in this for herself, and said that some doubt that. The answer was very strong, and invoked a little reflection on sexism. She asked about youth, but the framing was interesting, which was that BdB and Eric Garner's mom endorse, but children of BdB and Eric Garner's sister do not. The other question most of note was Judi observing that she hears people in the community say that HRC embraces Obama only to pander to the AfAm population. Interesting that that broke through, (Stephanie if you talked to her I'd be curious to hear more about how often she's hearing that), HRC's answer was good, she said that Senator Sanders claiming that was offensive, that she nominated him at the convention, campaigned for him, worked for him for 4 years, and that it "affects" her "personally" to hear Sanders and his supporters say that stuff.

Finance event in Atherton was largely uneventful. She did take questions. She dinged Uber when talking about the Kalamazoo shooter, which thrilled many in the audience here in Silicon Valley, I'm sure. No encryption questions.

One more finance event and then we're off to LA to spend the night.

On Feb 20, 2016, at 11:43 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Good live interview with Univision local this morning. Bernie was supposed to be on right after us but bailed late last night. She did her pitch, talked about immigration, no fireworks.

Left there and dos two back of house visits, Caesars and Harrah's. Bernie was at Harrah's immediately before us, stayed 5 minutes and left. We spent about 25 shaking hands and telling people where to caucus.

Left there and went to 2 caucus sites, the second of which she's working the (long) line at as we speak.

The Bernie folks are definitely here, but our organizers tell us these are very strong locations for us.

On Feb 19, 2016, at 3:42 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We visited the home of Vicki Early, a retired California utility company employee who moved to Nevada to buy her first home, and installed solar panels on the roof, which she could afford with the Public Utility Commission offsets on her fixed income until they got rolled back. She and her boyfriend Tyrone showed HRC the panels in the back yard and told her story. HRC had the press come in closer to listen and then dos brief remarks of her own on the importance of this issue for people like Vicki. Pretty great stuff.

Next we went to Youthbuild, an organization with a Nevada chapter that builds houses for Habitat for Humanity. We walked through a big warehouse where HRC individually met about 15 workers. She was intrigued by how most of them found the place, which was through Craigslist, and probed them on what they were learning and what they wanted to do next. Most wanted to continue in the building trades. She spoke briefly, and invited the Youthbuild and Habitat folks to speak as well.

We've also squeezed in two SC radio interviews. Both went well, talked about the Clyburn's endorsement, support for President Obama, her plans on college affordability.

Headed to the town hall with high school students now.

On Feb 19, 2016, at 1:54 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Women and Families Roundtable:

Very engaging discussion, topics ranged from early childhood education to food deserts to Flint. HRC brought up Flint proactively, and a woman stood up and said that she had family there, appreciated HRC saying that, her work there, and that her assessment was exactly right. Audience was diverse across the board, lots of millennials and lots of young people who work for various NGOs and advocacy groups with a lot of very good questions and passionate comments. At the end HRC commented on her life's work, figuring out how to make difference in people's lives as opposed to promising them the moon, and making sure lives are better when you're done than when you started. Wasn't too hot but poignant and noticeable following 45 minutes of discussing the importance of reading to your children every day.

We're now going to divert course and make a pit stop at a woman's house who has been affected by the Nevada Public Utility Commissions retroactive rate changes on people selling solar back to the grid. Pool is with us.

On Feb 12, 2016, at 4:24 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Woke up in Milwaukee this morning and did a fundraiser at Harbor House. Very pretty setting just outside of downtown on a partially frozen bright blue Lake Michigan. She gave a pretty standard stump, no Qs, and we headed out.

South Carolina was quite something. Good crowd of about 450/500 at Denmark-Olar Elementary School (home of the Vikings). HRC stuck largely to her remarks and outlined her \$125 billion plan to improve underserved communities, and took questions on just about everything: social security, health care multiple times, body cameras, Flint, homeless vets, Trump, student loans, who she's pick for VP, and a little girl who gave her a drawing that said on it: "I'm not bossy I have leadership skills." It was a very engaged, high-energy affair.

Following the town hall and a long ropeline, we did 2 TV stand ups and a print interview. Discussion in both revolved around race relations, the state of the race, and education, which HRC discussed at length in a dilapidated older locker room with paint people off the walls in the background.

Our print interviewer, Princess Williams, was really impressive. She won an award last year for best student journalist in a college under 5000 students from the South Carolina Press Association. She was nervous but did a great job, asked HRC about education, what we can't do beyond government programs to help level the playing field, attracting young voters, and what life is like off the campaign trail.

We're in the air now headed back north to St. Paul for the Humphrey-Mondale Dinner.

On Tue, Feb 9, 2016 at 12:32 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Two more things to add:

We did a radio interview with Greg and the morning buzz. Like the first local NH hit this morning, it was all about NH and allowed her to talk about how grateful she is to the people here.

Also just did a 10 minute satellite hit with Al Sharpton. They talked about heading to Nevada and her strategy there, he asked her how she would distinguish he civil rights record, then Flint, millennial women, voting rights, and a question about Cruz's comments on Flint and Katrina both being cities with crisis and two very liberal mayors. She didn't engage most of the answer and at the end said "that's not the world I live in, and not the world I'd govern as President."

Strong interview in substance and tone.

Transcripts to follow.

On Tue, Feb 9, 2016 at 9:50 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

We made an impromptu stop at Dunkin Donuts. Press came in briefly, took some photos of HRC taking some photos, and departed. We stayed and ordered some food, most of which was stolen from us and consumed in the limo as I understand it. We did manage some coffees in the staff van, which was game changing.

Then off to Dover. Another great showing by the organizing team, as well as by Carly Fiorina's husband, who greeted the Secretary enthusiastically. You'd never know his wife calls for HRC's imprisonment on a daily basis.

Just got back to Manchester.

On Feb 9, 2016, at 7:35 AM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Happy Election Day!

We just went to the Ward 10 polling location at Parker Varney School in Manchester.

HRC arrived to volunteers chanting "I believe that she will win!" and worked the crowd. She shook about 75 hands and took lots of photos, and then did an impromptu stand up with the morning show anchors. They asked her about how she's feeling and expectations, she just talked about how excited she was to be out talking to people and her love for New Hampshire.

We took a few more photos and talked to WMUR for a few minutes, which will air at noon.

Now we're in Nashua now headed to another location and on the phone live with Mike Pomp of WTSN radio. Good conversation, she's talking about her experiences up here, basically a perfect Election Day drive time interview.

More to come.

On Feb 8, 2016, at 5:33 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

HRC and WJC stopped by Chez Vachon for breakfast. Nice greasy spoon with a French Canadian twist. HRC and WJC worked the tables, ran into some longtime supporters, took a lot of selfies. President Clinton was excited to see his photo still on the wall from when he visited last.

Dan O'Neil, former Dodd and O'Malley supporter but '92 Clinton supporter joined them for omelettes. Following breakfast, some more selfie-taking ensued as did a conversation with a couple of vets. Restaurant felt overwhelmingly supportive.

We went back to the hotel and taped 6 TV interviews with local and Boston affiliates. Lots about the state of the race here and the weather. Most asked about Warren which she handled well, a couple of transcripts questions and a good exchange with FOX on sexism in politics.

From there we went to Manchester Community College. Crowd of about 1100, she did a few things differently, including calling Bernie out for accepting DSCC money that came in part from Wall Street.

We taped Rachel Maddow after the event. It opened with the staffing question and then covered the waterfront...Flint, trust, attacks, transcripts. We let it go so Rachel would spend more time on the positive which she did.

After Maddow we went to the Velcro factory. She went table to table in their cafeteria which looked like a Johnny Rockets, shaking hands, sometimes sitting down for brief conversations. Press pool got some good stuff.

We're now back at the Radisson waiting to depart for WMUR where we'll do a quick live hit on WMUR, she'll simply make a one minute pitch to

voters direct to camera.

On Feb 7, 2016, at 5:29 PM, Nick Merrill <nmerrill@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Flint was quite moving. When we walked in the church and the water fountains were covered and marked "out of order," all we've read and seen in the news suddenly became much more real.

HRC met with mayor and an usher briefly, and she said that she fight to keep the lights from dimming on this.

The crowd was extraordinarily supportive. Her remarks were brief (12/15) but strong, with powerful response.

Afterwards she took photos, she did a very quick local standup in the sanctuary (all about Flint), met with a group of local pastors and went into the stakeholders/electeds meeting with the mayor.

On the way to the airport we called the editor of the National Newspaper Association, quick 5 minute interview on the importance of Flint and their being many other Flints. Transcript to follow.

Descending back into NH now, going to do an OTR at the Puritan Backroom (!!).

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From: "Jamie Williams" <jamie_williams@tw.s.org>

To: John.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/20/2015 10:16:56 AM

Subject: Draft Podesta Press Release

Attachments: John Podesta Receives Wilderness Society's Ansel Adams Award 3-20.docx

Hi John,

I have attached our draft press release for the Ansel Adams award. It would be great if you could give us a quote to insert in here.

Let me know if there any changes, deletions, additions you would suggest. We would like to get this release out next week.

And we greatly look forward to presenting the award to you the night of June 18t with our Governing Council and guests.

Thanks!!

Jamie

From: Liese Dart

Sent: Friday, March 20, 2015 1:07 PM

To: Jamie Williams

Subject: Draft Podesta Release

DRAFT 3-20-15

John Podesta to Receive the Ansel Adams Award from The Wilderness Society

Award recognizes leadership and tireless work to protect America's wild public lands

Contact: Michael Reinemer, 202-429-3949, michael_reinemer@tw.s.org

WASHINGTON, DC (March XX, 2015) – Today the Wilderness Society announced that its Ansel Adams Award is being presented to John Podesta for his tireless work in protecting America's wild public lands. Mr. Podesta served as Counselor to President Obama from January 2014 to March 2015 and as White House Chief of Staff in the Clinton administration, from 1998 to 2001.

The [Ansel Adams Award](#) is conferred on current or former federal officials who have demonstrated exceptional commitment to the cause of conservation and the fostering of an American land ethic.

"John Podesta has played a tremendous leadership role in shaping our nation's conservation legacy," said Jamie Williams, president of [The Wilderness Society](#). "In the Obama administration, he led efforts to protect some the most magnificent wild places across the country, and he implemented a critically important action plan to address climate change."

In presenting the award to Podesta, The Wilderness Society cited his key role in major conservation actions over the past two decades. Those actions include the Obama administration's protection of Organ Mountains-Desert Peaks, the San Gabriel Mountains and Pacific Remote Islands as national monuments and the proposed wilderness designation for the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge. During his tenure as Counselor to President Obama, John Podesta oversaw the designation and expansion of seven national monuments, protecting more than 258 million acres federal lands and waters. Podesta has also been a champion of the President's efforts to tackle climate change, including EPA's proposed rule to reduce carbon emissions from coal fired power plants and a path-breaking agreement with China to reduce global warming emissions.

During the Clinton administration, he was instrumental in the establishment of the "roadless rule," which protected millions acres of our national forests from logging and road-building. Among his many other conservation achievements in the Clinton administration, he led efforts to establish 19 national monuments, including the California Coastal and the Grand Canyon-Parashant national monuments, which all together protect more than three million acres of invaluable natural and cultural resources. He is the author of *The Power of Progress: How America's Progressives Can (Once Again) Save Our Economy, Our Climate and Our Country*.

[Mr. Podesta should feel free to add a comment to the release if he's inclined]

The Ansel Adams Award is presented on behalf of the renowned photographer who was an outspoken advocate for defending the nation's natural heritage. Past winners include former Secretaries of the Interior Ken Salazar and Bruce Babbitt, former Arizona Congressman Mo Udall, Earth Day founder Gaylord Nelson, President Jimmy Carter, former Senate Majority Leader George

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Mitchell, and Senators Bill Roth, John Chafee, John Kerry and Joe Lieberman as well as Congressmen Phillip Burton and John Lewis.

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The Wilderness Society is the leading conservation organization working to protect wild public lands and inspire Americans to care for our wild places. Founded in 1935, and now with more than 500,000 members and supporters, The Wilderness Society has led the effort to permanently protect 110 million acres of wilderness and to ensure sound management of our shared national lands.

www.wilderness.org .

From: "Doug Band" <doug@presidentclinton.com>

To: cheryl.mills@gmail.com

Date: 12/12/2011 8:28:03 AM

Subject: Re: Draft Infrastructure Model

Works for me

From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]

Sent: Monday, December 12, 2011 01:18 PM

To: Doug Band

Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com <john.podesta@gmail.com>; Justin Cooper

Subject: Re: Draft Infrastructure Model

I can do 4-5pm.

cdm

On Mon, Dec 12, 2011 at 10:36 AM, Doug Band <doug@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

Agreed

A call friday afternoon?

I can do anytime from 230 to 530

----- Original Message -----

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]]

Sent: Sunday, December 11, 2011 08:34 AM

To: Doug Band

Cc: cheryl.mills@gmail.com <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>; Justin Cooper

Subject: Re: Draft Infrastructure Model

See you on return. We should try to button this up when you two are back.

On Sat, Dec 10, 2011 at 4:36 PM, Doug Band <doug@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

> Justin and I are both going to the me

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> ----- Original Message -----

> From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]]

> Sent: Saturday, December 10, 2011 04:12 PM

> To: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> >

> Cc: Doug Band; Justin Cooper

> Subject: Re: Draft Infrastructure Model

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> Doug,

> Are you going to the middle east? If not, want to do this in DC first

> of the week? Cheryl, you back?

> John

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> On Fri, Dec 9, 2011 at 4:43 PM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

>> Revised/Updated Memo attached.

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>> On Thu, Dec 8, 2011 at 2:49 PM, Doug Band <doug@presidentclinton.com> wrote:

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>>> Let's do a call and discuss this

>>> Document is mostly fine with a few

>>>

>>> Late last night, laura graham called me as she couldn't reach my brother
>>> or her shrink. She was on staten island in her car parked a few feet from
>>> the waters edge with her foot on the gas pedal and the car in park. She
>>> called me to tell me the stress of all of this office crap with wjc and cvc
>>> as well as that of her family had driven her to the edge and she couldn't
>>> take it anymore. I spent a while on the phone with her preventing her from
>>> doing that, as I have a few times in the past few months, and was able to
>>> reach roger and her shrink.

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>>> Bruce said the stress of specifically the office had caused his very
>>> serious health issues as you both know.

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>>> But I'm sure chelsea is more concerned with a mostly false story in the
>>> distinguished ny post about mf global and teneo not her role in what
>>> happened to laura/bruce, what she is doing to the organization or the
>>> several of stories that have appeared in the ny post about her father and a
>>> multitude of women over the years.

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>>> For teneo, well before mf global, we have been discussing this. Its going
>>> to hurt teneo to have wjc on the adv bd any longer but we need come up with
>>> a reorg concept for the relationship with wjc and teneo that is lower key
>>> and handled privately and properly that we should discuss

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>>> Life is to short so let's have a call and get this over with

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>>> From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]
>>> Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 04:38 PM
>>> To: Doug Band; Justin Cooper
>>> Cc: john.podesta@gmail.com <john.podesta@gmail.com> >
>>> Subject: Draft Infrastructure Model

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>>> Doug/Justin (and John):

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>>> Not sure where things stand in terms of folks feelings and willingness to
>>> engage with WJC -- attached is a revised model memo based upon offering one
>>> option and outlining the creation of a personal office paid for by WJC 100%
>>> which acts as the interlocutor for his time regarding engagement with the
>>> various entities and serve as advisors to him regarding what and how he does
>>> things. Each separate entity then would operate independently and would
>>> engage the leadership of the personal office - a designated CEO or COS who
>>> b/cs in effect what Doug and Justin have been de facto -- the arbiter and
>>> decision-maker. That person would have the benefit (if you two choose) of
>>> Doug and Justin's best advice as consultants but ultimately would be
>>> accountable for ensuring that the implementation of the President's will
>>> occurs in the various entities and the various entities would operate
>>> according to the time and engagement and direction as necessary as the
>>> President gives.

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>>> See what you think.

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>>> This model would mean that all non-Foundation entities would no longer be
>>> co-located with Foundation; that folks would be on a single payroll -
>>> Foundation or personal. Whatever rules the Foundation creates for folks
>>> being able to earn outside income would apply equally (so e.g., if Bari is
>>> on the Foundation payroll and Dorvir; and Ami is on Teno and the Foundation
>>> -- whatever rules there are for outside income would apply equally to both

>>> of them as Foundation employees -- namely, if rule becomes no outside
>>> income, then both have to stop doing anything except Foundation to stay on
>>> Foundation payroll; if rule is you can earn outside income as long as it is
>>> disclosed and approved by the Board, that becomes the applicable rule; etc.
>>> - you get the pix).
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>>> It's easiest for me if folks sent actual edits or comments in writing that
>>> can be implemented -- otherwise this exercise b/cs one of feeling in the
>>> dark for me.
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>>> I am happy to do a call on Thursday or Friday if that works too.
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>>> best.
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>>> cdm
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From: [DMCOS <DMCOS@who.eop.gov>](mailto:DMCOS@who.eop.gov)

To: John.podesta@gmail.com

Date: 3/21/2015 10:55:02 AM

Subject: Re: Call

Calling now.

From: John Podesta [mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, March 21, 2015 01:49 PM

To: DMCOS

Subject: Call

Can you call me when you have a minute. 202-999-0738

From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Ambassador Kounalakis" <kounalakiset@gmail.com>](mailto:kounalakiset@gmail.com)
Date: 4/8/2015 6:54:54 AM
Subject: Re: checking in...

Reconnecting you two.

On Apr 8, 2015 1:38 PM, "Ambassador Kounalakis" <kounalakiset@gmail.com> wrote:

Just checking in about Jake... E

Ambassador Eleni Kounalakis
2500 Steiner Street, Ninth Floor
San Francisco, CA 94115
KounalakisET@gmail.com

Sent from my iPad

From: "[Christina Reynolds](mailto:creynolds@hillaryclinton.com)" <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "[Lily Adams](mailto:ladams@hillaryclinton.com)" <ladams@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 1/10/2016 11:51:08 AM

Subject: Re: DRAFT: Stump Inserts for Iowa on Monday

It wasn't in Iowa, so may not be helpful, but the flip flop broadside on Morning Joe was just this past week.

On Jan 10, 2016, at 6:26 PM, Lily Adams <ladams@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here are the quotes by category.

Guns

Lauren Gambino @LGamGam

Bernie Sanders says Clinton's attacks are coming as her "panicky" campaign is getting "nervous" about losing in Iowa and New Hampshire

Kevin Hardy @kevinmhardy

In addressing guns, Sanders brought up Obama calling @HillaryClinton Annie Oakley in 2008, days there's been some "vacillating" from her.

MaryAlice Parks @maryaliceparks

.@BernieSanders says on Clinton's gun record: "I think we have seen some vacillation there" talks about her record in 2008 -Marshalltown Iowa

Electability

Iowa Starting Line @IAStartingLine

"What happens when suddenly the candidate who was ordained by the establishment to win ... suddenly finds her position is not so strong?"

Kevin Hardy @kevinmhardy

On @HillaryClinton electability argument, @BernieSanders says "Well, she's wrong and the facts tell us she is wrong."

Keystone

Danny Freeman @DannyEFreeman

Asked to contrast his views on climate issues with Hillary Clinton, Sanders hits hard on her delayed opposition to Keystone Pipeline.

Kevin Hardy @kevinmhardy

On @HillaryClinton opposition to Keystone Pipeline, @BernieSanders tells Boone crowd "I don't think it should have taken quite so long.

Paid Leave

Rebecca Morin @RebeccaMorin_Sanders said he supports legislation for 12 week paid family and medical leave legislation, that he says Clinton doesn't support. #iacaucus

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 5:12 PM, Lily Adams <ladams@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Defer to you all on how she'd be comfortable characterizing it but by any reasonable definition he's been attacking her this week throughout Iowa.

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 5:02 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Well, we could do something like this:

- But Senator Sanders and I do have differences. He hasn't been shy about pointing them out recently. So let me tell you how I see it. I'm a progressive who likes to get things done.

On Jan 10, 2016, at 5:58 PM, Lily Adams <ladams@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Having her reference that he's been attacking her.

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 4:48 PM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Are you saying she personally make that point or that we make sure reporters know that?

On Jan 10, 2016, at 5:46 PM, 'Mandy Grunwald' via Speech Drafts
<speechdrafts@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I totally agree with Lily. Joel and I were just discussing this. The Sanders team plays victim very well. Let's not let them. He's been attacking HRC for weeks.

Mandy Grunwald
Grunwald Communications
[202 973-9400](tel:2029739400)

On Jan 10, 2016, at 5:30 PM, Lily Adams <ladams@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

I wonder if it's worth noting anywhere that Sanders has been attacking her in Iowa - which he has been throughout this trip.

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 3:52 PM, Emily Aden <eaden@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:
research edits attached

On Sun, Jan 10, 2016 at 4:31 PM, Dan Schwerin
<dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Team, attached are inserts for HRC to add to her normal stump in Iowa on Monday. It includes:

- Anthony Foxx endorsing and a brief riff building on the progress we've made on infrastructure and not letting GOP rip it away.
- A riff on her differences with Sanders on health care and taxes and that he's a risky choice (thanks to Podesta and Robby for their suggestions on this)
- A preview of the millionaire's surcharge and a hit on GOP tax plans
- Re-upping guns contrast and the Giffords endorsement.
- "First line of defense" call to action

Covering a lot of ground here, so please take a look.

Thanks

Dan

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Date:	10/1/2015 3:36:05 PM
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Attachments:	.txt 20151001 Leawood, KS WJC Fundraiser #2 [Paris and Dobbs Residence].doc

Attached:

From: "UVa's Miller Center" <firstyear-noreply@virginia.edu>
To: podesta@law.georgetown.edu
Date: 10/20/2015 2:48:19 PM
Subject: Welcome to the First Year E-Newsletter



Welcome to the first edition of the First Year 2017 project e-newsletter. By now we hope you've had a chance to sample firstyear2017.org, the Miller Center's ambitious new project devoted to the next president's make-or-break first year.

Starting once each month -- and eventually once each week -- this newsletter will highlight new content and features posted to the First Year website, preview upcoming essays, and give subscribers advance notice of engaging events and forums we will convene in cities across the country in the months ahead.

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Join us Oct. 21 at 3 p.m. for the launch event at Decatur House in Washington, D.C. Two [lively panels](#) featuring scholars and experts on the presidency will discuss the promise and perils of a president's first year in office. Then Joshua Bolten, former White House Chief of Staff for President George W. Bush, will keynote a conversation, "How to win the first year."

Read Elaine Kamarck's provocative essay, "[Run the Government Before It Runs Over You](#)":

In today's America, the actual government a president leads is an afterthought—until it damages his or her presidency. To head off failure that can affect not just their time in office but also their permanent legacies, new presidents need to become familiar in their first year with two critical aspects of the government they inherit: what it can and cannot do, and what it does and does not know.

Three and a half minutes well spent. Check out this [engaging new video](#) that explains why a president's first year is so critical.



Why the GOP Should Like Ike. University of Virginia History Professor Will Hitchcock, the director of academic programs at the Miller Center, has [some unexpected advice](#) for the crowded stage of candidates vying for the Republican presidential nomination:

The Republican playbook for winning back the presidency is easy to find. It was written by one of America's most popular presidents. It produced two lopsided victories in national elections. When Republicans use this playbook, they win big. When they ignore it, they lose. The author of this strategy? Not Nixon. Not Reagan. Not Bush 41 or Bush 43. It was Ike.

Questions about the First Year Project? Contact Miller Center Managing Editor Howard Witt at howardwitt@virginia.edu .

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Date: 7/12/2013 7:34:07 PM

Subject: Re: JOHN P WE NEED YOU CALL Senator Harkin's Office NOW and urge him to suppo...

From: Bruce Darling

Please CALL Senator Harkin's Office NOW to and urge him to support people with disabilities and home care workers

More Info

Tell the Senator to support Senator Johanns' amendment !

TAKE ACTION NOW!

CALL Senator Harkin at (202) 224-3254. Tell the Senator's staff:

Senator Harkin has always been a friend to the disability community. So I am calling to support Senator Johanns' amendment in the Appropriations Committee to the Department of Labor appropriation that would prevent the Department of Labor from finalizing, implementing or enforcing changes to the Companionship Exemption that would hurt people with disabilities and the workers who provide us with services and supports to live independently in the community! Without this amendment there will be devastating effects in New York, where we have no one on the Appropriations Committee to represent us. Please urge the Senator to support this amendment.

The Department of Labor (DOL) has proposed changes in federal labor rules that will hurt people with disabilities and attendants who support our independence. These changes will most seriously impact people who have the most significant disabilities and rely on Medicaid services to live in the community and their attendants.

In short, the proposed changes will:

- Force seniors and people with disabilities into institutions;
- Cut the take-home pay of attendants;
- Reduce the attendant workforce;
- Force people with disabilities to cut the hours of trusted attendants and bring strangers into their homes; and
- Devastate consumer directed attendant programs.

Many national disability organizations -- including ADAPT, the National Council on Independent Living (NCIL), and the National Council on Disability (NCD) -- have raised concerns about these proposed changes and urged the Department of Labor to work with the disability community to resolve them. Instead of acknowledging the issue and working with the Disability Community to resolve it, the Department of Labor has continued to push ahead with these changes. (You can learn more about this issue at www.DOLoffMYbody.org)

TODAY, Senator Johanns will be submitting an amendment to the Department of Labor's appropriation that prevents DOL from finalizing, implementing or enforcing these changes until concerns about the proposed rules have been addressed.

SO PLEASE TAKE ACTION, call Senator Harkin at (202) 224-3254 and tell the staff:

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AFTER YOU CALL...

Share this alert with family and friends and urge them to call as well.

Then email us back at bdarling@cdrmys.org and share how your call went.

Thank you!

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[Linda L R Roberts](#) Disagree with this. The answer is NOT to continue the exploitation. The answer is to put more money into these programs.

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[Nancy Becker Kennedy](#) I respect you enormously, Linda but We Don't Live in Nirvana. We live in a state where were about to get our IHSS cut 4.4% which is the others shoe dropping from the 8% that was cut last year and the 20% cut to IHSS that the governor tried to cut but was stopped by the courts. The IHSS workers and consumers will get less money to live on this month and would get far less money if the governor had his way. If you read the letter which I will repost here from the National Association of Medicaid directors none of the cash-strapped states could afford this overtime pay. They are currently slashing Medicaid but it just and throwing seniors and people with disabilities into budget junk health plans that don't even have their specialties to cut money. Publicly funded IHSS services are not open-ended. They are finite and determined by the revenues that the state collects that year. Instead of paying overtime, the governor's administration announced in an Olmstead meeting that they will cap IHSS provider hours to 160 hours per consumer to avoid paying overtime. Trailer bill language was already prepared to that effect.

If the D.O. L. really wanted to make this a better job for providers it would provide robust experienced backup services for IHSS consumers so their lives are not thrown up in the air when their providers are sick, that way IHSS workers could have paid sick leave and paid vacations like they have in New York. By cynically asking for overtime pay which they know in state-funded Medicaid IHSS programs can not pay, all it does is give the unions two or three union dues out of a house were they used to get one, as families and people have to hire one and two more providers. If the DOL instead made the job better with quality backup services, sick pay, and vacation pay this would cost a fraction of overtime pay, and would have a real chance of being provided.

70% of California providers are family providers who will see their family income radically cut from 280 hours 160 hours. I was on a phone call with Tony Anderson of the ARC of California, saying that the family providers are greying and they are not professional providers who want to go out and get two and three jobs to supplement the cut they will receive an hours taking care of their family member. And if they have to leave the house to get that income than they will not be able to take care of their disabled family member. There were people on that call who are severely disabled with their providers with relationships that would be severed in the providers hours were cut almost in half.

We live in the real world and this will be the real fallout of the passage of his D.O.I laws as written, with no consultation to the disability community or in-depth talk with the possible ramifications to their own rank-and-file providers, which is why we must stop these rules and insist that rank-and-file providers and the disability community he consulted to work out a compromise. The ADAPT (American Disabled for Attendant Programs Today) / NCIL (National Council on Independent Living) compromise called for an elimination of the companionship exemption in privately funded third-party agencies while leaving government-funded Medicaid IHSS out of it. This is why we need to call and get our friends to call Senator Harkin now and tell him not to hurt people with disabilities and home care providers by approving the D.O I Department of Labor rules as they are written now it will really hurt those of us on Medicaid publicly funded IHSS. And that instead they should wait for a compromise that is reach by consulting with all parties and is harmless to all.

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[Philip Bennett](#) Hello, Linda L R Roberts. I have been a home care worker for close to 37 years. I'm touched that you want to end my "exploitation" by putting more money into the system.

My question is: where will the money come from? From the federal government which is sixteen trillion dollars in debt? From the states which are struggling also and, like the home care agencies, are under no obligation to pay overtime (outside of emergencies) as long as they can split up workers' hours?

Your Facebook page indicates that you are in the business of providing legal services. So I don't have to explain the Fair Labor Standards Act to you. If the money's not there to pay at overtime rate after the fortieth hour, our hours will be reduced. How does that help us?

Perhaps you think we're being exploited because we work long hours. Yes, often we do, and I'm very thankful for that because, at our low hourly wage, that's how we can support ourselves. I always prefer a case with many hours and the vast majority of my fellow home care workers feel the same. You see, Linda, it's not like we're constantly on our feet lifting people in and out of bed every minute of the day. Once we perform the important tasks of the job as well as the not so important chores which help the person we assist have a comfortable and productive life and, as long as we're ready to stop what we're doing whenever we're asked by our consumer, we can relax with a book, with a computer (which I'm doing now while on the job), watch TV, or whatever. Unless we're working a case that requires constant attention or with a very demanding and emotionally taxing consumer, this is a dream job!

So, in light of the fact that, without the millions or even billions of dollars required to pay this pie-in-the-sky overtime, we workers, as well as the people we assist, will be royally screwed, please explain why you disagree with my petition. Perhaps, instead of pie-in-the-sky, you can work reviving the Community Choice Act or increase our hourly wage so we're on par with nursing home workers or assure that all home

care workers get extra vacation and sick pay. I look forward to your response, [Linda L R Roberts](#) .
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Date: 9/27/2014 9:17:08 AM
Subject: Sad news from OGP

I am writing to let you know that Carrie Cordero's father, Alan Franklin, 67, passed away early yesterday morning.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow, Sunday, at Berkowitz-Kumin-Bookatz funeral home, 1985 S. Taylor Road, Cleveland, Ohio. Carrie's home address is 2004 Westwood Terrace, Vienna, VA 22182.

As many of you know, Carrie's work for the past three years in our national security law program has been invaluable. Please join me in sending our deepest sympathies to Carrie and her family.

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Date: 11/17/2015 5:28:08 AM
Subject: Thank you

we'll be there with you too.

From: "Huma Abedin" <ha16@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Dan Schwerin" <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 7/16/2015 4:57:15 PM
Subject: Re: IDP Dinner

Jen, did you talk to her since our last conversation? Did it come up anywhere today ?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 16, 2015, at 9:17 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Team, thanks for the good feedback on the Iowa speech. Latest draft is attached, which also reflects her suggestions. Two notes: 1) apparently a time limit is being strictly enforced, so I've cut this down a bunch. 2) HRC felt strongly about not touching Planned Parenthood right now. Jen talked to her about it so perhaps could elaborate.

Thanks

Dan

On Wed, Jul 15, 2015 at 3:11 PM, Dan Schwerin <dschwerin@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Here's a first cut at HRC's remarks for the IDP dinner. Would love your thoughts. She is reviewing as well. A few notes:

- This opens by recalling previous collaborations with the other Dem candidates. To me, this is a chance to seem big and inclusive when they are likely to be trying to drive wedges. Easy to cut, but might be a nice grace note.
- This draft throws out some red meat early on with Donald Trump to get the crowd jazzed at the top. Then she can do your affirmative agenda and circle back to the fuller contrast later on. Plenty of other ways to organize this, but a good hit at the top seemed important.
- Given the growing controversy over the leaked Planned Parenthood video, with Boehner calling for hearings and other GOPers piling on, we should think about whether this is a good time to join the battle and come to Planned Parenthood's defense, or whether it's wiser to stay away. For now, its in here.
- Finally, you'll see a hit on Governor Branstad for his veto of mental health funding. Matt thinks this is a good fight to pick and I agree. Gives you a chance to make an emotional appeal on an issue you care about so much. The Governor is also riling folks up with his education cuts, so that's in here as well.

Am going to keep working this and punching up the language, but wanted to share early draft in case folks have initial reactions.

Thanks

Dan

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To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/30/2014 4:06:34 PM

Subject: Nancy Pelosi, Tammy Duckworth, Jim Messina

They've ALL sent you emails (I included them below.) They wouldn't have sent you so many emails unless it was critical.

Can you donate before it's too late? <http://action.thehousemajoritypac.com/5hoursleft>

The deadline is 5 hours away. It's now or never.

- Tara

----- Original Messages -----

From Tammy Duckworth:

John:

Watching the Tea Party stop anything from getting accomplished in Washington has made me cringe since I was elected in 2012.

I am determined that it doesn't have to be this way, which is why I am writing you today. My friends at House Majority PAC are working day and night to kick the Tea Party out of Washington. They're fighting back against hundreds of millions of dollars in attacks against Democrats nationwide. **But standing up against people like the Koch brothers isn't easy.**

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Thanks for standing with the Democrats Who Fight Back,

Tammy

From Jim Messina:

Washington isn't working. President Obama is trying hard to do so much, but with Speaker Boehner and the Tea Party, something has to change.

Here's what we're up against:

- A Tea Party focused on playing politics by relentlessly attacking the president
- Tea Party radicals pushing for the largest GOP majority in 60 YEARS!
- A Tea Party determined to impeach Obama

[That is why my friends at House Majority PAC need your help before their HUGE FEC deadline – the last quarterly deadline before Election Day. They're standing with](#)

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Standing up for the president means that we stop the GOP from continuing their assault on a woman's right to choose, stop the GOP's attempts to destroy our environment, and pass the rest of the president's agenda.

[But House Majority PAC can't do it alone. Can you click here and donate before their HUGE FEC deadline? Your donation will be put to work instantly stopping the Tea Party and supporting the president's agenda.](#)

Thanks for standing up for the president,

Jim

From Leader Nancy Pelosi:

I just left a meeting on the outside spending in some of our tightest races and it's downright SCARY. The latest numbers show that if we don't get a huge surge, we could lose BIG, even in states like New York and California!!!

But, that's where you come in. My friends at House Majority PAC (HMP) need your urgent support before their biggest FEC deadline of the year! HMP was founded after the 2010 elections to counter Koch-fueled attacks and provide Democrats air support. We need 3 more people from Washington to step up NOW.

[If they don't have our support, President Obama and Democrats everywhere will fall behind. Look, can you click here and donate before it's too late?](#)

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If House Majority PAC misses this deadline, Democrats fall further behind to Koch-fueled attacks. They're already spending millions -- and could spend more -- donating today is the only way to fight back.

[John, can you click here and donate before it's too late?](#)

Thanks,

Nancy

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To: ["Anna Burger" <Anna.Burger@seiu.org>](mailto:Anna.Burger@seiu.org)
Date: 1/24/2008 5:27:17 AM
Subject: RE: Messaging Requests

> I had a conversation with Tom last night about the process piece of this. He understands that we need a fuller understanding of his plan in order to act on specific requests. I think we should use our next conference call with him to focus on major objectives, timelines etc as opposed to anecdotal info.

I agree on the concerns about process

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> Anna Burger
> 202-730-7303
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: JStocks@nea.org [mailto:JStocks@nea.org]
> Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2008 02:43 PM Eastern Standard Time
> To: Anna Burger; amy@fundforamerica.net; john.podesta@gmail.com;
> rmckay@mckayfund.org; fes33@aol.com
> Subject: RE: Messaging Requests

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> Don't disagree...don't want an opportunity lost. My comments are less
> about the specific requests and more about the process.

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> From: Anna Burger [mailto:Anna.Burger@seiu.org]
> Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2008 9:45 AM
> To: Stocks, John [NEA]; amy@fundforamerica.net; john.podesta@gmail.com;
> rmckay@mckayfund.org; fes33@aol.com
> Subject: RE: Messaging Requests

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> John, while I share your need for an over all plan I think that a
> response to the BUSH state of the union makes sense and. Is an
> opportunity we shouldn't miss. I suggest that we make the payment and
> have amy set up a meeting with him to lay out strategy.
> Anna

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> Anna Burger
> 202-730-7303

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> From: JStocks@nea.org [mailto:JStocks@nea.org]
> Sent: Wednesday, January 23, 2008 06:08 PM Eastern Standard Time

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> rmckay@mckayfund.org; fes33@aol.com
> Subject: RE: Messaging Requests
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> I think we will set a bad precedent if we respond to each and every
> urgent request without the benefit of an overall plan/strategy for
> infusing issue, character and values messaging into the current
> political context. How do these requests fit into the overall paid and
> earned media plan? It would be helpful for us to have an articulation of
> the desired outcomes, targeted audiences, messengers, messages, mediums,
> geography (if appropriate) in the context of a ranking of states in
> priority order based upon a set of strategic objectives. If I am off
> base, please let me know.
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> From: Amy Dacey [mailto:amy@fundforamerica.net]
> Sent: Wednesday, January 23, 2008 5:57 PM
> To: John Podesta; Anna.Burger@seiu.org; Stocks, John [NEA]; Rob McKay;
> FES33@aol.com
> Subject: Messaging Requests
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> Tom is asking for a fast turn around for some requests
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> American United (Around the State of the Union) \$60,000
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> Campaign Money Watch as part of the 2008 messaging work \$250,000
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> He is requesting expediency, I have asked for additional information
> about what his monthly baseline needs.
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> Can I please have a reaction to this by tomorrow morning.
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> Thank you
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Date: 7/27/2009 5:11:03 PM

Subject: [big campaign] Tea Party Patriots Health Care Freedom To Do List

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This Week's To Do List

Dear Fellow Patriot,

The calls and emails you have made are having an impact. Now it is the time to continue the pressure. Read below for a brief update on the status of the bills and what to do next.

The House Bill is still delayed in the House Energy and Commerce Committee. While it is unclear whether the Energy and Commerce Committee will have the votes to pass the bill out of committee, Speaker Pelosi plans to bring the bill to the House Floor this week regardless of what the committee does.

To our knowledge, the Senate Finance Committee has yet to present a bill. There have been many rumors about bipartisan compromises in the Senate Finance Committee. These compromises will still result in government take over of our health care.

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Tea Party Patriots Health Care Freedom To Do List for This Week

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

- Call the members of the [House Energy and Finance Committee](#) .
- Email 10 (or more) of your friends to let them know what is in the Health Care Bill and [how it will affect their lives](#) .

Wednesday, July 29th, 2009

- Call the [Senate Finance Committee](#) .
- Ask your 10 friends who you emailed yesterday to call their [Senators](#) to ask them to vote against government take over of health care.

Thursday, July 30th, 2009 *(The activities on Thursday are vitally important! We do not want Speaker Pelosi to line up the votes and pass this bill before the August recess on Friday.)*

- Call the [Blue Dog Democrats at their DC Offices](#) .
- Email the [Blue Dog Chiefs of Staff](#) in your state and/or district.
- Ask the 10 friends you emailed Monday to call their [Congressman](#) to ask him or her to vote against the bill.

Friday, July 31, 2009

- Call the [Blue Dog Democrats again](#) .
- Call the Local Offices and the DC Offices of your own [Congressman](#) and [Senators](#) .
- Check the Health Care Page of our website to see if there are any updates for Friday as the bill moves through the House this week.

Please remember to [record the number of emails, faxes, and calls you are making.](#)

Upcoming Events and Activities for August

Ongoing Activities

- Keep the pressure on the Senate while they are in session
- Town Hall Meetings to inform American Taxpayers of what the implications are if government bureaucrats take over our health care
- Continue Neighborhood Walks
- Begin Phone Banking

August 14, 2009

- Tea Party Patriots Health Care Freedom Protests outside of Congressional and Senatorial District Offices around the country *(noon local time)*

August 28, 2009

- Tea Party Patriots Health Care Freedom Protests outside of Congressional and Senatorial District Offices around the country *(noon local time)*
- [Tea Party Express Bus Tour](#) Launches in Sacramento

September 12, 2009

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Watch for Updates to Our Site

Be sure to check the site frequently for updates

We are working on updates to our Tea Party Patriots Health Care page right now. They should be posted on Tuesday. Additionally, we are working on updating relevant news articles on a daily basis. There will be a page up shortly about Tea Party Patriots specific related activities to the the 912 March on DC. Finally, you will notice there is now a group feature on the site. If you are a Local Coordinator, be sure to create a group for your Local Tea Party.

Thank You!

You are the heart and soul of the Tea Party Movement. Thank you for promoting the causes of fiscal responsibility, constitutionally limited government, and free markets with us!



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Date: 12/2/2014 4:42:00 PM

Subject: FW: Ebola in Liberia: An Epidemic of Rumors (by Helen Epstein. The New York Review of Books, Dec 18, 2014 issue)

I think May will also find this of interest.

The New York Review of Books

Ebola in Liberia: An Epidemic of Rumors

[Helen Epstein](#)

[December 18, 2014 Issue](#)



Grant Miller/George W. Bush Presidential Center
Liberian President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf; portrait by former President George W. Bush from his exhibition 'The Art of Leadership: A President's Personal Diplomacy,' at the George W. Bush Center in Dallas last spring

In December 2013, the West African Ebola epidemic began in a village near Guéckédou, a trading town in rural Guinea, but the disease wasn't identified until February. The Guineans promptly notified health officials in neighboring countries, and in Liberia a team of researchers immediately set out for Lofa County, just over the border from Guéckédou, where a number of mysterious deaths had recently occurred. The Liberians at first assumed the deaths were caused by Lassa fever, a far less deadly disease with symptoms similar to Ebola. Liberia had no lab capable of testing for Ebola then, so the researchers sent some blood samples to France. When the results finally came back in late March showing that Ebola was spreading in Liberia too, "fear grabbed us," said Tolbert Nyenswah, who now heads the Ebola Task Force in Liberia's Ministry of Health and Social Welfare.

That first outbreak burned out quickly: there were only twelve documented cases in March and April and then none at all for six weeks. However, on May 29, the disease reappeared in Liberia's capital, Monrovia, and this time it exploded. There were cases all over the city. Nyenswah and his Liberian colleagues had never dealt with Ebola before, but doctors from the medical charity Doctors Without Borders and the US Centers for Disease Control (CDC), who had fought numerous previous Ebola outbreaks in Central Africa, were on hand to help.

Together, they warned the public through radio announcements, posters, and billboards, and sent health

workers to villages throughout the country to tell people to be on the lookout for the disease. They set up a hotline so people could report cases and trained teams of investigators to visit each caller and make a tentative diagnosis based on symptoms. They also equipped a lab to do blood tests locally and built Ebola treatment centers—tent camps where patients could be isolated and receive basic care. They hired over two thousand contact tracers to identify and isolate everyone—such as close relatives of victims and health workers—who might have been exposed to the virus.

This system had worked to control twenty-four previous Ebola outbreaks in sub-Saharan Africa, but it wasn't working this time. At first five, then ten, then twenty, then forty, then more than sixty cases a day were being reported to the task force. Each infected person had fifteen to twenty “contacts”—usually family members or health workers who might have touched them—and as the epidemic took off in July, half of them went on to develop the disease as well. By early August, the treatment centers were full, the streets were strewn with bodies, and the Ebola hotline was receiving thousands of calls a week. One caller was so distraught that he went straight to the cemetery and rang the hotline from there.

In September, the CDC predicted that 1.4 million people in Sierra Leone and Liberia might succumb to the disease if the epidemic continued its swift spread. This assessment was partly based on the staggering surge of cases in Monrovia. Ebola was also devastating Guinea and Sierra Leone, but the capitals of those countries hadn't exploded with disease as Monrovia had. “The Conakry [the capital of Guinea] outbreaks have been very small, and they haven't exploded in Freetown [the capital of Sierra Leone],” Armand Sprecher, an Ebola expert with Doctors Without Borders, told *New York Times* reporter Norimutsu Onishi in August. “So something is different in Monrovia.... We've never seen this kind of explosion in an urban environment before.”

The epidemic in Monrovia finally began to subside in September, and today only about twenty new cases a day are being reported throughout Liberia. But over 2,800 Liberians have died from the disease, more than twice as many as in larger Sierra Leone and Guinea, and over six thousand have been infected, ten times more than in any previous Ebola epidemic. Although the number of deaths is far from the apocalypse predicted by the CDC, it's worth asking why Liberia's epidemic has been so bad. Ebola is not transmitted through the air like flu or through food and water like cholera and typhoid. It can be contracted only by touching the vomit, feces, urine, saliva, or sweat of a sick person or corpse.

Until now, controlling it was thought to be so straightforward that when the US government was forced to cut “nonessential” programs in the aftermath of the 2012 “fiscal cliff” standoff, Defense Department research on a promising Ebola drug was among the first things to be axed.¹ The World Health Organization was so sanguine about Ebola that it didn't declare the West African epidemic a public health emergency—a step that automatically mobilizes large-scale fund-raising from donors—until August 8, nearly six months after the first cases were discovered in Guinea, and nearly two and a half months after the explosive epidemic in Monrovia began.²

The virus is no different from those that caused previous outbreaks, and it is difficult to transmit.³ Patrick Sawyer, the Liberian lawyer who flew to Nigeria and died of Ebola there in July, was floridly ill on the plane, but the only people who caught the virus from him were health workers and one other passenger who touched him while helping him off the plane. No one in the household of Eric Duncan, the Liberian who died of Ebola in Texas on October 8, became infected, nor did the girlfriend of Craig Spencer, the New York doctor who contracted the disease in Guinea.

Some have suggested that Ebola had never broken out in a city such as Monrovia before, and this is what made the present epidemic unique. But in 1995, Ebola struck Kikwit, Zaire—a city of 400,000 people—and in 2001 it broke out in Gulu, Uganda, population 100,000. Health authorities then had far less experience coping with Ebola than they did on the eve of the West African epidemic, but in those cases only around 250 people died.

Another hypothesis is that Liberia's health care system, with only a few dozen doctors and fewer than

two thousand underpaid nurses in a population of four million, was ill-equipped to cope with Ebola. However, emergency measures to deal with the disease outside of ordinary health care services rapidly contained previous outbreaks in Sudan, Uganda, and the Democratic Republic of the Congo, which have similarly terrible health care systems.⁴

What went wrong? In October, I went to Liberia with this question in mind. I came to believe—as others have suggested—that the problem was fundamentally political.⁵ When the epidemic occurred, many ordinary Liberians were so profoundly estranged from their government that they assumed it was lying to them and actively disbelieved the warnings that Nyenswah and others were desperately broadcasting to the nation and the world.

Instead, right up until September, people continued to behave as they usually did when others became ill or died. Entire families perished because they insisted on nursing sick relatives themselves. When a Muslim dies in this part of the world, his or her relatives traditionally wash, dress, and bury the body, and groups of related families were wiped out in this way. Even trained nurses ignored the warnings, and kept administering treatment to their neighbors in order to make extra money. Scores of them died, along with their families, their other patients, and their colleagues.

By late October, the epidemic was coming under control in Monrovia, but was still throwing off sparks into the countryside as people who had contracted the virus in the capital passed it to their families in the villages. Shortly after I arrived, I learned of an outbreak that had recently killed nearly thirty people in a village called Jene Wonde, about fifty miles north of the capital in the lush countryside of palm, coconut, and banana trees near the Sierra Leone border. Ninety people had been quarantined in their homes by the village chief. What had been a lively farming community and trading center was fast becoming a ghost town. Market stalls, once stocked with food and such necessities of village life as soap, candles, matches, and plastic buckets, were empty. People from other communities shunned the villagers and wouldn't even speak to them; motorcyclists sped through, their faces covered in cloth.

The first cases in Jene Wonde occurred in late July. Earlier that month, Ebola had struck a slum on the outskirts of Monrovia, killing about seventeen people. A young Jene Wonde woman who was living there thought the cause was poison, and fled in the direction of her village. On the way, she began to feel sick and stopped in a town on the main road to consult a witch doctor. The witch doctor recognized her symptoms at once, and said there was nothing he could do. Her father, a teacher in Jene Wonde, set out to find her, but she had died by the time he reached the town. He buried her alone there that night and returned to his family the next day. Soon he and his wife and four of their other children were dead. Then a sister who brought them food and washed them died too, along with her entire family, and the families of the women who cared for them. In this way the sickness spread around the village, killing one family after another.

Throughout the summer, health officials had come repeatedly to urge the villagers to call the hotline when people became ill, but they refused. When the local nurse who runs Jene Wonde's small clinic called for an ambulance to collect a pregnant woman she suspected had the virus, the villagers practically rioted. The nurse had gone home by the time the ambulance arrived, but a crowd gathered around her house shouting insults and sent it away.

"The people from the district came and told us all the signs and symptoms, but we did not believe them," the village chief—a woman—explained when I asked her why the villagers reacted this way. "We were thinking the president"—meaning Liberian President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, who has held office since 2006—"created it"—meaning Ebola—"to kill people."

"Ebola came and they blamed me," I was told by the nurse, who briefly fled the village and had only just returned. "They thought nurses had been given poison by the president to inject into people so they'd die and the UN would send money. Everyone in all the villages around here was believing that."

By now, the villagers had realized their error and set up their own quarantine system, overseen by a local

farmer in a blue windbreaker, who carried around a sheaf of reporting forms in a battered cardboard folder. A doctor and an epidemiologist from the CDC had been posted to the area to help the villagers cope and make the quarantine as safe as possible. A special isolation center for Ebola patients opened a few days later.



Mike King

Eventually Ebola will be contained in Liberia, and next time people should be ready for it so fewer will die. Maybe none will die if new medicines are developed by then. But the virus has shed light on a far tougher problem. Many Liberians don't trust their president or her government. Early on in the epidemic, versions of the rumor that Sirleaf invented the crisis so she could dupe foreign aid donors into sending her money were aired in newspapers, on radio programs, and in Liberia's ubiquitous teashops where men gather in the afternoon to talk about politics. Even a Liberian senator claimed that the epidemic was a hoax, although he did not seem to hold the more extreme belief that President Sirleaf had actually assigned nurses to poison people in order to make the ruse more convincing.⁶

Ellen Johnson Sirleaf—Nobel Peace Prize winner, Harvard graduate, former Citibank executive and UN diplomat—is not someone you'd ordinarily suspect of plotting a dastardly scheme to poison her citizens for money. She is a remarkable and, to many, a heroic figure. In 2007, she was awarded a US Presidential Medal of Freedom for helping to end Liberia's notorious twenty-three-year cycle of civil wars.

The fighting had been extreme not only for its brutality but for its bizarre conduct. Until 1980, Liberia's ruling class had consisted almost entirely of Americo-Liberians, descendants of freed American slaves who settled there in the early 1800s. They wore three-piece suits and Edwardian dresses and took pride in what they saw as their own higher degree of civilization compared to the natives. During the civil wars, the rebels—mainly of native African descent—dressed up in Halloween costumes and wedding gowns or stormed around stark naked with Kalashnikovs, as if to dramatize the worst nightmares of the Americo-Liberians. By the time a peace deal was finally signed in 2003, hundreds of thousands of Liberians were dead and the nation was in ruins.

In the 2005 election, and in her successful reelection campaign in 2011, Sirleaf's popularity rested on a professed commitment to clean government—she'd been denouncing Africa's twin plagues of corruption and militarism since her student days in the 1960s—and also her strong American connections, which she promised would bring in far more aid and investment than her opponents. Her first administration included a dream team of Western-educated human rights lawyers and skilled businessmen who had come back to help repair their troubled country. She also enlisted a team of lawyers to negotiate better terms on contracts with foreign oil, agriculture, and mining companies, and the economy was growing briskly until Ebola struck. Donors also generously supported her ministries, and perhaps surprisingly in view of the recent epidemic, the health care system in particular showed major signs of improvement: until Ebola derailed it, rates of malaria and maternal mortality had fallen significantly.

Despite these achievements, disenchantment with Sirleaf's regime began to set in long before Ebola broke out. Late in her first term, Liberia's lively and vociferous press began reporting a series of major corruption scandals. Millions of dollars in donor funds intended for health care, agriculture, and other projects had not been accounted for.⁷ Numerous contracts with foreign gold, diamond, iron, and agriculture companies had been signed without consulting the communities that were to be affected by the projects, and nearly all of these contracts have been found to be so flawed that they violated the country's own laws.⁸ Bribes had been paid to legislators to approve offshore oil concessions, including one involving US oil giant Chevron, but President Sirleaf allowed the contract to stand anyway.⁹

This culture of impunity is partly attributable to the breakdown in public order during the civil wars, but many people I spoke to, including President Sirleaf's supporters, felt she had not done enough to confront it. Commissions of inquiry were appointed to investigate graft and reports were issued, but wrongdoers were seldom seriously punished. Many of her original cabinet members have by now resigned in dismay at the government's tolerance of corruption or been pushed out. In their places, Sirleaf appointed less-qualified associates and even put her son Charles on the board of the Central Bank. Another son, Robert, a suave entrepreneur with a Clark Gable mustache who worked at the North Carolina office of Wachovia Bank until its demise in the 2008 financial crisis, was briefly put in charge of the national oil company. Liberian lawmakers have questioned the financial probity of both sons, as well as Fumba Sirleaf, her stepson. None of them has been indicted or convicted of a crime, however.

Meanwhile, the country's economic growth has done little to improve the lives of most Liberians, over 60 percent of whom still struggle to survive on less than a dollar a day, while battling corruption in their everyday lives. Police routinely steal goods from street vendors and judges take bribes from plaintiffs.¹⁰ University students lamented to me that they had to bribe their professors and administrators with sexual favors, money, or sometimes both. "You canna pay skoo' fees unless you slee' wi' somewah," a beautiful sociology major told me.

In the countryside near Jene Wonde, the Malaysian company Sime Darby staked out a vast palm oil plantation in 2009. Only a few hundred impoverished locals have found very low-wage employment there and many more say they've lost access to sacred burial grounds and farms. In 2011, riots broke out and Sirleaf herself traveled to the area to restore order. "You are trying to undermine your own government," she said sternly. "You can't do that. If you do so all the foreign investors coming to Liberia will close their businesses and leave, then Liberia will go back to the old days."¹¹

A confidential report from the US Agency for International Development was leaked to the press in March, warning that the volatile mixture of mass poverty and unemployment, combined with resentment about elite corruption, threatens the nation's stability.¹² After the civil wars ended in 2003, Liberia never had a real truth-and-reconciliation process. There was an investigation and a report, but no trials, no punishments, and no prison terms. An aid worker who was not involved in the USAID report told me that she sometimes asks Liberians how they see the process of reconciliation. "They tend to respond more in terms of wanting inclusive development, and less in terms of criminal justice."

In other words, it's not simply that the poor want more of what the elites have; rather they see material benefits as themselves a form of justice, and as evidence that Liberian society has changed after nearly two centuries of exclusion. The Ebola rumors suggest that many people, accurately or otherwise, feel that Sirleaf has lately been betraying her promises to them. When poor Liberians see urban elites swishing by in expensive vehicles and hear of new oil deals being signed, they naturally wonder whether all that promised foreign aid and investment isn't going into some corrupt person's pocket.

Thus, when the Health Ministry requested \$1.5 million in emergency funds from the Treasury to fight Ebola last spring, many Liberians assumed this was just another scam on the part of a secretive cartel of elites to steal more foreign aid. When the Jene Wondeans heard these speculations on FM radio stations, I was told they took them literally, believing that President Sirleaf had actually created the

epidemic by getting government nurses to distribute the poison that caused it.

On August 12, as the Ebola epidemic was reaching its peak in Liberia, Solomon George, the legislative representative for West Point, Monrovia's largest slum and an opposition stronghold, told journalists that the dead bodies of five of his constituents had been lying in the street for four days. If they were not removed the following day, he would deliver them personally to President Sirleaf's office. The next day, the Health Ministry converted a West Point school—which had been closed since July because of the epidemic—into a community care center where Ebola patients could be isolated while awaiting a slot in a treatment unit staffed by doctors and nurses.

Although the care center was constructed to get bodies off the streets, hundreds of angry demonstrators protested outside, some claiming that the epidemic was a hoax and others believing in it but angry that their community was being used as a dumping ground for patients around the city. On the night of August 16, a group of young men raided the building and stole bedding and other supplies. Seventeen Ebola patients fled into the slum.

Four days later, President Sirleaf placed the entire West Point community under quarantine. Police and soldiers in riot gear blocked off all the roads leading in. Food prices soared immediately and angry crowds filled the streets to protest. When Miatta Flowers, the government-appointed commissioner of West Point, began escorting her family out of the slum under armed guard, a riot broke out, and two young men were shot by soldiers.¹³ One later bled to death in a hospital abandoned by its staff because of the Ebola crisis; the other is permanently disabled.

The quarantine was lifted ten days later, but in this land of rumors, questions about why Sirleaf ordered it in the first place were still in the air when I arrived in October. After all, public health officials had warned her that cordoning off such a large area risked alienating the very people whose cooperation she desperately needed to control the epidemic.

It's hard to know where fantasy starts and truth ends in Liberia, but some West Pointers told me they thought the quarantine was really a move to quash an armed rebellion, and had little to do with public health. West Point is home to precisely the people most likely to feel left behind in Sirleaf's Liberia. Most are young, poorly educated, and struggling to get by as fishermen or as traders in food, alcohol, charcoal, or used clothes in the slum's vast warren-like marketplace. Many are also prostitutes, smugglers, thieves, or drug dealers.

Rumors of a coup first emerged last July, when the US suddenly revoked the visas of three senior Liberian government officials. No reason was given, but all of them are on a list of people recommended for war crimes prosecution in Liberia's Truth and Reconciliation Commission report.¹⁴ That report also implicates Sirleaf, who admitted to the TRC commissioners that early in the civil war, she had provided modest support to the notorious warlord Charles Taylor, now serving a fifty-year sentence in a British prison for war crimes committed in neighboring Sierra Leone. In May, Jucontee Thomas Woewiyu, who had been a spokesman for Taylor in the 1990s, was arrested for lying about his involvement in war crimes on a 2006 application for US citizenship, and is now awaiting trial. In the past he has claimed that Sirleaf was far more involved in Taylor's rebellion than she admitted, and some Liberian newspapers have speculated that he could turn state witness.¹⁵



Daniel Berehulak/The New York Times/Redux
 President Sirleaf surrounded by bodyguards wearing protective gloves during a visit to the quarantined neighborhood of West Point in Liberia's capital, Monrovia, August 2014

Then in early August, Liberia's *National Chronicle* newspaper began publishing a ten-part series about a US-based movement to replace Sirleaf with a caretaker government overseen by the US. Part three of the series, describing a closed-door meeting in Washington between President Obama and Liberian Vice President Joseph Boakai, appeared on a Wednesday. That afternoon, police raided the *National Chronicle*'s downtown office, arresting two journalists and ordering the newspaper shut. Philipbert Browne, the owner and editor in chief, gave a live radio interview during the raid and listeners could hear the police pounding on the doors and the staff running away from tear gas.

That evening, yet another rumor began circulating—that a shipment of weapons had disappeared from Liberia's Freeport, which abuts the northern boundary of West Point. When the president ordered soldiers to quarantine the slum two days later, and then the commissioner and her family began to leave, people panicked. "If the government was getting its own people out, anything could happen," Abdulaziz Kromah, a student who lives in West Point, told me.

Outside of West Point, few people I spoke to believe that Obama is seriously planning to take over Liberia and install a caretaker government, or that shipments of guns were distributed in West Point to stage a rebellion. Vice President Boakai has declined to discuss publicly what he spoke to President Obama about when he saw him in early August, and when I called James Tarpeh, whom the *National Chronicle* named as the US-based leader of the supposed future interim government, he also refused to comment on the matter.

After the quarantine ended, things settled down for a while. Then, in September, Obama announced that he was sending four thousand US troops to Liberia to fight Ebola—more than we currently have deployed to help Iraqis and others fight ISIS in the Middle East—and rumors began swirling once again. (The number of Ebola troops has since been reduced to three thousand.)

When I arrived in Monrovia, several of these soldiers could be seen tramping around the good hotels wearing camouflage uniforms and patrol boots. Their official assignment is to build more Ebola treatment centers—and that's almost certainly what they will be doing—but the epidemic was already declining by the time they arrived, and many existing treatment center beds were empty. This led to much speculation in this rumor-prone society about what the actual mission of the soldiers might be. One rumor making the rounds was that they were there to prevent corrupt Liberians from stealing Ebola-tainted blood samples and selling them to al-Qaeda; another was that they were there to keep the peace should Sirleaf be pushed out in favor of a—no doubt imaginary—US-backed caretaker government.

The rumor of a US takeover intrigued me, because it echoes through Liberia's history, beginning with the first settlement of freed American slaves in the early nineteenth century. Liberia was never a colony, but American warships would occasionally appear offshore when its French and British colonial neighbors threatened its borders.¹⁶ After World War II, America set up a CIA communication center

there as well as a station of the military's OMEGA navigation system—a forerunner of GPS. Liberia hosted Voice of America's Africa service as well as Firestone's vast rubber plantations and American iron, gold, and diamond mines.

In 1971, President William Tubman died and his left-leaning, idealistic vice-president, William Tolbert, took over. Tolbert expanded social services like health care and education and scrapped subsidies on imported rice to encourage Liberian farmers. However, he antagonized the US by renegotiating unfavorable contracts with Firestone and other companies. He also criticized Israel for its treatment of the Palestinians, offered support to the African National Congress and other revolutionary groups, and established diplomatic relations with North Korea, Libya, China, the USSR, and other countries on America's cold war enemy list. He also refused to grant the American military unlimited access to the nation's main airport, which it had been using to send weapons to cold war allies around the continent.

In 1980, Tolbert was murdered in his bed by soldiers allied to Samuel Doe, a young sergeant in the Liberian army. US foreign aid cuts and riots organized by CIA-backed opposition groups over increased rice prices had already weakened Tolbert's regime.¹⁷ Doe himself also claimed to have been recruited into the CIA in 1973,¹⁸ and according to eyewitnesses he called the US embassy the night of Tolbert's murder and received its blessing for the takeover.¹⁹ Ten days later, thirteen of Tolbert's cabinet ministers were paraded around Monrovia in their underwear and then shot dead on the beach before an audience of horrified Western journalists.

Doe promptly dismantled Tolbert's leftist policies, cut ties with Libya, the Soviets, and other enemies of America, renegotiated contracts with US companies, and allowed the US military free rein at the airport. In return, Doe received \$500 million in foreign aid from the Reagan administration, far more than any other African country at the time.

By the mid-1980s, the Americans, finally recognizing that Doe was an erratic, corrupt thug, abetted several failed coup attempts, until he was eventually overthrown by the warlord Charles Taylor in 1990. Taylor had been a member of Doe's government, but fled Liberia with \$900,000 in stolen cash in 1983. Taylor claims that while awaiting extradition in Massachusetts, he was set free by the guards and driven to New York in a US-government vehicle. From there he made his way to the Ivory Coast, where he launched his invasion of Liberia. Whether Doe or Taylor was ever really linked to the CIA is not known, but in 2006 Taylor told a journalist, "Every move we took, we consulted Washington first."

Between 1990 and 2003, Liberia was caught in a storm of insurgencies and counterinsurgencies involving Taylor's group, a splinter group headed by another warlord named Prince Johnson—who also claims to have received US support—two other American-backed factions known as MODEL and LURD, and a US-backed peacekeeping force made up of troops from Nigeria and Ghana.

In 2003, a peace deal was finally signed, and an interim government took over. Elections were held in 2005, but once again, the Americans were watching closely. A particularly warm relationship had developed between President George W. Bush and Sirleaf, who called each other "Ellen" and "George" even at high-level meetings. When Bush retired and took up oil painting, he made a portrait of her.

After Sirleaf's election, Chevron was awarded an offshore concession in a deal whose transparency has been questioned by both the Liberian General Auditing Commission and the international corruption watchdog group Global Witness. When Sirleaf was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize just weeks before the 2011 election, even though she had been censured in 2009 by Liberia's own government-appointed Truth and Reconciliation Commission for her support of Charles Taylor, opposition groups, imagining that her mysterious American backers had somehow influenced the judges in Oslo, staged violent demonstrations and boycotted the 2011 election.²⁰ Although international observers maintain that the election was nevertheless conducted in a transparent and democratic manner, many Liberians told me that they believed the American government influenced both the 2005 and 2011 elections in Sirleaf's favor. But they could not explain how it could have done so. Now some of them were saying that the

Americans were growing impatient with her, just as they had with Doe and Taylor.

On my last day in Liberia, the son of one of President Tolbert's cabinet ministers took me to the prison where his father was held before being executed on the beach by Doe's soldiers in 1980. It's derelict now, and strewn with leaves and trash. The last drops of a rainstorm were falling from the rafters of the caved-in roof. "This is where everything began to go wrong for Liberia," he said, standing in one of the cells.

Liberia's problems long predate Tolbert's murder, but it is true that during his presidency, Liberia made halting progress to extend rights and services to native Africans—progress that was destroyed by Doe's coup and the decades of counter coups that followed. Tolbert was one of a number of left-leaning post-independence leaders—including Congo's Patrice Lumumba, Ghana's Kwame Nkrumah, Uganda's Milton Obote, Burkina Faso's Thomas Sankara, and Mozambique's Samora Machel—whose death or violent overthrow has been linked to Western cold war meddling. The loss of these leaders, flawed though they were, was seen by many as disrupting the development of their countries and leaving deep psychological and cultural scars. In Liberia, when Doe killed Tolbert and the mayhem began, many Liberians may well have concluded that the world was an irrational place. In their desperation, they may have lost their grip on reality, and begun to see plots and conspiracies everywhere.

Nearly every afternoon when I was in Monrovia, US military Osprey helicopters roared across the beach transporting gear for our soldiers fighting Ebola. The receptionist at my hotel told me the helicopters were coming from a US destroyer moored just off the coast. Sometimes, he said, it moved closer to shore and you could see it.

For days, I scanned the horizon trying to catch a glimpse of this destroyer, which every Liberian I spoke to seemed to have either heard about or seen. "It's HUGE!" a waitress at a beachside hotel told me. "I've seen it twice." Finally I stopped a navy officer on the street near the US embassy and asked him where it was.

"A destroyer? Wow, that would be exciting!" he said. The helicopters were flown in from Europe, he explained, refueling in midair. "I can assure you there is no US maritime presence in Liberia."

Like so much else in Liberia, the destroyer was an illusion. But here, even illusions can have serious consequences.

—November 20, 2014

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From: "Cheryl Mills" <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>

To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>

Date: 10/25/2014 11:08:03 AM

Subject: Re: CONFIRMED Follow - up Call, Sunday, October 26, 9:30am EDT - PRE-CALL

Great

cdm

On Oct 25, 2014, at 5:58 PM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

Todd Park all clear with counsel. Ready to go.

JP

--Sent from my iPad--

john.podesta@gmail.com

For scheduling: eryn.sepp@gmail.com

On Oct 24, 2014, at 7:11 AM, robbymook@gmail.com wrote:

And talked to Teddy last night. He said he'll have something Monday am.

On Oct 24, 2014, at 1:05 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

i read it as not needing the meeting

so going to not do meeting but call you on saturday

On Thu, Oct 23, 2014 at 10:46 PM, <robbymook@gmail.com> wrote:

Sorry I just saw the typo in my email so maybe it was misleading. I was saying I don't think we need MORE than 30 minutes. (Not sure if that was interpreted as we don't need the time at all). I definitely think we need to talk about post Eday schedule as soon as possible. That can be with her but I wonder if it's better for the three of us to get on the same page first. I just don't know where her mind is right now so you guys would be better to determine what's best to propose.

On the digital piece I hope to have a memo for her tomorrow pm but I'm a bit skeptical it will arrive on time. We have him working on a ton of stuff for no money so I've been trying to cut him a little slack but I'll check in again now.

Happy to talk sat. I'm completely off the grid 8am-12pm and then have calls after that but can jump off. What time are you thinking? I will just make sure I'm open.

On Oct 23, 2014, at 7:12 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

That was the purpose I had - follow up on digital and any other matters.

But for clarity - No pre-meeting Sunday.

I will call you Saturday when I land in DC.

Best

cdm

On Oct 23, 2014, at 7:07 AM, robbymook@gmail.com wrote:

Agree--what I feel is needed on my end is for the three of us to talk about the timeline and next steps with her per that timeline I sent.

On Oct 23, 2014, at 6:53 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

If we don't need the time, let's not do it.

Will call you on Saturday.

Best.

cdm

On Oct 23, 2014, at 5:03 AM, robbymook@gmail.com wrote:

I don't necessarily think we need not time I was just curious on agenda. Teddy told me his memo would be done by the end of this week so hopefully we have that to her by then (although I'm worried that realistically means Monday). Otherwise do you want me to give an update on the site?
Should we discuss the timeline I sent?

On Oct 23, 2014, at 1:34 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

I thought digital and follow-up but can do other stuff - but tell me how much more time we need than 30 mins

cdm

On Oct 22, 2014, at 7:22 PM, robbymook@gmail.com wrote:

Sure thing. Is this on digital specifically or overall stuff?

On Oct 22, 2014, at 11:47 AM, Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:

Robby/John

Are you free to follow-up on the call with HRC for 30 minutes on Sunday at 9am. I committ to get us done by 10am so it still will be only an hour of your time.

best.

cdm

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Joanne Laszczych <jlasczych@cdmillsgroup.com>

Date: Wed, Oct 22, 2014 at 11:19 AM

Subject: CONFIRMED Follow - up Call, Sunday,

October 26, 9:30am EDT

To: Cheryl Mills <cheryl.mills@gmail.com>, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>
Cc: Philippe Reines <pir@hrcoffice.com>, Nicholas S Merrill <nmerrill@hrcoffice.com>, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Robby Mook <robbymook@gmail.com>

Call is confirmed for 9:30am EDT on Sunday, 10/26.

Please use:

Dial i: [1-530-881-1000](tel:1-530-881-1000)

Code: 742374#

-----Original Message-----

From: Cheryl Mills [mailto:cheryl.mills@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 22, 2014 3:24 AM
To: Jake Sullivan
Cc: Philippe Reines; Nicholas S Merrill; John Podesta; Robby Mook; Joanne Laszczych
Subject: Re: Follow - up Call

Does 930am work better for folks then?

cdm

> On Oct 21, 2014, at 11:45 PM, Jake Sullivan
<jake.sullivan@gmail.com> wrote:
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> I'll be on a flight and could do 930 (Robby and I were
skedded to speak then)
>
>> On Oct 21, 2014, at 8:17 PM, Cheryl Mills
<cheryl.mills@gmail.com> wrote:
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>> Dear all
>>
>> Can you advise Joanne if a call at 9am Sunday will
work for a follow up call?
>>
>> Best.
>>
>> cdm

From: "Sean Patrick Maloney" <info@seanmaloney.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 5/21/2014 7:29:07 AM
Subject: BREAKING: New Super PAC

BREAKING: GOP leaders in New York just launched a new Super PAC to support Nan Hayworth! [Make sure we can fight back. Donate now.](#)

John,

Nan Hayworth just got great news: A brand new Super PAC has launched to help New York Tea Party leaders just like her. They're willing to spend untold millions to defeat me – it'll make the \$2.9 million they spent in 2012 look like nothing! Even worse, they already hit the airwaves this week.

And this new Super PAC, New York 2014, was launched to defeat Democrats. Like me. Even worse, they already hit the airwaves in New York this week.

We won't win in November unless we put ads on the air, knock on doors and reach every single voter. This isn't a drill. They're coming – and we've got to raise \$3,000 by midnight to fight back.

If you've saved payment information with ActBlue Express, your donation to Sean will go through immediately:

[Click to donate \\$250 right away.](#)

[Click to donate \\$500 right away.](#)

[Click to donate \\$1000 right away.](#)

[Or click here to donate another amount by midnight to help us fight back against the Super PACs lining up behind Hayworth.](#)

Hayworth is going to have loads of money behind her: Bloomberg News already called me one of three vulnerable Democrats in New York and Paul Ryan, Eric Cantor and Jeb Hensarling are all contributing to her campaign. But we know how to win – we've done it before and can do it again.

But we need resources to do it. That's especially important as Super PACs like this come flying in out of nowhere.

I wouldn't ask if it weren't important, but this is. [Please click here to donate before midnight to help us raise \\$3,000.](#)

I can't do it without you.

Thanks,

Sean

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Paid for by Sean Patrick Maloney for Congress

From: "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>

To: "Brian Fallon" <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: 12/18/2015 5:44:17 PM

Subject: Re: Tweet: Sanders/DNC reach deal

Nice job

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2015, at 12:43 AM, Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

"We are pleased that the Sanders campaign has agreed to submit to an independent audit to determine the full extent of the intrusion its staff carried out earlier this week, and also to ensure that Sanders' voter file no longer contains any of the proprietary data that was taken from us. We believe this audit should proceed immediately, and, pending its findings, we expect further disciplinary action to be taken as appropriate."

On Dec 19, 2015 12:29 AM, "Jennifer Palmieri" <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Brian is drafting statement that basically says we are glad that there will be audit so we will know what data of our's was compromised and look forward to sanders campaign providing an accounting of their actions and taking appropriate action to remedy situation (meaning hold responsible people who did this - cause it was more than one). Also pushing DNC to get the affidavit they signed out in public so the press can pore over that.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 19, 2015, at 12:05 AM, Huma Abedin <ha16@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Has anyone from their side apologized yet?

On Dec 19, 2015, at 12:03 AM, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Talking to Amy
That had to agree to an external audit
They have to turn over information on what happened
I'm trying to get affidavit

On Dec 18, 2015, at 11:58 PM, Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Elias is being briefed now.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 18, 2015, at 11:56 PM, Margolis, Jim <Jim.Margolis@gmmb.com> wrote:

And do we know what that deal is?

From: Jennifer Palmieri <jpalmieri@hillaryclinton.com>

Date: Friday, December 18, 2015 at 11:47 PM

To: Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com>, Joel Benenson <jbenenson@bsgco.com>, Mandy Grunwald <gruncom@aol.com>, Huma Abedin

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Cc: Marc Elias <melias@hillaryclinton.com>, Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>, Brian Fallon <bfallon@hillaryclinton.com>, "john.podesta@gmail.com" <john.podesta@gmail.com>, Heather Stone <hstone@hillaryclinton.com>
Subject: Re: Tweet: Sanders/DNC reach deal

Plus debate prep

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 18, 2015, at 11:44 PM, Kristina Schake <kschake@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Josh Schwerin <jschwerin@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: December 18, 2015 at 11:42:43 PM EST
To: Clips@hillaryclinton.com
Subject: Tweet: Sanders/DNC reach deal



John Wagner ([@WPJohnWagner](https://twitter.com/WPJohnWagner))

[12/18/15, 11:41 PM](#)

Aides to Bernie Sanders say they've reached a deal with the DNC that will allow them to regain access to their voter files on Saturday.

[Download](#) the Twitter app

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From: "Ethan Gelber" <egelber@hrcoffice.com>
To: "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>
Date: 2/13/2015 2:06:19 PM
Subject: RE: Reminder: Policy Call TODAY @ 4 PM

Try now. Apologies.

From: [John Podesta](#)
Sent: 2/13/2015 4:05 PM
To: [Ethan Gelber](#)
Subject: Re: Reminder: Policy Call TODAY @ 4 PM

Conference is full
Can't get on.

On Feb 13, 2015 2:03 PM, "Ethan Gelber" <egelber@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Just a reminder:

Policy Call
TODAY @ 4 PM

Call-in #:
Conference: [585-632-4163](#)
PIN: 09584

Talk to you this afternoon.

Thanks,
Ethan

From: Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, February 12, 2015 4:11 PM
To: Ethan Gelber
Cc: Chris Jennings; tom@tfreedmanconsulting.com ; Neera Tanden; Gene Sperling; John Podesta; Cheryl Mills; Ann O'Leary; Dan Schwerin; Tom.Nides@gmail.com
Subject: Re: Policy call Friday, February 13

All -- looking forward to the call tomorrow. We're hoping to cover the following ground:

1. The overall policy narrative and areas of emphasis
2. Whether there are substantial economic policy ideas/proposals that we have not included in this document
 - do we need more boldness/freshness?
 - do we need more/different ideas that cut against the grain or take on Dem sacred cows?
3. Whether there are ideas/proposals in this document that we should jettison
4. The pollution fee
5. Middle class tax cuts

Thanks!

On Wed, Feb 11, 2015 at 7:58 AM, Ethan Gelber <egelber@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

All,

As Jake promised, here is the memo in advance of Friday's call. If the new time works for everyone (4 PM), I will resend the calendar invite.

Thanks,
Ethan

From: Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>

Sent: Wednesday, February 11, 2015 12:32 AM

To: Ethan Gelber

Cc: Chris Jennings; Tom Freedman; Neera Tanden; Gene Sperling; Nides, Thomas R; John Podesta; Cheryl Mills; Ann O'Leary; Dan Schwerin

Subject: Re: Policy call next Thursday, February 12

All - hope you are well. In advance of our call Friday, Ethan will be circulating a document that sets forth a range of policy options on the major economic issues. It is not exhaustive and does not cover every subject, but it seeks to get at who HRC is fighting for and who she is standing up against.

We would like to use the call Friday to get your feedback on our general policy frame and your thoughts on the policy areas contained in (and absent from!) the document.

On logistics, begging your patience and indulgence, could everyone do 4 pm on Friday instead? Some participants have had their travel plans adjusted. I'm really sorry for shifting goalposts!

On Feb 6, 2015, at 11:04 AM, Ethan Gelber <egelber@hrcoffice.com> wrote:

Great. Here is the call-in info:

Conference: [585-632-4163](tel:585-632-4163)

PIN: 09584

I will send around calendar invites now as well. Thanks.

From: Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, February 6, 2015 11:00 AM

To: Chris Jennings

Cc: Tom Freedman; Neera Tanden; Neera Tanden; Gene Sperling; Nides, Thomas R; John Podesta; Cheryl Mills; Ann O'Leary; Dan Schwerin; Ethan Gelber

Subject: Re: Policy call next Thursday, February 12

Great. We have a quorum. Look forward to talking then. Ethan will send around call-in info.

On Fri, Feb 6, 2015 at 10:59 AM, Chris Jennings <ccj@jenningsps.com> wrote:

Ok, I am good for 2:00 on 13th.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

Original Message

From: Tom Freedman

Sent: Friday, February 6, 2015 10:27 AM

To: Neera Tanden

Cc: Jake Sullivan; Neera Tanden; Gene Sperling; Chris Jennings; Nides, Thomas R; John Podesta; Cheryl Mills; Ann O'Leary; Dan Schwerin; Ethan Gelber

Subject: Re: Policy call next Thursday, February 12

Great, I can do 13th as well. Tom

Sent from my iPhone

> On Feb 6, 2015, at 10:10 AM, Neera Tanden <ntanden@americanprogress.org> wrote:

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> Works for me.

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> Can we move all email for me to my above gmail account? Thanks!

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Feb 6, 2015, at 5:01 PM, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com> wrote:
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>> How is 2 pm on the 13th for people?
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>>> On Feb 6, 2015, at 9:57 AM, Gene Sperling <gsperling@gmail.com> wrote:
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>>> So sorry -- flying back from Australia on 12th. Any time on 13th would work for me.
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>>> Sent from my iPhone
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>>>> On Feb 6, 2015, at 6:37 AM, Jake Sullivan <jake.sullivan@gmail.com> wrote:
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>>>> Hi guys,
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>>>> Dan, Ann, Ethan, and I are hoping to assemble our favorite people on a conference call to talk about the policy agenda heading into 2016. This would just be us, not HRC. We're hoping to get your assessments of the state of play after the SOTU, the budget, the CAP report, and some of the early Republican offerings -- and your advice on how to move forward from here.
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>>>> Would 1 pm on the 12th work for people? We'd like to budget an hour. And after this call we'd like to find a time to get the group together with HRC.
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>>>> Please let me know if that date/time work, and if not, if there are other times on the 12th that would.
>>>>
>>>> Thanks and best,
>>>> Jake

From: ["Brian Galle" <bdg9@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:bdg9@law.georgetown.edu)

To: ["Law Faculty and Visitors" <LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:LawFacultyandVisitors@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/28/2015 11:00:58 AM

Subject: L&E Colloquium for 10/2: Kate Judge on Shadow Banking

Attachments: Judge Information Gaps 9.17.15.docx

Greetings, colleagues. This Friday's guest at the L&E colloquium will be Kate Judge of Columbia Law School. Kate is presenting a paper called "Information Gaps," a title that seems to me to leave a large information gap about its paper's contents. Where is the colon? The extra three phrases of descriptions? Here's the abstract instead:

A financial system is fragile when small shocks can trigger large effects. The 2007-2009 financial crisis revealed the shadow banking system to be exceptionally fragile and capable of bringing down the rest of the financial system, yet the reasons for this fragility remain incompletely understood. This paper provides new insights into the mechanisms through which small shocks can trigger significant market dysfunction in the shadow banking system and the challenges impeding efforts to design a regulatory regime capable of supporting shadow banking.

This paper argues that information gaps—pockets of pertinent and knowable information that is not actually known to any party, private or public—contribute to fragility and help to explain the systemic risk posed by shadow banking. It makes two claims. First, there are structural reasons to expect sizeable information gaps in the shadow banking system. Second, those information gaps make panics more likely and exacerbate the magnitude of market dysfunction likely to arise from a panic.

In undertaking the structural analysis required to identify information gaps, the paper also sheds light on why attempts to reform the shadow banking system have been so contentious and unproductive thus far. The shadow banking system is a true hybrid. It earns its "shadow" status because it operates in the capital markets, and therefore outside the prudential regulatory regime that governs banks. Yet it also merits its status as a "banking system" because it performs many of the economic functions historically fulfilled by the banking system and poses similar threats to systemic stability. In situating the shadow banking system at the nexus of these two historically distinct regimes, the analysis helps explain why policymakers and other experts often come to the table with different, and sometimes contradictory, assumptions about how markets work and how regulation can most effectively promote market functioning. By laying this foundation, clarifying how shadow banking contributes to fragility, and identifying ways to reduce that fragility, the paper also forges the beginnings of a more productive path forward.

Please join us Friday at noon in Hotung 2001 to discuss the aesthetics of titles, the mysteries of modern finance, and all the points of intersection thereof. Also, please let me know if you would be interested in joining the speaker for dinner at 6 on Friday evening.

BDG

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From: "Teddy Goff" <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>
To: "Adrienne Watson" <awatson@hillaryclinton.com>
Date: 2/24/2016 5:33:44 AM
Subject: Re: Vermont has 4th highest Afro-am incarceration in USA

ZM, think it's worth pushing this OTR to our Af Am and any non-AA CJR-focused tweeters.

On Wed, Feb 24, 2016 at 11:11 AM, Adrienne Watson <awatson@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Googling it looks like there's been a drip of stories on it for a while, including by Vermont press... 2007, 2012, 2014, 2015.

Maybe there's a point about how he was, for nearly a decade, silent on a growing problem covered repeatedly by his own state's press... not even a statement (if that's true). Was he not paying attention to his own press clips? And now he wants to address it? I know he obviously wasn't the governor... but still.

From: Zachary Petkanas [mailto:zpetkanas@hillaryclinton.com]]
Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2016 10:52 AM
To: Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>]
Cc: Maya Harris <mharris@hillaryclinton.com>]; John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>]; Zerlina Maxwell <zmaxwell@hillaryclinton.com>]; Teddy Goff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>]; Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>]; Tony Carrk <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>]; Adrienne Watson <Awatson@hillaryclinton.com>]
Subject: Re: Vermont has 4th highest Afro-am incarceration in USA

+ Watson

Watson and I were talking about this yesterday. We thought we could maybe get someone to draw a line between his vote for the crime bill and Vermont's high incarceration rate -- tied in with the Daily Beast story that he ignored African-Americans in the state.

On Wed, Feb 24, 2016 at 10:48 AM, Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com> wrote:

Adding Zerlina and Zac. This was a part of the Daily Beast story that we worked around aggressively, so I think it's been pitched, but they may have other ideas of where to goGwith this.

From: Maya Harris [mailto:mharris@hillaryclinton.com]]
Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2016 10:43 AM
To: John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com>]
Cc: Teddy Goff <tgoff@hillaryclinton.com>]; Milia Fisher <mfisher@hillaryclinton.com>]; Christina Reynolds <creynolds@hillaryclinton.com>]; Tony Carrk <tcarrk@hillaryclinton.com>]
Subject: Re: Vermont has 4th highest Afro-am incarceration in USA

Don't think he's answered for it and don't think he ever sought to do anything about it.

Tony - can we confirm he didn't push any CJ reform in VT? If he hasn't taken leadership, we can ask Zerlina to push around to our Twitter friends.

On Feb 24, 2016, at 4:44 AM, John Podesta <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

This is good stuff for paranoid internet dwellers. Did Bernie ever say a word about this?

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Philip Munger <philm@neomailbox.ch>

Date: Wednesday, February 24, 2016

Subject: Vermont has 4th highest Afro-am incarceration in USA

To: john.podesta@gmail.com

Cc: Robby Mook <re47@hillaryclinton.com>, Jake Sullivan <jsullivan@hillaryclinton.com>, Marlon Marshall <mmarshall@hillaryclinton.com>

NY state does way better than Vermont, in the bottom five.

Arkansas is in the bottom ten lowest states for black male incarceration rates

http://www.sentencingproject.org/doc/publications/rd_stateratesofincbyraceandethnicity.pdf

The doc is from 2007. You will need to fact check. I can look tomorrow, but I thought I would get this out so you'd have it bright and early tomorrow.

<rd_stateratesofincbyraceandethnicity.pdf>

From:	john.podesta@gmail.com
To:	john.podesta@gmail.com
Date:	10/28/2008 3:44:23 PM
Subject:	Delivered: Re: Trip to Ft. Lauderdale
Attachments:	Attach 1

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From: ["John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com>](mailto:john.podesta@gmail.com)
To: ["Bruce Lindsey" <blindsey@clintonfoundation.org>](mailto:blindsey@clintonfoundation.org)
Date: 1/5/2012 8:28:27 AM
Subject: Re: President/coo search.

Cheryl is meeting with the Clinton's today on personal finances.
Assume this will come up. Any further thoughts on who should run
personal office? Sean is out--running for Congress.

On Wed, Jan 4, 2012 at 6:01 PM, Bruce Lindsey
<blindsey@clintonfoundation.org> wrote:

> Where are we on the Doug and Justin issue and separating WJC's personal office?

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> Bruce

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> Sent from Bruce R. Lindsey's iPad

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> On Jan 4, 2012, at 2:18 PM, "John Podesta" <john.podesta@gmail.com> wrote:

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>> We never made a decision on this and then I went into email

>> hybernation. Should we go ahead with Russel Reynolds and the 1/3

>> salary as originally proposed?

From: ["Eleni Kounalakis" <kounalakiset@gmail.com>](mailto:kounalakiset@gmail.com)
To: ["Sullivan Jake" <Jake.Sullivan@gmail.com>](mailto:Jake.Sullivan@gmail.com)
["Abedin Huma" <huma@clintonemail.com>](mailto:huma@clintonemail.com)
["Podesta John" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:podesta@law.georgetown.edu)
Date: 2/11/2016 11:40:12 AM
Subject: Popping Microphone!

It sounds like there is a problem with her microphone. It make a popping sound at the end of almost every sentence. Maybe you can tell her to pull back a few inches.

Ambassador Eleni T. Kounalakis
2500 Steiner Street, Ninth Floor
San Francisco, CA 94115
KounalakisET@gmail.com

Sent from my iPhone

From: ["Lapp, Ali \work_email\" <democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com>](mailto:Lapp.Ali\work_email@democrats@thehousemajoritypac.com)

To: ["John Podesta" <podesta@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:John.Podesta@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 9/28/2014 6:08:07 PM

Subject: yep, we're still here

Listen, John:

I know it's 9 pm on a Sunday.

But my team and I are STILL here at the office trying to get every dollar possible in the door before the FEC deadline hits on Tuesday. If we're able to do that, we can go on the air in even MORE key races around the country.

There are a lot of Democrats out there getting pummeled by Koch brother-fueled attack ads. If we don't help them out, it could spell disaster for Democrats everywhere.

[John, even \\$1 would go SUCH a long way to ensure that we've got what it takes to win. Can you click here and donate before it's too late?](#)

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NAME: John Podesta

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To: ["Eryn Sepp" <esepp@equitablegrowth.org>](mailto:esepp@equitablegrowth.org)

Date: 2/21/2015 10:55:52 AM

Subject: Re: John Podesta Contact Update

Eryn:

Congrats on your escape -- from the WH, and now from Washington for a well-deserved vacation!

Thanks for your note. I am now a Visiting Senior Fellow at CAP and I breeze into town now and again, so I'll hope to see you and John sometime before too long.

Best,

David

P.S. Be on the look-out for a NYTimes op-ed within the next 10 days (hopefully, this week) from Jim Stock and me recommending an increase to the federal coal royalty to account for its carbon impact.

On Sat, Feb 21, 2015 at 4:45 PM, Eryn Sepp <esepp@equitablegrowth.org> wrote:

Hi everyone!

John Podesta and I are very happy to have landed finally at the Washington Center for Equitable Growth, housed at the Center for American Progress. I will serve as Equitable Growth's Special Projects Coordinator—indeed, John's calendar is a special project, so please do keep contacting me for all scheduling requests, media inquiries, etc. Also feel free to forward this note to any who ask for it.

Our New Contacts:

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For Personal or Non-EG/CAP Matters:

eryn.sepp@gmail.com

Many of you already have John's gmail—though I won't be blasting that to the world, if you have it, please feel free to keep using it. If you require it for personal matters, let me know.

Of course, now that I've sent this out, I will be leaving on Sunday for a much needed Caribbean cruise, and it turns out wi-fi is pretty darn expensive (and I'll be honest, I'd rather overpay for a virgin margarita). So I won't be in good communication at all from Mon 2/23 through Saturday morning 2/28. I will be in the office Sunday Mar 1 playing catch up. If you have an engagement or a call with John in the coming week, then I have already provided you or your office with a direct way to reach him if you have any concerns or changes.

All the best,

Eryn

Eryn M. Sepp | *Special Projects Coordinator*



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Date: 7/8/2015 7:54:00 AM

Subject: HRC TPP test - statement and quote

Attachments: 150708 HRC On TPP.doc

Madame Secretary – below and attached is the original statement the campaign put out on the TPP standards and a recent quote from you on it. We have a longer document with more quotes if needed, but I assumed that the original statement laying out the bars and had to meet and recent example was what was needed. Let me know if you need more. Jen

HILLARY CLINTON'S STANDARDS FOR THE TRANS PACIFIC PARTNERSHIP

Statement of Hillary Clinton Campaign, April 17 2015

Hillary Clinton believes that any new trade measure has to pass two tests: First it should put us in a position to protect American workers, raise wages and create more good jobs at home. Second, it must also strengthen our national security. We should be willing to walk away from any outcome that falls short of these tests. The goal is greater prosperity and security for American families, not trade for trade's sake.

*She will be watching closely to see what is being done to crack down on currency manipulation, improve labor rights, protect the environment and health, promote transparency, and open new opportunities for our small businesses to export overseas. As she warned in her book, *Hard Choices*, we shouldn't be giving special rights to corporations at the expense of workers and consumers.*

Hillary Clinton: TPP Needs To Protect American Workers, Raise Wages And Create Jobs, And Be In Our National Security Interests. "I think I have a pretty good idea of what we could do to meet the tasks that I believe any trade agreement—especially TPP must meet. It needs to number 1, protect American workers. Number 2, it needs to raise wages and create good jobs at home. Number 3, it needs to be in our national security interests. I've been saying that for months." [Iowa Remarks, 6/14/15]

From: ["Georgetown Law Events" <rsvp2@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:rsvp2@law.georgetown.edu)

To: [Announcements <Announcements@law.georgetown.edu>](mailto:Announcements@law.georgetown.edu)

Date: 4/23/2015 11:21:25 AM

Subject: You're Invited TODAY: From Revolution to Evolution - Digital Tools in Law Practice

You are invited and encouraged to attend a conference today titled "From Revolution to Evolution - Digital Tools in Law Practice" today in Gewirz 12.

This conference examines how legal technologies are being adopted in many practice areas including litigation, transactional work, compliance, and intellectual property. Each panel's presenters will demonstrate how a new technology they have developed supports improved service delivery. Attendees will have the opportunity to learn how law firms and legal departments are using technology-based tools to address client needs and explore how these approaches enhance the effectiveness of law practice.

Today's Schedule Includes panels on technologies in litigation, digital tools in contract management, due diligence, and intellectual property, cross-practice technologies, legal technology careers, and access to justice and open government.

Afternoon panels include:

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. Careers in Legal Technology

3:15 - 4:30 p.m. Access to Justice and Open Government

4:45 - 6:00 p.m. Contract Management and Client Collaboration

The schedule and more details can be found online here:

<http://www.law.georgetown.edu/continuing-legal-education/programs/academic-conferences/Legal-Tech.cfm>

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Date: 10/1/2015 2:53:38 PM

Subject: Updated Invitation: Strategic Discussion @ Fri Oct 2, 2015 8am - 8:30am
(john.podesta@gmail.com)

Attachments: invite.ics

This event has been changed.

Strategic Discussion

[more details »](#)

Purpose: Receive consultants' input on the issues of the day.

Agenda:

1. HRC schedule today
2. Opponents' activities today
3. News today
4. Input on response

When

Fri Oct 2, 2015 8am – 8:30am Eastern Time

Where

Iowa (Conference Room 1) / 718-441-3763 (no pin) ([map](#))

Calendar

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Pope Francis has obliquely but sharply criticized how financially stable nations lend aid to developing countries, saying they sometimes require concessions that strike echoes of 20th century dictatorships.

The pontiff has also made what appears to be an unprecedented statement that Catholics may have a moral responsibility to limit the number of their children, while reaffirming Pope Paul VI's ban on artificial means of birth control.

Francis' statement about development aid was a clarification of an earlier warning against what he called an "ideological colonization" of family life, made during a meeting with families in the Philippines last week. Speaking to media Monday, Francis recounted a story of a public education minister he knew who was offered money to construct new schools for the poor.

To receive the money, said Francis, the minister had to agree to use a course book with students that taught what the pontiff called "gender theory."

"This is the ideological colonization," said the pope. "It colonizes the people with an idea that changes, or wants to change, a mentality or a structure."



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"It is not new, this," he continued. "The same was done by the dictators of the last century. They came with their own doctrine -- think of the Balilla [youth groups of Fascist Italy], think of the Hitler Youth."

"They colonized the people," he continued. "How much suffering -- peoples must not lose liberty."

"Every people has its own culture," said Francis. "But when imposed conditions come from the imperial colonizers, they seek to make [peoples] lose their own identity and make an homogeny."

Francis was speaking Monday in a nearly hour-long press conference aboard the papal plane traveling back to Rome from the Philippines. He was answering a question about remarks he made last Friday, in which he warned against such colonization in an apparent reference to efforts to legalize same-sex marriage and to use of contraception.

During the press conference the pope also confirmed details of his upcoming trip to the U.S. in September. For the second time in a week, Francis too reaffirmed Catholic teaching prohibiting the use of birth control.

Reaffirms prohibition on birth control

Francis said Pope Paul VI, whose 1968 encyclical *Humanae Vitae* outlined the contraceptive ban, was warning against a "Neo-Malthusianism," a reference to a theories that suggested in the 1960s and '70s that exponential global population growth would lead to an irreversible world food crisis.

Citing the low rates of birth specifically in Italy and Spain, Francis said such Neo-Malthusianism "seeks to control humanity."

At the same time, however, Francis made a statement that seems without precedent for a pope, suggesting that parents may have a responsibility to limit the number of their children, saying: "This does not signify that the Christian must make children in series."

Telling the story of a woman he met in a parish in Rome several months ago who had given birth to seven children via Cesarean section and was pregnant with an eighth, Francis asked: "Does she want to leave the seven orphans?"

"This is to tempt God," he said, adding later: "That is an irresponsibility." Catholics, the pope said, should speak of "responsible parenthood."

"How do we do this?" Francis asked. "With dialogue. Each person with his pastor seeks how to do that responsible parenthood."

"God gives you methods to be responsible," he continued. "Some think that -- excuse the word -- that in order to be good Catholics we have to be like rabbits. No."

"This is clear and that is why in the church there are marriage groups, there are experts in this matter, there are pastors," Francis said. Using the term for a practice that follows church law, he continued: "I know so many, many licit ways that have helped this."

Francis was speaking about birth control in response to a question from a Filipino journalist. Use of contraception in the Philippines is a contentious issue, as the Philippine government only recently approved contraceptive access against forceful opposition from Catholic bishops.

The pope's responses regarding birth control and ideological colonization were part of a wide-ranging conference that touched on a number of other subjects, including: Corruption in church structures, the place of women in church leadership, and global mistreatment of the poor that the pontiff said could be likened to a new form of "state-sponsored terrorism."

'Ideological colonization'

Continuing to clarify his concept of "ideological colonization," Francis said he heard concerns about the matter from African bishops during last fall's Synod, who told him they often face difficult choices when presented with conditions of acceptance on much needed financial aid.

"I say to many that I have seen this," said the pope.

Francis compared such colonization to criticisms he has frequently made about the process of globalization -- saying that the homogenizing of peoples is "the globalization of the sphere -- [where] all the points are equidistant from the center."

"It is important to globalize but not like the sphere -- like the polyhedron," he continued. "Namely, that every people, every part, conserves its own identity without being ideologically colonized."

Francis on Monday also revealed more concrete plans for his trip to the U.S. in September, confirming reports that he is planning to visit Philadelphia, New York, and Washington but saying it is unlikely he will be able to travel to the West Coast or to the U.S./Mexico border.

Mentioning [his earlier announcement](#) that he will canonize Franciscan Fr. Junipero Serra on the trip, an 18th century missionary in the Western U.S. and Mexico, Francis said: "I would like to go to California for the canonization ... but I think there is the problem of time. It requires two more days [to the trip]."

It is more likely, the pope said, that he will formalize the canonization during a liturgy at Washington's Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Francis said he might also host some sort of event to mark the occasion at the U.S. Capitol building, which contains a statue of the future saint.

Francis has been invited to address a joint session of Congress during his visit, which he is primarily making to attend the Sept. 22-27 World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia. The pontiff is also likely to address the United Nations in New York.

Francis also said on Monday he would have preferred to make a visit to the southern border of the U.S., but joked that he could not do so without visiting the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City.

No visit to border on U.S. trip

"To enter the United States from the border of Mexico would be a beautiful thing, as a sign of brotherhood and of help to the immigrants," he said. "But you know that going to Mexico without going to visit the Madonna is a drama. A war could break out!"

"I think there will only be those three cities," he continued. "Later, there will be time to go to Mexico."

Speaking briefly of the role of women in the church, Francis said Monday that women bring new perspectives to church communities.

"When I say it is important that women be held in higher consideration in the church, it's not just to give them a function as the secretary of a dicastery," he said, referring to the general name for second-in-command positions of the different Vatican offices before adding: "But this can be OK."

"No, it's so that they may tell us how they feel and view reality," he continued. "Because women view things from a different richness, a larger one."

Addressing a question about corruption in the church, Francis recalled a time as a auxiliary bishop in Argentina when he was offered about \$400,000 for use towards ministry for the poor -- under the condition that he accept the money under the table and allow the benefactors to keep half the sum.

With rather colorful language, the pontiff said: "In that moment I thought about what I would do: Either I insult them and give them a kick where the sun doesn't shine or I play the fool."

Emphasizing that he thinks of the church as a community of sinners, the pope continued: "Let's remember this: Sinners, yes; the corrupt, no; the corrupt, never."

"We must ask pardon for those Catholics, those Christians who scandalize with their corruption," said Francis. "It's a wound in the church, but there are so many saints, so many saints -- and sinner saints, but not corrupt [ones]."

On the Dalai Lama

Later in the press conference, Francis also rebutted news reports that [he had refused to meet with the Dalai Lama](#) while the Buddhist leader was in Rome late last year because the pope did not wish to harm relations between the Vatican and China.

While formal ties between the Holy See and the Asian country have been severed since 1951, Francis has said several times

he would like to repair the relationship and would be willing to travel to China.

"I saw that some newspapers said I didn't receive him out of fear of China," said the pope. "That's not true."

The refusal to meet, said Francis, was due to a protocol of the Vatican's Secretariat of State that the pope does not meet "people at that level" when they are in Rome for conferences.

"The motive was not a refusal of a person, or fear of China," he said, mentioning that he also had not met with officials of the UN's Food and Agricultural Organization when they met in Rome last year.

More foreign trips planned

Francis also tentatively confirmed Monday that he is planning to visit three Latin American countries later this year -- Ecuador, Bolivia and Paraguay -- and two African countries: The Central African Republic and Uganda.

Saying he was speaking "hypothetically," the pope said he and organizers have to determine when would be best to go to Africa because of hot weather in the region during the summer and the continuing Ebola epidemic.

Francis also added that in 2016 he would like to travel to Chile, Argentina and Uruguay but said as yet no firm plans have been made for those visits. He added that he also wanted to visit Peru, but said he and organizers "don't know where to put it" in his schedule.

Announcement of all the trips led Jesuit Fr. Federico Lombardi, who was moderating the press conference, to interject with "everything is provisional" before joking: "We already have quite a precise and ample program of the travels of the next years."

Francis was visiting the Philippines Thursday-Sunday as the second trip in a two-part Asian voyage that saw him first visit Sri Lanka.

Speaking of his time in the Philippines, Francis said Monday that he was profoundly moved by [an outdoor Mass he celebrated in Tacloban](#), an area of the country that was severely devastated by 2013's Typhoon Haiyan.

Francis celebrated the Mass amidst a tropical storm in the area, which was pouring rain on a crowd of some 300,000 and buffeting the area with 60 mile-an-hour winds.

To see the people there despite in those conditions, said the pontiff, "I felt as though I was annihilated. I almost couldn't speak."

Francis also said he was struck by how many in the crowds -- which grew to an estimated record-breaking 6 million [for an outdoor Mass with the pope in Manila on Sunday](#) -- were holding up children above their heads to receive a papal blessing.

It was a gesture, said the pope, that "this is my treasure, this is my future, this is my love, for this one it's worth working, for this one it's worth suffering."

"It's the way they did this that struck me," he said. "The gesture of motherhood, of fatherhood, of enthusiasm, of joy."

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By Ryan Lizza

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[Subtitle:] Hillary Clinton and the drawbacks of being the front-runner.

The Sunday before Election Day, Hillary Clinton addressed a crowd of voters at an afternoon rally in Nashua, New Hampshire. The state has long served as a source of political renewal for the Clintons. Early in 1992, during Bill Clinton's first Presidential run, he was hobbled by allegations of womanizing, but he finished a strong second in the New Hampshire primary, and his campaign rebounded. In 2008, Hillary lost to Barack Obama in the Iowa caucuses but defied the polls in New Hampshire, which showed Obama far ahead, and won the state, setting up a marathon nomination fight that lasted into June. On Sunday, she was ostensibly in the state to boost the campaigns of Governor Maggie Hassan and Senator Jeanne Shaheen, both threatened by the surging Republican tide. It was also an ideal opportunity for Clinton to advertise her unofficial status as the Democrat to beat in the 2016 primaries.

"It's really hard for me to express how grateful I am, on behalf of my husband and myself, to the people of New Hampshire," Clinton said. "Starting way back in 1991, you opened your homes and your hearts to us. And in 2008, during the darkest days of my campaign, you lifted me up, you gave me my voice back, you taught me so much about grit and determination, and I will never forget that."

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Many of the candidates for whom Clinton campaigned throughout the summer and fall lost on Tuesday. Shaheen, though, was one of the clear Democratic winners. She asked at the rally what many were thinking: "Are we ready for Hillary?" The crowd chanted Clinton's name, and she mouthed a thank-you. In national surveys this year, Clinton's support among Democrats has been as high as seventy-three per cent. That makes her the most dominant front-runner at this stage of a Presidential contest in the Party's modern history. Media pundits and political strategists agree overwhelmingly that Hillary's lead within the Party is unassailable. Tuesday's results, which gave Republicans control of both the House and the Senate, may solidify her standing, as Democrats close ranks around her in an effort to hang on to the White House, their last foothold on power in Washington. But the election results could also lead to an entirely different outcome: a Republican Party that overinterprets its mandate in Congress and pushes its Presidential candidates far to the right, freeing Democrats to gamble on someone younger or more progressive than Clinton.

In every fight for the Democratic Presidential nomination in the past five decades, there has come a moment when the front-runner faltered. "Nature abhors a vacuum, and so does politics," Anita Dunn, a Democratic strategist, told me. Voters in the early states, perhaps spurred by a sense of civic responsibility, begin to take an interest in candidates they had previously never heard of. Those candidates seize on issues, usually ones that excite the left, that the front-runner, focussed on the general election, has been too timid to champion. The press, invested in political drama, declares that the front-runner is vulnerable.

Since the nineteen-eighties, four Democratic-primary contests have featured an establishment-backed front-runner who, early in the race, encountered little competition, but who eventually faced a vigorous challenge from a relative unknown. In 1984, Walter Mondale, Jimmy Carter's Vice-President, loomed over the Democratic field much as Clinton does now. In Iowa, Mondale defeated Senator Gary Hart, a younger candidate whose aim was to modernize the Democratic Party, by a wide margin, 49 to 16.5 per cent, but Hart emerged as a serious threat nonetheless. "The only thing anybody gave a damn about that night was who came in second—Who was the other guy?" Joe Trippi, who ran Mondale's campaign in Iowa, told me. But nobody in the Hart campaign had thought to slate delegates in the later primary states, and Mondale's superior organization prevailed.

In 2000, Vice-President Al Gore's ability to raise money and secure Democratic endorsements scared off most competitors, but then Senator Bill Bradley jumped into the race and briefly threatened Gore. Dunn, who worked for Bradley, said that the campaign used Gore's experience against him "by finding the things that progressives were upset with in the Clinton Administration." In 2004, the dark horse was Howard Dean, an unknown ex-governor of Vermont, who faced four experienced members of Congress: Joe Lieberman, John Edwards, John Kerry, and Dick Gephardt. Kerry emerged as the leading candidate, but Dean briefly surged ahead in the polls when he attacked Kerry and other Democrats for being too supportive of the Bush Administration. Although Dean built a large following, he couldn't organize it.

"In some ways I got captivated by my own campaign," Dean told me. He found it impossible to make the ideological and stylistic shifts that might have transformed him from insurgent into front-runner. "The problem with running against somebody like Hillary—or my problem running against Kerry—is that, when you make the turn, then you disappoint all your followers."

In the fall of 2007, Obama had a respectable national following as a senator, but Hillary Clinton led by more than thirty points in some national polls. Like Hart, Obama ran on a simple message of new versus old—"Change"—but he was prepared for a long fight over delegates when the press anointed him Clinton's main challenger. As Bradley had done with Gore, Obama attacked Clinton on matters that liberals cared about, but his main issue—the war in Iraq—was more powerful than anything available to Bradley, who had focussed on gun control and universal health care. And, like Dean, Obama energized new voters, including many African-Americans, a key voting group in Democratic primaries. But Obama had a sophisticated plan to get them to the polls. These three ingredients—message, demographics, and organization—were just enough to defeat Clinton in the primaries. For the first time in modern history, a Democratic insurgency defeated the establishment.

Could it happen again? "There is going to be a challenge," Trippi said. "And I would never underestimate the challenge if I were the Clinton campaign." Dean has said that he will support Clinton if she runs. "I think the chances are fifty-fifty the Republicans are going to nominate a nutcase, and Hillary's the perfect foil for a Rand Paul or a Ted Cruz," he told me. But he also endorsed the idea of a strong debate: "I actually don't think a primary is a bad thing. I think coronations are bad things." Another Democratic strategist described the effect that even a losing challenger could have on the race. "If you get a deft insurgent, they may not win. But an insurgent could torture this poor woman."

"Hi, I'm Martin O'Malley, the governor of Maryland. Are you guys Iowans?"

O'Malley, who is fifty-one, is one of several candidates who are considering running for the Democratic nomination. A two-term governor of Maryland, he is youthful-looking despite a receding hairline. In January of 2013, he briefly became an Internet sensation when photos emerged of him participating in a polar-bear plunge, wearing a bathing suit and revealing six-pack abs. One Sunday morning in mid-October, he was scanning the crowded tables at the Drake Diner in Des Moines. He was hungry—"Smelling all these eggs, it's killing me!"—but he had work to do before he could eat. He pirouetted around a waitress delivering omelettes and descended on a family of four to introduce himself. Like most of the restaurant's patrons, they had no idea who he was.

Historically, the longer a party remains in power, the more emboldened its activist base becomes. Many liberals are frustrated with Obama's inability to enact more progressive change, such as assertive policies against global warming and income inequality, comprehensive immigration reform, or a less hawkish foreign policy. Democratic-primary voters are always eager to see a fresh potential candidate. "Seventy or eighty per cent of people want to hear from a new perspective before they make a decision about whether to go with what they know," O'Malley told me. "A person becomes very famous in this country very quickly."

O'Malley isn't new to politics. His parents met in 1954, in Washington, where they worked together on a Young Democrats newsletter. In 1965, when he turned two, they frosted his birthday cake with the words "Martin for President 2004." He's been running for one office or another since he was in grade school, at Our Lady of Lourdes, in Bethesda, Maryland. In the past twenty-four years, he has served at just about every level of government in his state: Baltimore city councilman for eight years, mayor of Baltimore for eight years, and governor of Maryland for eight years. In January, facing term limits, he'll be out of a job. There's only one other elective office he wants to pursue.

In Des Moines, at the diner, O'Malley eagerly introduced himself to patrons and asked them to vote for Iowa's Democratic gubernatorial nominee, Jack Hatch, who was not known for his flash or political skills. A longtime Democratic state legislator, Hatch was running fifteen points behind, in an ultimately doomed campaign against Terry Branstad, the state's Republican chief executive. O'Malley was one of the few Democrats who had bothered to campaign for him. It was an odd scene: a little-known governor from a state a thousand miles away, introducing the candidate to his own voters. "He's running for governor, and he needs your help," O'Malley said, then dashed to another table to greet more Iowans.

Clinton can't present herself as a novelty. She'll be sixty-nine on Election Day in 2016 and has been a national figure for a quarter century. The last politician to become President after a similarly long and distinguished career was George H. W. Bush. Since then, the office has been won by relative newcomers: Bill Clinton, George W. Bush, and Obama. "The one time in my political life that we've gone back a generation was Carter to Reagan," Dean said. "Once you change the page on generations, you don't go back." He added that Clinton could be the exception.

O'Malley has been thinking about the political dynamics of new versus old for a long time. In 1984, he took a semester off from Catholic University to volunteer for Hart, who represented a new generation of Democratic thinking, even though he was only eight years younger than Mondale. O'Malley and a friend signed on with the campaign. "We made the decision at the age of twenty that we weren't going to defeat Reagan after one term by offering up the same old leadership from yesterday," O'Malley told me.

The conventional wisdom heading into the Iowa caucuses, he reminded me, was that "Mondale was totally inevitable, and the only person with a chance of beating him was astronaut John Glenn." The story that unfolded instead "was that Glenn totally imploded, pancaked, and Gary Hart got sixteen per cent, and it was that distant second place that was heard around the world."

The Hart campaign's organizational failure was an education for O'Malley. "It was like a 'Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe' experience for me," O'Malley said. "I walked into the wardrobe, I got about twenty years of adult experience in management and being under deadlines and high pressure, and then I came back and I was still twenty-one."

The history of Democratic primaries suggests that an insurgent can't expect to gain recognition with only a fresh face and a superior organization. Inevitably, the candidate must attack the front-runner from the left. O'Malley is not necessarily a natural candidate to pursue this strategy, but he is trying.

As a mayor and as a governor, he has been known for bringing a McKinsey-esque reform to Baltimore and to Annapolis, instituting programs that use computer-aided metrics to judge government performance. In 2002, when he was mayor, Esquire called him one of the "best and brightest"; in 2009, as governor, he was honored by the magazine Governing as one of the "public officials of the year." He applied his data-driven techniques to crime, and Baltimore's murder rate plummeted to below three hundred per year for the first time in a decade. Until recently, he hasn't offered much to Democrats who are worried that Hillary is too centrist on economics and foreign policy. But in the past two years he has won approval of gun-control legislation, a new state immigration law, the repeal of the death penalty, and an increase in the minimum wage. There was only one warning sign for O'Malley as he canvassed Iowa. His lieutenant governor, Anthony Brown, who was running to succeed him as governor, was in a close race against a local businessman and political upstart, Larry Hogan, who attacked the O'Malley administration for raising taxes.

O'Malley's strategy so far suggests that the 2016 primaries may turn into a debate not so much about Clinton's record as about Obama's effectiveness as a leader—an issue that Republicans used to win races last week, and which they would almost certainly raise in a general election against Clinton. O'Malley told me that Obama's response to the 2008 financial crisis was too timid: "When the Recovery and Reinvestment Act was introduced, it was probably half of what it needed to be, and the congressional parts of our own party watered it down to a half of that, which meant it was about a quarter of what it needed to be." And Obama was too soft on Wall Street, O'Malley said. "The moment was ripe for much more aggressive action. If an institution is too big to fail, too big to jail, too big to prosecute, then it's probably too damn big." O'Malley also talks about inequality, in terms that more populist Democrats, like Elizabeth Warren, who insists she isn't running for President, have embraced, but which Obama and Clinton have generally avoided.

Clinton has said little about economic policy in recent years and could co-opt some of the same arguments without seeming overly disloyal to the President. Many liberals, though, will want concrete promises on policy rather than mere sound bites. Michael Podhorzer, the political director at the A.F.L.-C.I.O., said, "What we learned from the Obama Administration is that if the Presidential candidate surrounds themselves with the usual Wall Street suspects, then, whatever the populist rhetoric is, that's not going to be good enough."

At the Drake Diner, O'Malley sat down briefly with Hatch and Monica Vernon, Hatch's running mate, to discuss the race against Branstad. O'Malley had a tightly scheduled day of events ahead and he ordered the No. 5: scrambled eggs, bacon, hash browns, toast, pancakes, and coffee.

"How's it going?" he asked the two candidates.

Hatch complained that everyone except a few labor PACs had given up on him. Voters weren't giving him a close look, because Branstad seemed like the inevitable victor. O'Malley told Hatch not to give up.

"There's a tremendous David-versus-Goliath Zeitgeist going on out there," he said. In his own underdog races, the key was to figure out "the narrative" to use against the front-runner and to stick to it. "You guys have to be the new."

On Tuesday, Hatch lost by more than twenty points. In Maryland, in one of the biggest upsets, Hogan defeated Brown by five points. The loss will make it difficult for O'Malley to argue that his economic agenda in Maryland is a winning formula for his party nationally. "I wasn't on the ballot," he told me after the election, insisting that the results won't change his plans. "In the last race that I ran, in 2010—not a very easy year—the exact same tax attacks were levelled and the economy was even worse, and we won by fourteen points."

At the diner, O'Malley's aide told the Governor it was time to get to the next event. He looked at her and frowned. "But I ordered the No. 5."

Democratic strategists like to divide the Party's electorate into "wine track" and "beer track" voters. Insurgents typically have done well with the wine track—college-educated liberals—and although that portion of the electorate has grown, it's still not enough to win. (Hart once told me that he did well in all the states that were benefitting from globalization; Mondale, who had union support, did well in all the states where workers were feeling economically squeezed.) It's not clear what major demographic group O'Malley could steal from Clinton; for now, he seems like a classic wine-track insurgent. On Tuesday, the Republican victory in Maryland was fuelled by working-class and suburban voters, who revolted against higher taxes.

Former Virginia Senator Jim Webb, who served one term, from 2007 to 2013, and then retired, has the potential to win the beer-track vote. In early October, I drove from Washington to a residential building that sits high on a hill in Arlington. On the eighth floor, in a condominium with a sweeping view of Washington's monuments, Webb has been plotting his own path to defeating Clinton. "I do believe that I have the leadership and the experience and the sense of history and the kinds of ideas where I could lead this country," he told me. "We're just going to go out and put things on the table in the next four or five months and see if people support us. And if it looks viable, then we'll do it."

Webb is a moderate on foreign policy, but he is a Vietnam veteran from a long line of military men. His condo, which he uses as a study, is filled with antique weaponry and historical artifacts from his ancestors. He showed me a bookcase filled with collectibles. "I've been to a lot of battlefields," he said. He pointed to some sand from Iwo Jima; glass from Tinian, the island from which the Enola Gay was launched before it dropped an atomic bomb on Japan; and some shrapnel from Vietnam. "I have that in my leg," he said.

After the war, Webb became a writer. His most famous book, "Fields of Fire," published in 1978, is a novel based on his own experiences and has been credibly compared to Stephen Crane's "The Red Badge of Courage" for its realistic portrayal of war. Webb has always moved restlessly between the military and politics and the life of a writer. In the late seventies and early eighties, he worked as a counsel on the House Veterans' Affairs Committee and later as Ronald Reagan's Secretary of the Navy. He has also travelled around the world as a journalist for Parade. In 2007, I interviewed him in his Senate office weeks after he was sworn in. He noted that he was having a hard time adjusting to life as a senator and missed his writing life. Now, in Arlington, he talked about the unfinished business of his Senate career.

In his senatorial race, Webb did well not only in northern Virginia, which is filled with Washington commuters and college-educated liberals, but also with rural, working-class white voters in Appalachia. In 2008, those voters were generally more loyal to Clinton than to Obama, but Webb believes that he could attract a national coalition of both groups of voters in the Presidential primaries. He laid out a view of Wall Street that differs sharply from Clinton's.

"Because of the way that the financial sector dominates both parties, the distinctions that can be made on truly troubling issues are very minor," he

said. He told a story of an effort he led in the Senate in 2010 to try to pass a windfall-profits tax that would have targeted executives at banks and firms which were rescued by the government after the 2008 financial crisis. He said that when he was debating whether to vote for the original bailout package, the Troubled Asset Relief Program, he relied on the advice of an analyst on Wall Street, who told him, "No. 1, you have to do this, because otherwise the world economy will go into cataclysmic free fall. But, No. 2, you have to punish these guys. It is outrageous what they did."

After the rescue, when Webb pushed for what he saw as a reasonable punishment, his own party blocked the legislation. "The Democrats wouldn't let me vote on it," he said. "Because either way you voted on that, you're making somebody mad. And the financial sector was furious." He added that one Northeastern senator—Webb wouldn't say who—"was literally screaming at me on the Senate floor."

When Clinton was a New York senator, from 2001 to 2009, she fiercely defended the financial industry, which was a crucial source of campaign contributions and of jobs in her state. "If you don't have stock, and a lot of people in this country don't have stock, you're not doing very well," Webb said. Webb is a populist, but a cautious one, especially on taxes, the issue that seems to have backfired against O'Malley's administration. As a senator, Webb frustrated some Democrats because he refused to raise individual income-tax rates. But as President, he says, he would be aggressive about taxing income from investments: "Fairness says if you're a hedge-fund manager or making deals where you're making hundreds of millions of dollars and you're paying capital-gains tax on that, rather than ordinary income tax, something's wrong, and people know something's wrong."

The Clintons and Obama have championed policies that help the poor by strengthening the safety net, but they have shown relatively little interest in structural changes that would reverse runaway income inequality. "There is a big tendency among a lot of Democratic leaders to feed some raw meat to the public on smaller issues that excite them, like the minimum wage, but don't really address the larger problem," Webb said. "A lot of the Democratic leaders who don't want to scare away their financial supporters will say we're going to raise the minimum wage, we're going to do these little things, when in reality we need to say we're going to fundamentally change the tax code so that you will believe our system is fair."

Webb could challenge Clinton on other domestic issues as well. In 1984, he spent some time as a reporter studying the prison system in Japan, which has a relatively low recidivism rate. In the Senate, he pushed for creating a national commission that would study the American prison system, and he convened hearings on the economic consequences of mass incarceration. He says he even hired three staffers who had criminal records. "If you have been in prison, God help you if you want to really rebuild your life," Webb told me. "We've got seven million people somehow involved in the system right now, and they need a structured way to reënter society and be productive again." He didn't mention it, but he is aware that the prison population in the U.S. exploded after the Clinton Administration signed tough new sentencing laws.

The issue that Webb cares about the most, and which could cause serious trouble for Hillary Clinton, is the one that Obama used to defeat her: Clinton's record on war. In the Obama Administration, Clinton took the more hawkish position in three major debates that divided the President's national-security team. In 2009, she was an early advocate of the troop surge in Afghanistan. In 2011, along with Samantha Power, who was then a member of the White House National Security Council staff and is now the U.N. Ambassador, she pushed Obama to attack Libyan forces that were threatening the city of Benghazi. That year, Clinton also advocated arming Syrian rebels and intervening militarily in the Syrian civil war, a policy that Obama rejected. Now, as ISIS consolidates its control over parts of the Middle East and Iran's influence grows, Clinton is still grappling with the consequences of her original vote for the war in Iraq.

Although Webb is by no means an isolationist, much of his appeal in his 2006 campaign was based on his unusual status as a veteran who opposed the Iraq war. "I've said for a very long time, since I was Secretary of the Navy, we do not belong as an occupying power in that part of the world," he told me. "This incredible strategic blunder of invading caused the problems, because it allowed the breakup of Iraq along sectarian lines at the same time that Iran was empowering itself in the region."

He thinks Obama, Clinton, and Power made things worse by intervening in Libya. "There's three factions," he said. "The John McCains of the world, who want to intervene everywhere. Then the people who cooked up this doctrine of humanitarian intervention, including Samantha Power, who don't think they need to come to Congress if there's a problem that they define as a humanitarian intervention, which could be anything. That doctrine is so vague." Webb also disdains liberals who advocate military intervention without understanding the American military. Referring to Syria and Libya, Webb said, "I was saying in hearings at the time, What is going to replace it? What is going to replace the Assad regime? These are tribal countries. Where are all these weapons systems that Qaddafi had? Probably in Syria. Can you get to the airport at Tripoli today? Probably not. It was an enormous destabilizing impact with the Arab Spring."

Early on as a senator, Webb championed the idea of the so-called "pivot to Asia," a rebalancing of America's strategic and diplomatic posture from the Middle East to the Far East—an idea that Obama and Clinton subsequently adopted. Webb pushed Secretary of State Clinton to open up relations with Burma, a policy that Clinton includes in her recent book, "Hard Choices," as a major achievement. (Obama is travelling to Burma this week.) When I raised the subject with Webb, he seemed annoyed that he hadn't received adequate credit for the Burma policy. People who know him well suggest that part of what's motivating him to consider a primary challenge to Clinton is his sense that she hasn't expressed the proper gratitude.

It remains to be seen whether Democratic voters will care as much about foreign policy in 2016 as they did about Iraq in 2008. And it's unclear

how Clinton's record on the Middle East will look two years from now. If Webb runs, Clinton will face an unpredictable debate about her hawkishness.

At the end of our interview, I noticed a picture of Don Quixote on Webb's wall of military treasures. He laughed when I asked about it. "The beauty of Don Quixote is not that he dreamed impossible dreams," he said. "It's that, because he believed, he caused other people to believe."

Senator Bernie Sanders, a socialist and the longest-serving independent in Congress, is seventy-three; he speaks with a Brooklyn accent that is slightly tempered by more than two decades of living in Vermont, where he was previously the mayor of Burlington and then the state's representative in the U.S. House. One evening in mid-October, he was hunched over a lectern addressing students at the University of New Hampshire in Durham. Supporters selling "Run, Bernie, Run!" bumper stickers milled around the edges of the crowd, along with a local labor leader, Kurt Ehrenberg, who is a regular volunteer with Sanders's potential Presidential team in the state. Long wisps of Sanders's white hair levitated above his head, as if he were conducting electricity.

"The great crisis, politically, facing our nation is that we are not discussing the great crises facing our nation," he told the students. He launched several attacks on billionaires, each one to cheers. "We look at the United Kingdom and their queens, their dukes, and whatever else they have, and say, 'Well, that is a class society, that's not America.' Well, guess what? We have more income and wealth inequality in this country than the U.K. and any other major country on earth." It was time "for a political revolution."

Earlier in the day, Sanders had told me that he was thinking about running for President. If he does, he will be the Democratic Party's Ron Paul: his chance of winning would be infinitesimal, but his presence in the race and his passion about a few key issues would expose vulnerabilities in the front-runner's record and policies, as Paul did with John McCain and Mitt Romney. Sanders recited for me a list of grievances that progressives still harbor about the Clinton Presidency and made it clear that he would exploit them in his campaign.

"The Clinton Administration worked arm in arm with Alan Greenspan—who is, on economic matters, obviously, an extreme right-wing libertarian—on deregulating Wall Street, and that was a total disaster," Sanders said. "And then you had the welfare issue, trade policies. You had the Defense of Marriage Act."

He said that the George W. Bush Presidency "will go down in history as certainly the worst Administration in the modern history of America." But he has also been disappointed by Obama. "I have been the most vocal opponent of him in the Democratic Caucus," he told me. In his view, Obama should have kept the grass roots of his 2008 campaign involved after he was elected, and he should have gone aggressively after Wall Street. "His weakness is that either he is too much tied to the big-money interests, or too quote-unquote nice a guy to be taking on the ruling class."

Sanders, like Paul, has a loyal national following that finances his campaigns. He made life difficult for Democrats in Vermont for many years. In 1988, when he was the mayor of Burlington, he went to the Democratic caucus in the city to support Jesse Jackson's Presidential campaign. One woman, angry with Sanders for his attacks on local Democrats, slapped him in the face. Soon after he won a seat in the House of Representatives, in 1990, some Democrats tried to exclude him from caucusing with them. At a meeting to decide the matter, his opponents humiliated him by reading aloud his previous statements criticizing the Democratic Party.

"I didn't know that they could track back everything you had ever said," Sanders told me. "That did not use to be the case. You could certainly get away with a lot of stuff—not anymore!"

The Democrats eventually welcomed him back as a collaborator. In 2006, when he ran for the Senate, the Party supported his candidacy. He now campaigns for those Democrats who are comfortable having an avowed socialist stumping for them, and raises money for others. But he has never been a member of the Democratic Party, and if he decides to run against Hillary in the primary, he will have to join. The alternative would be to run as a third-party candidate in the general election. "It's a very difficult decision," he said. "If I was a billionaire, if I was a Ross Perot type, absolutely, I'd run as an independent. Because there is now profound anger at both political parties. But it takes a huge amount of money and organizational time to even get on the ballot in fifty states."

Most likely, he said, he will run in the Democratic primaries, if he runs at all. I asked him if he thought there was deep dissatisfaction with Hillary on the left. "I don't think it's just with Hillary," he replied. "I think it's a very deep dissatisfaction with the political establishment." He insisted that he would run a serious campaign against her, not just "an educational campaign" about his pet issues. "If I run, I certainly would run to win."

The 2016 Presidential primaries will be the first fought by Democrats since the Supreme Court opened the door for individuals to spend unlimited sums of money on an election. In 2012, those new rules almost cost Romney the Republican nomination, when nuisance candidates like Newt Gingrich and Rick Santorum, who in previous years would have never survived their early losses, were propped up by rich allies. Before 2012, it would have been difficult to find interest groups that might help fund someone like O'Malley, Webb, or Sanders. Now all it takes is a billionaire who

cares about gun control, climate change, war, or inequality.

"What if you decided to have a really strong antiwar person run?" one Democratic strategist told me. "Don't you think four or five crazy rich people from the Democracy Alliance"—a network of wealthy Democratic donors—"would be funding that?"

Democratic voters often like to flirt with other candidates in the primary, before the arranged marriage is made. O'Malley wants Democrats who were demoralized by Tuesday's election results to know that they have a choice. "None of our surrogates from the Party's past were able to affect the results of this wave," O'Malley said, in a veiled reference to the Clintons, who campaigned hard for many candidates who were defeated. "I think a reasonable person could conclude that the nation is looking for new solutions to our problems and looking for new leadership."

In October, at a campaign event in Iowa, O'Malley arrived late to a small gathering of boozy liberals at a fund-raiser for Bruce Braley, the Democratic Senate candidate, who ended up losing by eight points. In his spare time, O'Malley plays in an Irish rock band called O'Malley's March. He strapped on a guitar and sang "Scare Away the Dark," a neo-folk song by the band Passenger about choosing your own path, rather than the one everyone else says you should follow. The white, middle-aged crowd clinked wineglasses and rose to their feet when he belted out the chorus:

To sing, sing at the top of your voice,

Love without fear in your heart.

Feel, feel like you still have a choice.

If we all light up, we can scare away the dark.

O'Malley wandered through the crowd, shaking hands, and ordered a drink at the bar. "People," he said, "want to be inspired."

[Washington Post: "Left struggled to move voters with Koch attacks and other big-money messages"](#)

By Matea Gold

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One clear lesson emerged from last week's midterm elections: Running against big money in politics is hard to do.

Democrats and their allies made the topic one of their central lines of attack this year, featuring the billionaire industrialists Charles and David Koch in nearly 100 different political spots that ran in states from Alaska to Florida. But the issue failed to gain traction, and most of those Democrats lost.

The difficulty they encountered in transforming the public's disgust with rich donors into political action speaks to how hard it is to move voters who view both parties as captives of wealthy patrons.

Even as Senate Majority Leader Harry M. Reid (D-Nev.) repeatedly railed against the Kochs in speeches on the Senate floor, billionaire hedge-fund manager Tom Steyer commanded attention this year for the tens of millions he poured into a super PAC backing Democratic candidates.

"It's very understandable for voters to feel like there's a pox on both houses," said Nick Penniman, executive director of Issue One, a bipartisan group working to reduce the influence of wealthy interests in politics.

The 2014 campaign should have presented a ripe environment to push a message about money in politics. Super PACs and other groups reported spending more than \$550 million on congressional races, a record for midterm elections. Voters complained bitterly about waves of negative ads that were backed by out-of-state outfits.

Across the country, candidates sparred over the influence of their rich contributors, while new reform-minded super PACs sought to make campaign money a potent political issue.

But the argument proved to have its limits.

Mayday PAC, which launched with much fanfare as the “super PAC to end super PACs,” failed to play a decisive role in any race.

Some Democrats argue that the anti-Koch message contributed to their victories in Senate races in New Hampshire and Michigan. But it did not save incumbents in states such as North Carolina, Iowa, Colorado and Arkansas, all of whom highlighted the intense spending against them by the Koch-backed political network.

The answer, some party strategists think, is not to abandon the anti-Koch message but to amplify it.

“The way I view it is that we were just getting started,” said David Brock, founder of American Bridge, the independent pro-Democratic research operation.

Brock’s group plans to dig even deeper into the Kochs as part of an effort to tie them to the incoming class of congressional Republicans, a theme it will then carry into the 2016 presidential race.

“The Kochs themselves were put on the defensive for the first time, and a number of their candidates were put on the defensive when these issues were raised,” he said. “To me, that’s a sign that we’re on to something.”

Top officials in the Koch political operation say Tuesday’s dismal showing for Democrats proved that the left’s strategy was flawed.

“While Harry Reid and Senate Democrats spent their time attacking job creators who spoke out against their failed policies, we focused on the issues voters cared about,” said James Davis, spokesman for Freedom Partners Action Fund, a super PAC financed by the Kochs and other donors. “Americans showed they are tired of the political games — they want solutions.”

Some activists seeking to curb the political power of wealthy interests also see the anti-Koch strategy as problematic.

“I think any time you vilify a single family, you create a too-narrow perspective on the problem in a way that inhibits the bigger conversation that we need to be having,” Penniman said. “It’s not about a single family. It’s about a core dysfunction in the American experiment.”

In Kentucky’s Senate campaign this year, liberal groups sought to cast Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell as beholden to his campaign donors. The Republican fired back by attacking rich Hollywood figures and other liberal contributors who supported Democratic challenger Alison Lundergan Grimes.

His response proved effective: while 46 percent of Kentucky voters named McConnell as the candidate closest to wealthy donors, 39 percent said it was Grimes, according to an election eve poll conducted by Every Voice Action, a super PAC that seeks to give small donors greater influence in campaigns.

“It’s not enough to just beat up on your opponent, because now we’ve seen evidence in this cycle that your opponent can just beat up on you,” said David Donnelly, the group’s president. “You have to have a real policy agenda and you have to point out where your opponent’s solutions fall short.”

Groups on the left tried myriad approaches to the money-in-politics issue this year.

One of the most high-profile efforts was Mayday PAC, a super PAC started by Harvard Law School professor Lawrence Lessig that spent more than \$10 million going after candidates opposed to measures that would lessen the impact of wealthy donors.

In the end, the group could not point to a race in which it turned an election. But Lessig maintains it still had influence, noting that Mayday's late campaign against Rep. Fred Upton forced the powerful Michigan Republican to plow millions into what most expected was going to be an easy reelection.

"That was a tax on Fred Upton, and other people should look at this and think, 'Do we want to be in the position to be taxed like Fred Upton if we're on the wrong side of this issue?'" he said.

Most of the messaging about money was focused on the Kochs, a campaign that Reid launched in a speech on the Senate floor. The attack was echoed throughout the year not only by the party's campaign committees but also by independent groups such as NextGen Climate Action, a super PAC largely financed by Steyer.

The Steyer group spent more than \$62 million on congressional races, losing the bulk of the campaigns it played in. But Chris Lehane, the group's chief strategist, argued that the success of Democratic Senate candidate Gary Peters in Michigan, where NextGen sought to tie the Kochs to local pollution issues, "provides a paradigm for the future."

The take-away for some Democratic strategists this year was that making an issue out of wealthy donors can work.

"A message completely reliant on who is funding candidate X is not going to work on its own, but I think it can be quite effective as part of a larger framework to show how a candidate is out of touch with the people they represent," said Ali Lapp, executive director of the Democratic super PAC House Majority PAC.

Pollster Geoff Garin, who did work for the super PAC Senate Majority PAC and other Democratic campaigns this year, said he saw evidence that voters were swayed by the anti-Koch message when the ads were at their most intense over the summer.

In one poll of voters in 10 states conducted in early August, 62 percent said they would have a less favorable impression of the Republican Senate candidates if they heard that the Koch brothers were backing them with millions of dollars, Garin said.

"Wherever and whenever those ads ran, they had a breakthrough quality that wasn't true of other negative advertising," he said.

The problem, he thinks, is that Democrats did not keep up the line of attack through Election Day.

"If anything, we let up on the Koch brothers too soon," Garin said.

Some party strategists think the new Congress will provide them with ample opportunities to draw more connections between new GOP lawmakers and their wealthy backers. And they expect the anti-Koch message to continue to dominate in 2016.

There were moments on the campaign trail this fall when Hillary Rodham Clinton, the expected Democratic presidential front-runner, picked up the theme.

At an October rally for Sen. Kay Hagan (D-N.C.), Clinton denounced the "onslaught of out-of-state money and negativity" leveled against the incumbent, urging her supporters to show "that no matter how much money has flooded into this state, North Carolina is not for sale." Hagan lost on Tuesday.

Bill Clinton went even further on the stump. During a swing through Michigan, the former president singled out the Koch brothers, warning: "They're spending so much money, what they want after this is a Congress full of Koch pets."

[Washington Post column: E.J. Dionne Jr.: "Don't govern on fantasies"](#)

By E.J. Dionne Jr.

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When high-mindedness collides with reality, reality usually wins. Remember this when you hear talk of making the next two years a miracle of bipartisan comity.

Begin by being skeptical of the lists of what President Obama and the now Republican-controlled Congress should "obviously" agree on. Notice that liberal lists (including mine) start with immigration and sentencing reform while conservative lists focus on free trade and tax reform. Surprise! The election changed no one's priorities.

And don't be fooled by anyone who pretends that the 2016 election isn't at the top of everyone's calculations.

With Washington now so deeply divided philosophically, each side is primarily interested in creating a future government more congenial to getting what it wants. Republicans want to win total power two years from now; Democrats want to hang on to the presidency and take back the Senate.

Therefore, don't misread the internal Republican debate. It is not a fight between pristine souls who just want to show they can govern and fierce ideologues who want to keep fighting. Both GOP camps want to strengthen the conservatives' hand for 2016. They differ on how best to accomplish this.

The pro-governing Republicans favor a "first do no harm" approach. Thus did incoming Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell wisely rule out government shutdowns and debt-ceiling brinkmanship. He's happy to work with Obama on trade because doing so advances a free market goal the GOP believes in — and because a trade battle would explode the Democratic coalition. For Republicans, what's not to like?

The more militant conservatives are more candid about the real objective, which is "building the case for Republican governance after 2016." Those words come from a must-read editorial in National Review, instructively entitled "The Governing Trap."

"A prove-you-can-govern strategy will inevitably divide the party on the same tea-party-vs.-establishment lines that Republicans have just succeeded in overcoming," the magazine argued. Also: "If voters come to believe that a Republican Congress and a Democratic president are doing a fine job of governing together, why wouldn't they vote to continue the arrangement in 2016?"

They're saying, in other words, that spending two more years making Obama look bad should remain the GOP's central goal, lest Republicans make the whole country ready for Hillary Clinton. This is the prevailing view among conservatives. McConnell's main argument with Sen. Ted Cruz (R-Tex.), and his followers is not about ends but means. McConnell is no less focused than Cruz on bringing down Obama and discrediting Democratic governance, but McConnell needs to be more subtle about it.

Where does this leave Obama and the Democrats? The first to-do item on Obama's list must be to repair his currently abysmal relations with his own party on Capitol Hill. He will need his party as the GOP goes after him in one "investigative" hearing after another. He also needs them if he goes ahead, as he should, with executive orders on immigration reform.

Obama has already drawn a red line on immigration from which there is no easy retreat. And exit polls explain why Republicans, particularly House Speaker John Boehner, have little reason to act before Obama's gone.

Overall, 57 percent of voters favored granting illegal immigrants "a chance to apply for legal status," while 39 percent preferred deporting them. But those who favored deportation voted for Republican House candidates by better than 3 to 1. Boehner won't risk alienating this loyal group. Better for Obama to pick a fight in which he is taking action than to give way to passivity and powerlessness.

In the end, Obama needs to govern as best he can even as he and his allies prepare for the longer struggle.

Democrats were tongue-tied about economics in the campaign. They avoided highlighting the substantial achievements of the Obama years for fear that doing so would make them seem out of touch with voters whose wages are stagnating. But neither did Democrats come up with plausible answers and policies to win over these voters. They lost both ways.

A Democratic Party paralyzed on economics won't deserve to prevail. The president and his party — including Clinton — must find a way of touting their stewardship while advancing a bold but realistic agenda that meets the demands of Americans who are still hurting. This encompasses not only defending government's role in achieving shared growth but also, as Obama suggested Friday, restoring faith in how government works.

Solving the country's economic riddle would be a much better use of their time than investing in the fantasy that McConnell and Boehner will try to make Obama look good.

[Fox News column: Media Buzz: Howard Kurtz: "Hillary helped by midterm wipeout? Behind the media spin"](#)

By Howard Kurtz

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You might have thought, after a traumatic and gut-wrenching defeat for the Democrats, that the midterms were a nightmare for Hillary Clinton.

Ah, but you don't understand the sophisticated spin at work. The election was actually her dream come true!

Her team has convinced some reporters and pundits — or they have convinced themselves — that Hillary emerges enhanced from the wreckage.

I'm skeptical of that, but I'm also going to let you in on a secret: The midterms were probably a wash for Hillary. This whole notion that when a big shot goes out and campaigns for candidates and gets some credit for the victories and some blame for the defeats — it's a journalistic construct. Most voters don't care about endorsements. Alison Lundergan Grimes loses to Mitch McConnell by nearly 16 points, and Hillary was supposed to have saved her?

No one wants to say that, because it doesn't get you clicks or ratings. So there's a "debate": Did the midterms help or hurt?

If I had to choose I'd lean toward hurt. But here's what the New York Times says in a front-page story:

"The lopsided outcome and conservative tilt makes it less likely she would face an insurgent challenger from the left." Like Hillary was losing sleep

over Bernie Sanders?

“And a Republican-led Senate creates a handy foil for her to run against: Rather than the delicate task of trying to draw a stark contrast with an unpopular president in whose administration she served, her loyalists say, Mrs. Clinton can instead present herself as a pragmatic alternative to what they predict will be an obstructionist Republican Congress.

‘Rand Paul and Ted Cruz and their allies in the House’ will be ‘pushing Republican leadership hard,’ said Geoff Garin, a pollster who succeeded Mark Penn as chief strategist for Mrs. Clinton’s 2008 campaign. ‘When that happens, it will give Hillary Clinton or whoever the Democratic nominee is a better platform to run.’”

An obstructionist Republican Congress? We’ll have to see. Pure spin, of course. But if you’re going to quote the spin from the left, why not include the shots from the right — such as Rand Paul saying the midterms were not only a referendum on President Obama but on Hillary?

Now it’s true that it will be easier for Hillary to run against a Republican Senate and House rather than dancing around Harry Reid. But it’s also true that as a former secretary of State, she is inextricably tied to an administration that was just repudiated at the polls, regardless of how she might try to distance herself.

Yahoo News has also been trumpeting the notion that Hillary is a 2014 winner:

“Even Tuesday’s huge GOP victory shows that Republicans still have some catching up to do if they want to defeat her in 2016.

“Let’s start with the map. Sure, the GOP won a remarkable number of races Tuesday night. But how many purple states did Republicans actually pick up?

“For every Senate seat that Republicans flipped in 2014, there’s one — or more — that’s likely to flip back to the Democrats in 2016. The chances that the GOP will still control the upper chamber of Congress after 2016 are slim.

“How does this help Clinton? By giving her an added boost on an electoral playing field that already favors a Democratic presidential nominee.”

That seems a stretch. The electoral map was always going to favor the Dems in 2016, regardless of last week’s outcome. And to take one example, instead of having friendly Democratic governors in Florida, Illinois and Wisconsin, the machinery will be controlled by Republicans.

The conservative Washington Free Beacon takes the other side:

“The 2014 election was a disaster for Hillary Clinton. Why? Let us count the ways.

“She will have to run against an energetic and motivated Republican Party. If the GOP had failed to capture the Senate, the loss would have been more than demoralizing...

“She would have claimed partial credit for saving the Senate. She would have promised to build on Democratic success. You would have been able to see her aura of inevitability for miles.

“But she has been denied. Instead she must calculate how to salvage the wreckage of 2014. She must convince Democrats that their savior is a grandmother who lives in a mansion on Massachusetts Avenue. It is her party that is shell shocked, not the GOP. Trust me: You don’t want to be in that position.”

The author of the Times piece, Amy Chozick, has reported aggressively on Hillaryland, and she did break the news that the unofficial candidate will

stop her paid speeches and go on a listening tour (sound familiar?) before her announcement. Plus, the campaign headquarters will likely be in New York's Westchester County (the better to appeal to suburban voters than, say, Manhattan).

The bottom line is that Hillary will be running for a third Democratic term. Beats me why anyone thinks that task was made easier by the party's midterm drubbing.

[MSNBC: "Scott Walker: Hillary Clinton is big loser of midterms"](#)

By Irin Carmon

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Wisconsin Governor Scott Walker, fresh off his third victory in four years, dropped some heavy hints about running for president in an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press" Sunday.

Asked by moderator Chuck Todd about a pledge Walker made in October to serve his four-year term, Walker, a Republican, hedged. "I said my plan was for four years. I've got a plan to keep going for the next four years. But, you know, certainly I care deeply about not only my state, but my country," Walker said. "We'll see what the future holds."

Polls had shown a close race between Walker and businesswoman Mary Burke this year, raising Democrats' hopes that they could take out a champion of conservatism, but Walker won with 52.3% of the vote. He also survived a recall election in 2012.

Todd asked Walker if he would defer to Congressman and fellow Wisconsin Paul Ryan, who was their party's vice presidential nominee in 2012.

"I love Paul Ryan. I've said many times before I'd be the president of Paul Ryan fan club," said Walker. But there is a limit to his love, apparently: "But I do think if we're going to beat Hillary Clinton in this next election, we've got to have a message that says, 'Hillary Clinton is all about Washington.' I think in many ways, she was the big loser on Tuesday because she embodies everything that's wrong with Washington." Pressed by Todd to spell out whether or not that meant he wouldn't defer to Ryan, Walker said, "Paul Ryan may be the only exception to that rule. But overall, I think governors make much better presidents than members of Congress."

But for all of the talk of "executive experience," Todd pointed to indicators suggesting that Walker's economic record isn't all that great. "When it comes to wage growth, it's below the national average, Wisconsin is. When it comes to job growth, it's below the national average. And your tax cut policy has created a larger deficit, a \$1.8 billion deficit hole that you're going to have to plug next year. And part of it is because state revenues didn't come in as expected. Is it possible that the idea of cutting taxes as a way to create jobs and assimilate the economy just isn't working in Wisconsin?"

Walker disputed that, claiming that the deficit hole was temporary pending more revenues and budget cuts, and adding, "So the simple answer is, you compare us to Illinois where they raise taxes, we lower taxes by \$2 billion in property and income, and we had a much, much lower unemployment rate and a much better economy than they do. Thank God they elected [Republican] Bruce Rauner, because that'll help turn things around down there, just like we have in Wisconsin."

Walker also defended his decision to refuse the federal Medicaid expansion under the Affordable Care Act. A nonpartisan report found Wisconsin would have saved \$206 million over two years and \$500 million over three and a half years had it expanded Medicaid, covering over 80,000 more people.

Walker suggested the federal government would renege on its obligations. "I mean, think about it. States that have taken the Medicaid expansion are betting on the fact that the Congress and the president, who can't deal with the \$17 trillion are going to magically somehow come up with new money. They haven't paid that money for Medicaid even to the states as we speak," he said, adding, "Relying on the federal government for your

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balancing a budget is really I think a fool's bet."

The law says that the federal government will pay 100% of the cost of new Medicaid enrollees until 2016, then gradually decreasing to 90% of the cost in 2020. Only repeal, the dear wish of Republicans, would stop that money from coming.

[The Hill blog: Ballot Box: "Cantor: Democrats have no bench for 2016"](#)

By Sarah Ferris

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Former House Majority Leader Eric Cantor (R-Va.) said on Sunday that the Democrats' "lack of bench" for 2016 will likely dent their chances of keeping the White House.

"Look at our bench. I bet there's a dozen people out there looking to run," Cantor, who lost his seat in a primary shocker, said in an appearance on NBC's "Meet The Press."

On the Democratic side, Cantor said he could only point to Sen. Elizabeth Warren (D-Mass.) as someone with the "passion and intensity" to run. Warren has so far declined a bid in 2016.

Cantor said an early frontrunner like Hillary Clinton has kept away other candidates, arguing that the Democratic party is also "out of ideas."

Cantor also cautioned that the 2014 midterms – which targeted President Obama – could hurt the chances for the former secretary of State.

"She's going to have very difficult time disconnecting from the Obama administration," he said.

[Politico: "Anti-Keystone groups aren't giving up"](#)

By Elana Schor

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[Subtitle:] The pipeline's opponents are regrouping after a rough midterm season.

The environmentalists who spent years fighting the Keystone XL pipeline to a standstill are back in a familiar position: against the ropes, Washington abuzz with speculation about their imminent defeat.

They don't mind it. A new congressional clash over the oil pipeline stands to motivate greens' base after a dismal midterm election that left them

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with an \$85 million bill and several longtime allies out of office.

"Republicans want to pick this fight, but it's also been one of our most successful issues," said one official at a major environmental group who's working on the anti-Keystone campaign. "We're gearing up for this, and that's what we're good at, turning people out into the streets. We know how to fight this fight."

The lack of any post-election resignation among climate activists closest to the pipeline fight is especially striking given how confident Republicans are that Tuesday's elections handed them the votes they needed to force President Barack Obama's hand on the \$8 billion project. Supporters of the pipeline will have a filibuster-proof majority in the new Senate, and Republicans have said a bill to greenlight Keystone will be one of the first bills they pass in January.

On Thursday, White House spokesman Josh Earnest was noncommittal on how the president would respond to such a bill. When reporters pressed him about the high probability that Republicans can approve a Keystone bill next year, Earnest said, "OK, well, we'll see."

Behind those four words is a back story that greens remember well: Nearly three years ago, Republicans successfully added language to a must-pass tax bill that gave Obama 60 days to decide on Keystone. The president signed that bill — then rejected the pipeline, saying Congress' deadline didn't allow enough time for the State Department to finish its permit review. Keystone developer TransCanada had to reapply.

Obama could carve out a similar rationale if Republicans send him a bill forcing approval of the long-delayed Alberta-to-Texas pipeline. Greens took heart this week after both Obama and Earnest spoke about the integrity of the State Department's review "process."

"We've seen Republicans on the Hill talking a big game, saying they're going to ram this through, but if you look at the way this issue has played out over the last several years, they might be too confident," League of Conservation Voters Senior Vice President of Government Affairs Tiernan Sittenfeld said in an interview.

And even a White House wounded by Tuesday's midterm rout is unlikely to accept Congress prodding Obama on Keystone before he's ready, greens say, given his vow last year to consider climate change in ruling on the pipeline.

"As much as they lost the election, it doesn't mean they like to get bullied and be perceived as weak, which is what will happen if they allow Congress to force them to approve the project," 350.org communications director Jamie Henn said.

The green group official agreed, requesting anonymity to predict that should Republicans attempt "to force the president to make a decision, because of the frame in which he's indicated he'll make the decision, they risk losing the project."

Keystone supporters see the State Department "process" — which has dragged off and on for six years — as little more than political cover for Obama to delay a decision that will bring him flak no matter which side he comes down on. But now, with 2016 in sight, other political considerations could offer an incentive for Obama to dispose of the controversy quickly by striking a deal with the GOP to approve Keystone, eliminating an issue that has already dogged prospective presidential front-runner Hillary Clinton.

American Petroleum Institute President Jack Gerard, calling the pipeline "the first test" of whether Obama can credibly partner with the new Republican Congress, offered to help lower the volume of the Keystone battle.

"We're all ears," Gerard said, "prepared to meet any place, any time to work through a way if the president needs to have further dialogue on this."

But Gerard slammed the administration's stated rationale for pausing its Keystone review in April — the need to wait for the outcome of a Nebraska Supreme Court challenge to the validity of a state law regarding a portion of the pipeline's route. That's a "smokescreen" and a "sideshow" that is "totally unrelated to the president's decision, and the White House knows that," Gerard said.

Depending on how the Nebraska court rules, either late this year or early next year, the State Department has said it would resume its review of whether Keystone would meet the national interest. That analysis was nearing its final moments before last spring's delay.

Further complicating the political calculus of any bipartisan Keystone deal, however, is the chance that even a fast-tracked resolution of that State Department review would take weeks to complete. The White House, then, could face a race to decide on the pipeline next year before congressional Republicans force another Keystone showdown.

Obama has offered few clues about his opinions on the project, aside from public and private remarks in which he cast doubt on both environmentalists' warnings of doom for the planet and Republicans' claims that Keystone would be a major job creator. Energy analysts have interpreted some of his words as hints he may be open to a deal with Canada, including his comments to The New York Times that the Canadians "could potentially be doing more" to counteract the greenhouse gas emissions from Alberta's oil sands.

Republicans remain on the offensive over Keystone, making it a centerpiece of their early agenda planning for 2015. They chastised Obama for saying Wednesday that the pipeline is only "one small aspect of a broader trend" toward greater North American energy production.

"House Republicans agree that our energy strategy should be broader than just one pipeline, which is why we have passed more than a dozen other bills to support the American energy boom and unleash the benefits," House Energy and Commerce Committee aides wrote in a memo Thursday. "But Keystone XL still remains an important part of any comprehensive energy plan so we will keep fighting for its approval."

Environmentalists welcome that fight. They note that Democratic Rep. Gary Peters of Michigan, an unabashed Keystone critic, won his Senate race easily on Tuesday, and they dispute oil industry arguments that Sen. Mark Udall (D-Colo.) lost his seat last week because of his failure to fully support Keystone.

"The mobilized constituency on Keystone is the opponents," Henn said, "not the proponents."

[New York Times opinion: David Gergen, co-director of the Center for Public Leadership at the Harvard Kennedy School: "Democrats Need to Show That Government Can Work"](#)

By David Gergen

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In the short term, Democrats must do the obvious: Settle on a strategy with the president to break the gridlock, build a new farm team of outstanding candidates for the Senate and House and convince voters that a Hillary Clinton presidency can get big things done.

It's the long term that seems harder to figure out. For my money, Democrats must once again become the party of the future. For more than 80 years, their leaders have turned to government as the option of first resort in tackling national problems. That worked well for decades, but now it manifestly doesn't.

One federal institution after another has experienced egregious failures in recent years -- from Federal Emergency Management Agency to the Department of Veterans Affairs, Health and Human Services to the Internal Revenue Service. Public faith in government has plunged, and voters in the midterms blamed Democrats -- especially Obama -- for incompetence.

We live in an era where a spirit of innovation and entrepreneurship is sweeping the country but most federal institutions seem oblivious. Democrats should look to mayors in cities like New York, Boston and Chicago who have been streamlining services and overhauling the way government works. In Boston, Mitchell Weiss, the former chief of staff to our beloved Mayor Thomas Menino, is introducing a course at the Harvard Business School on "public entrepreneurship." Democrats should sign up.

Hillary Clinton actually has a foundation upon which to build -- the initiative her husband and Al Gore introduced to "re-invent" government two
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decades ago. It didn't go as far as it should and Democrats since have abandoned the idea. Now is the time to revive it. They could start by organizing a blue ribbon panel right now -- to be ready for the 2016 elections -- that comes up with a fistful of ideas to bring innovation and entrepreneurship to Washington.

Calendar:

Sec. Clinton's upcoming appearances as reported online. Not an official schedule.

- November 14 – Little Rock, AR: Sec. Clinton attends picnic for 10th Anniversary of the Clinton Center ([NYT](#))
- November 15 – Little Rock, AR: Sec. Clinton hosts No Ceilings event ([NYT](#))
- November 21 – New York, NY: Sec. Clinton presides over meeting of the Global Alliance for Clean Cookstoves ([Bloomberg](#))
- November 21 – New York, NY: Sec. Clinton is honored by the New York Historical Society ([Bloomberg](#))
- December 1 – New York, NY: Sec. Clinton keynotes a League of Conservation Voters dinner ([Politico](#))
- December 4 – Boston, MA: Sec. Clinton speaks at the Massachusetts Conference for Women ([MCFW](#))
- December 16 – New York, NY: Sec. Clinton honored by Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights ([Politico](#))

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let's go with the 28th. I'll try to get Phil for the next week. I assigned immunity and contempt for Monday. I have 20-25 minutes on exec privilege. Do you want to pick up on Poindexter and North and the Iran contra saga. I can fill in on the cases.